

**ADVANCING WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP FOR A JUST WORLD**  
**Institute for Women's Leadership Consortium**  
**Calendar of Events**  
**Spring, 2016**

**Thursday, January 28**

IRW Distinguished Lecture Series

**The Radical Potential of Human Rights**

Lecture by Radhika Balakrishnan, Director, Center for Women's Global Leadership and Professor, Women's and Gender Studies

4:00 PM Reception

4:30 Lecture

Ruth Dill Johnson Crockett Building

162 Ryders Lane, New Brunswick

Sponsored by: Institute for Research on Women

**Friday, January 29**

**Pay Equity**

On the anniversary of the Lilly Ledbetter Act, New Jersey State Senator Loretta Weinberg and her colleagues address pay equity.

10:30 – 11:30 AM

Janice H. Levin Building, Room 103

Livingston Campus

Sponsored by: The Center for Women and work

**Saturday, February 6**

**The Feminist Art Project 2016 Day of Panels**

***Performing Identity as Intersectional***

The Feminist Art Project (TFAP) is pleased to announce the schedule for a special symposium at the National Museum of Women in the Arts. With an impressive list of participants, The Feminist Art Project's TFAP@CAA Day of Panels will present a day of diverse panels and performances. For more information: [The Feminist Art Project](#)

**9:00 AM – 4:30 PM**

The National Museum of Women in the Arts

1250 New York Ave NW

Washington DC

Sponsored by: The Feminist Art Project; Center for Women in the Arts and Humanities; New Jersey State Council on the Arts

**Thursday, February 11**

IRW Distinguished Lecture Series

**The Miracle on Cooper Street:**

**A Case Study of Community Transformation and Engaged Scholarship**

**Gloria Bonilla-Santiago**, Urban Studies and Community Development & Public Policy Administration, Rutgers-Camden

4:00 PM Reception

4:30 PM Lecture

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### **Monday, February 15**

The Douglass Dean's Colloquia:  
Conversations with Extraordinary Women

#### **Race and Digital Feminism**

**Featuring Dr. Brittney Cooper**, Assistant Professor,  
Women's and Gender Studies and Africana Studies

### **Saturday, February 20**

#### **Douglass Global Summit**

##### **Sustainable Solutions: Racing Towards Equality**

The daylong Douglass Global Summit will bring together diverse groups of actors to learn about, share ideas on, and create possible solutions to global challenges. The event will galvanize the student body to respond to global disparities and critically voice their concern regarding poverty and inequality in the United States and worldwide as well as other social and economic factors facing this and future generations.

Featuring Keynote Speaker:

##### **Ejim Dike, Executive Director, US Human Rights Network.**

To Register: <https://secure.rutgers.edu/secureforms/Forms/DRC/GlobalSummitRegistration/>.

**9:30 AM – 4:00 PM**

Trayes Hall, Douglass Student Center

Co-sponsored by: Douglass Residential College; Institute for Women's Leadership; Centers for Global Advancement and International Affairs (GAIA Centers)

### **Thursday, February 25**

#### **Make It Better: What Corruption Means and What We Can Do About It**

**Zephyr Teachout** is a constitutional and property law professor at Fordham Law School, the CEO of Mayday PAC, and ran for Governor of New York in 2014. She is a vocal advocate for limiting the influence of money in politics.

**7:00 PM**

Trayes Hall, Douglass Student Center, 100 George Street, New Brunswick

More information and register: [eagleton.rutgers.edu](http://eagleton.rutgers.edu)

