

Joseph Smith – Specialized Comprehensive Examination list

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### **Specialized List – The Intellectual Background of Black Consciousness in the African Diaspora: Influences, Struggles, and Triumphs**

- This field explores the particular tensions, predicaments, and pitfalls that confront racialized individuals who attempt to recognize themselves (or be recognized) as self-conscious human beings, within a diasporic context. In other words, this field investigates the cognitive, social, and emotional trials of developing one's self-consciousness, in a diasporic context, as a racialized individual.

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