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Mjiba Frehiwot, MSW is currently a Ph.D. candidate at Howard University in the department of African Studies. Her dissertation is entitled: Education and Pan-Africanism: A case Study of Ghana 1957-1966. Ms. Frehiwot, is formally trained as a Social Worker and has worked in the field for 14 years primarily doing community organizing, running volunteer programs, coordinating community events, serving as a case manager, alcohol and drug counselor and managing a multi-program community and volunteer programs department. Ms. Frehiwot received her Master of Social Work at California State University Sacramento in 2000 and her Bachelor of Arts from San Jose State University where she had a double major of African-American Studies and Social Work.

She has been a member of the All-African Peoples Revolutionary Party since 1997 and has had the opportunity to represent the organization on an official delegation to Cuba in 2007 for May Day. She is currently, a Central Committee Member of the All-African Peoples Revolutionary Party. Her studies and organizing has also allowed her to travel to Ghana, West Africa and London England where she conducted research for her dissertation. In addition, she has traveled to the Ivory Coast, Dominican Republic, South Korea, and Belize. Her primary research interests are: Pan-Africanism, Ideology, Nkrumahism, Educational development and sustainable development.