Sponsored by: Eagleton Institute of Politics

### **Thursday, March 3**

IRW Distinguished Lecture Series

#### **Black Girls and Ethnography Beyond Love and Struggle**

**Aimee Meredith Cox**, African and African American Studies, Fordham University

4:00 PM Reception

4:30 Lecture

Ruth Dill Johnson Crockett Building

162 Ryders Lane, New Brunswick

Sponsored by: Institute for Research on Women

### **Thursday, March 3**

#### **TFAP@TEN**

##### **Artists' Discussion and The Feminist Art Project 10th Anniversary Celebration**

**Artists:** Anonda Bell, Nancy Cohen, Jaz Graf, Babs Reingold, So Yoon Lym, and Adrienne Wheeler

**Moderator:** Midori Yoshimoto, Associate Professor of Art History and Director of the Visual Arts Gallery, New Jersey City Museum

**5:00 – 7:00 PM**

Mabel Smith Douglass Room, Douglass Library

Co-sponsored by: Art Library; Center for American Women and Politics; Center for Cultural Analysis; Center on Violence Against Women and Children; Center for Women and Work; Center for Women's Global Leadership;

Department of Art History; Department of Women's and Gender Studies; Douglass Residential College (DRC); Fine Arts Department-Camden; Institute for Research on Women; Institute for Women's Leadership; Margery Somers Foster Center; Mason Gross School of the Arts-Visual Arts; Paul Robeson Galleries-Newark; Office for the Promotion of Women in Science, Engineering, and Mathematics; Global Village, DRC; Zimmerli Art Museum. Additional co-sponsors: Associate Alumni of Douglass College (AADC) and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.

More information: [cwah.rutgers.edu](http://cwah.rutgers.edu), RSVP: [womenart@rci.rutgers.edu](mailto:womenart@rci.rutgers.edu)

## **Tuesday, March 8**

### **From Exclusion to Inclusion:**

### **250 Years of Women and Rutgers**

### **Join us to delve into the history of the scholarly contributions of women at Rutgers**

Welcome by Barbara Lee, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

**1:00 – 3:00 PM** Panel Moderated by Mary Hawkesworth, Professor, Women's and Gender Studies

#### **Excavating the Archive: Unearthing Diverse Women's Contributions to Rutgers**

- Kayo Denda (Margery Foster Somers Center, RUL)
- Kelly Hannavi (History and Women's & Gender Studies)
- Fernanda Perrone (Special Collections and University Archives, RUL)
- Meaghan Moody (Library and Information Sciences)
- Autumn Oberkehr (Journalism and Media Studies)
- Maegan Kae Sunaz (Political Science, Women's & Gender Studies)
- Meryem Uzumcu (Planning & Public Policy, Women's & Gender Studies, Middle-East Studies)

**3:15 – 5:00 PM** Panel Moderated by Mary Hawkesworth

#### **Transformative Scholarship: Remaking the Known World**

- Susan Carroll (Political Science and Eagleton Institute)
- Nicole Fleetwood (American Studies and Institute for Research on Women)
- Marisa Fuentes (History and Women's & Gender Studies)
- Judith Gerson (Sociology and Women's & Gender Studies)
- Cheryl Wall (Zora Neale Hurston Board of Governors Professor, English)

**5:00 – 6:00 PM Reception**

#### **Mabel Smith Douglass Room, Mabel Smith Douglass Library**

Co-sponsored by: Department of Women's and Gender Studies; Institute for Women's Leadership; Margery Somers Foster Center, Rutgers University Libraries; Center for Women in the Arts and Humanities; Office of the Vice President for Undergraduate Education.

## **Friday, March 18**

### **25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration**

### **Center for Women's Global Leadership**

Reception and Dinner

**6:00 – 8:30 PM**

Vermilion

480 Lexington Ave, NY, NY

Sponsored by: Center for Women's Global Leadership

## **March 18-19**

### **Ready to Run® NJ**

The Center for American Women and Politics (CAWP) will host Ready to Run®, a bi-partisan training program for women who want to run for office, seek higher office, work on a campaign, get appointed to office, or learn more about the political system in New Jersey. Topics covered include fundraising, navigating the political

parties, working with the media, and developing a campaign plan.  
More information available at: <http://www.cawp.rutgers.edu/ReadytoRun>

***Pre-conference program for women of color on March 18.***

Douglass Student Center, Rutgers-New Brunswick.

