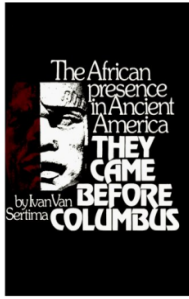
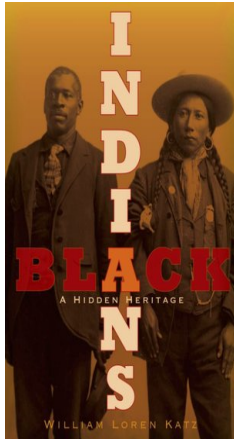


## I. BOOKS



**They Came Before Columbus: The African Presence in Ancient America by Ivan Van Sertima, 1976**



**Black Indians: A Hidden Heritage by William Loren Katz, 1986**

## II. MOVIES & VIDEOS

### **Afro-Latinos: The Untaught Story**

<https://vimeo.com/151897541>

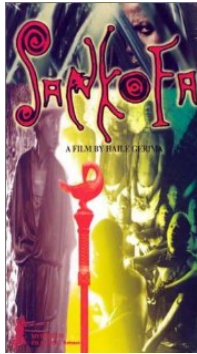
Site Description: “Afrolatinos “The Untaught Story” is a documentary television series independently produced by [Creador Pictures](#), LLC. The program will illustrate history and celebrate the rich culture of people in Latin America of African descent. From the story of how and when slaves came to Central and South America to identity issues that still exist in the Hispanic community today. There are an estimated 200 million Afro-descendants in Latin America but the majority of them do not have political or economic power. This documentary takes you on a journey to meet Afrolatinos throughout Spanish and Portuguese speaking nations

and an exploration and appreciation of their culture. It will also teach the uninformed and hopefully initiate social change throughout Latin America...”

### **Black & Latino**

[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tT7\\_oQzDYMw](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tT7_oQzDYMw)

What does it mean to be Black & Latino in the U.S.? This is a brief interview with celebrities who identify with being both Black and Latino and the challenges they’ve faced with society accepting them as who they are.



**Sankofa – 1993 movie by Haile Gerima**

“A self-absorbed Black American fashion model on a photo shoot in Africa is spiritually transported back to a plantation in the West Indies where she experiences first-hand the physical and psychic horrors of chattel slavery, and eventually the redemptive power of community and rebellion as she becomes a member of a freedom-seeking Maroon colony.”

[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sankofa\\_%28film%29](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sankofa_%28film%29) (Spoiler warning)

<http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0108041/plotsummary>

## **III. MUSIC**

### **Cuba**

John Santos Bata Drumming Tutorial <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RH5SBktNZK4>

Bata Fantasy I <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lvC9bwByq1M&feature=related>

## **Puerto Rico**

Cantos de Elegua | Damian Padro <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YdQamMcmWjY&feature=related>

Reggaeton Sample <http://jorgearce.org/ArcePhotos/ElDumbaReggaeton.m4a>

Aguanile (Salsa) | Marc Anthony <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Nx8URjepjo>

## **Brazil**

Capoeira Angola, Clip DVD Ypiranga de Pastinha 2007 (2:35)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w6Au0dz5uSQ&feature=related>

## **IV. PEOPLE**

Jorge Arce - Puerto Rican Cultural Historian and Sabrina's mentor on Afro-Latin dance & culture. <http://jorgearce.org>

## **V. OTHER LINKS & RESOURCES**

Black in Latin America Documentary – Harvard Professor Henry Louis Gates, Jr. explores race and identity in Latin America <http://www.pbs.org/wnet/black-in-latin-america/>

Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture – Founded by Puerto Rican Arturo (Arthur) Schomburg <http://www.nypl.org/locations/schomburg>



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