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**Gary Gerstle**



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**Building C, Room 111 (DeMauro Lecture Hall)**  
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Dr. Gerstle is the James Stahlman Professor of History at Vanderbilt University. A 20th century American historian who teaches and writes about immigration, ethnicity, nationality and the American experience, he has a strong interest in how the United States reconstitutes itself periodically to accommodate the needs and desires of newcomers. He is the author of *American Crucible: Race and Nation in the 20th Century* (Princeton University Press), which received the Theodore Saloutos Memorial Book Award for outstanding book on U.S. immigration and ethnic history in 2001. Dr. Gerstle received his PhD from Harvard University in 1982.

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