Sponsored by: Center for American Women and Politics

**Thursday, March 24**

**Election 2016: The Media, the Message and the Madness**

**Nicolle Wallace**, former communications chief for President George W. Bush; former co-host of ABC's "The View;" author of *Eighteen Acres*, *It's Classified*, and *Madam President*

**12:45 PM Lunch and Lecture**

Teleconference/Lecture Hall

Alexander Library, SCC 403

More information and to register: [eagleton.rutgers.edu](http://eagleton.rutgers.edu)

Co-sponsored by: Eagleton Institute of Politics and The School of Communication and Information

**Wednesday, March 30**

**Community Engagement for Women's Human Rights**

This event is an opportunity to listen and dialogue with feminist activists from three different organizations working in different contexts – human rights within a single city, immigrant rights and changing the narrative of violence. These women's career choices affirm the important interaction of work on women's human rights at the local, national and global levels.

**4:00– 5:30 PM**

Mabel Smith Douglas Library, 8 Chapel Drive, Douglass Campus

**For further information, contact:** [www.cwgl.rutgers.edu](http://www.cwgl.rutgers.edu)

Sponsored by: Center for Women's Global Leadership; Margery Somers Foster Center, Rutgers University Libraries; Douglass Global Village; Women's and Gender Studies.

**Thursday, March 31**

**2016 Susan and Michael J. Angelides Lecture by**

**A Conversation with**

**EVE ENSLER**

**Tony Award-winning playwright, performer, and activist; author of *The Vagina Monologues***

**4:00 PM**

Multi-purpose Room

College Avenue Student Center

Sponsored by: Institute for Women's Leadership; Center on Violence Against Women and Children, School of Social Work; Rutgers Office of Violence Prevention and Victim Assistance

**Monday, April 4**

**From the Raritan to the Potomac: Rutgers' Voice in Washington**

A conversation with Francine Newsome Pfeiffer, vice president for federal relations, Rutgers University. Francine Newsome Pfeiffer has chaired the Council on Government Affairs at the Association of Public Land-Grant Universities, as well as the Council on Federal Relations Steering Committee at the Association of American Universities (AAU). She is a frequent speaker on federal policies affecting higher education and on effective university engagement with Congress.

**5:30 PM Reception**

**6:00 PM Conversation**

Eagleton Institute of Politics, 191 Ryders Lane, New Brunswick

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**Thursday, April 7**

IRW Spring Symposium

All day event

Ruth Dill Johnson Crockett Building

162 Ryders Lane

New Brunswick, NJ

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**Monday, April 11**

The Louis J. Gambaccini Civic Engagement Series Presents

**The Honorable Sonia Sotomayor**

**US Supreme Court Associate Justice**

**3:00 PM**

Traves Hall, Douglass Student Center

100 George Street, New Brunswick, NJ

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**Wednesday, April 13**

**Doing Nothing / Nothin' Doin': Revisiting a Minimalist Approach to Performance**

Lecture by renowned dancer, choreographer, and filmmaker Yvonne Rainer in celebration of the 50th anniversary of her iconic Trio A work. MGSA dance students will perform this "revolutionary" work in celebration of Rutgers 250th year.

**7:30 PM**

Victoria J. Mastrobuono Theater

Sponsored by: Dance Department- Mason Gross School of the Arts; Center for Women in the Arts and Humanities

More information: <http://www.masongross.rutgers.edu/content/yvonne-rainer-doing-nothingnothin-doin-revisiting-minimalist-approach-performance>

**Wednesday, April 20**

**Race, Gender and the 2016 Election**

**Lecture by Nia-Malika Henderson**, CNN senior political reporter

2016 Senator Wynona Lipman Chair in Women's Political Leadership

**7:00 PM**

Douglass Student Center

**RSVP at: [cawp.rutgers.edu](http://cawp.rutgers.edu)**

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**Monday, April 25**

**Feminist Advocacy Global and Local Engagement Teach-in**

Come be a part of the process as Feminist Advocacy students engage you in thinking about issues like women's empowerment, gender equity, human rights and macroeconomic policy based on their experiences during the United Nations Commission on the Status of Women and interaction with global and local activists.

