OPENING EVENT: SLAVERY AND RESISTANCE IN POPULAR CULTURE

Saturday, February 6, 2021, 11am

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“Not just what they want to remember but what they need to remember.”

Lonnie G. Bunch III, Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, founding director of the National Museum of African American History, and author of A Fool’s Errand: Creating the National Museum of African American History and Culture in the Age of Bush, Obama, and Trump, and Salamishah Tillet, author of In Search of the Color Purple: The Story of an American Masterpiece, will discuss the importance of sharing 19th and early 20th-century Black history and culture with the public in museums and in popular culture.