

**Bio:**

Dr. Andre P. Stevenson is Professor of Social Work and Director of the Office of International Programs at Elizabeth City State University (ECSU) in North Carolina (USA). He primarily teaches undergraduate courses in social work research methods and social welfare policy, as well as oversee study abroad and other international education initiatives at ECSU.

With 30 years higher education experience, in the US and abroad, he has numerous peer-reviewed publications in the areas of social work practice, policy, and international education. Some of his other works included serving as a guest editor of a Special Section of the *Journal on Social Work Education* and a guest editor for the *Journal of Human Behavior in the Social Environment*. Both focused on faculty research at HBCUs in the academic area of Social Work Education. His forthcoming co-edited book titled, *“Human Behavior Theories and Models: An Anti-Racist and Anti-Oppressive Approach to Empowerment Practice”* will be released later this year.

He is a former elected Board Member of the Association of Baccalaureate Social Work Program Directors (BPD). He is also a former elected member of the National Nominating Committee for the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE). In 2025, he was appointed as a member of CSWE’s Advisory Board for the Katherine A. Kendall Institute for International Social Work Education.

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