**5:00 – 7:00 PM** Contact Tables 1-4, Douglass Student Center

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Sponsored by: Center For Women's Global Leadership, Douglass Global Village, Douglas Residential College, Women's and Gender Studies.

**Wednesday, April 27**

2016 PLEN Forum

**Women in Public Leadership: The Inside Story**

**Featuring:**

**Marth McKenna**, Partner, McKenna Pihlaja, a Democratic media consulting firm

**Diane Allen**, NJ State Senator (1998- Present); NJ State Assemblywoman (1996-1998)  
**Mildred Krump**, Council President, Newark Municipal Council (2006-Present); Councilwoman, Newark (1996-2006), first African American Councilwoman  
3:30 – 5:00 PM  
Eagleton Institute of Politics  
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### **Monday, May 2**

#### **Junctures in Women's Leadership Book Series Launch**

Join IWL for the launching of two IWL books: *Junctures in Women's Leadership: Social Movements*, edited by Mary K. Trigg and Alison R. Bernstein, and *Junctures in Women's Leadership: Business*, edited by Lisa Hetfield and Dana M. Britton. These books, each featuring twelve case studies on women leaders, are the first two books in the eight-book *Junctures in Women's Leadership* series published by Rutgers University Press.

**12:30 PM**

Ruth Dill Johnson Crockett Building  
Sponsored by: Institute for Women's Leadership

### **Wednesday, May 4**

#### **IRW Undergraduate Learning Community Final Project Presentations**

3:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Ruth Dill Johnson Crockett Building  
162 Ryders Lane, New Brunswick  
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### **Thursday, May 12**

#### **IWL Leadership Scholars Graduation Celebration: "Reflections on Leadership Learning"**

**3:30 - 5:00 p.m.**

Ruth Dill Johnson Crockett Building  
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## **EXHIBITIONS**

### **January 19 – April 8, 2016, TFAP@TEN**

Exhibition in celebration of The Feminist Art Project's 10th Anniversary featuring six TFAP-NJ artists.  
Artists: Anonda Bell, Nancy Cohen, Jaz Graf, Babs Reingold, So Yoon Lym, and Adrienne Wheeler  
Gallery hours 9:00 AM-4:30 PM  
Mary H. Dana Women Artists Series Galleries, Douglass Library

Co-sponsored by: Art Library, Center for American Women and Politics; Center for Cultural Analysis; Center on Violence Against Women and Children; Center for Women and Work; Center for Women's Global Leadership; Department of Art History; Department of Women's and Gender Studies; Douglass Residential College (DRC); Fine Arts Department-Camden; Institute for Research on Women; Institute for Women's Leadership; Margery Somers Foster Center; Mason Gross School of the Arts-Visual Arts; Paul Robeson Galleries-Newark; Office for the Promotion of Women in Science, Engineering, and Mathematics; Global Village, DRC; Zimmerli Art Museum.  
Additional co-sponsors: Associate Alumni of Douglass College (AADC) and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.

More information: [cwah.rutgers.edu](http://cwah.rutgers.edu)

**April 20 – May 2**

**Women and Creativity House Student Exhibition**

Exhibition presenting the work of student artists living/working in the Women and Creativity House Living-Learning Community in the Global Village at Douglass Residential College.

Co-Curators: Stacy Scibelli, Instructor; Sarah Ferreira, Intern

**Gallery hours: Monday through Friday 9 AM-4:30 PM**

Mary H. Dana Women Artists Series Galleries, Douglass Library

Co-sponsors: Douglass Residential College, Center for Women in the Arts and Humanities

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**WOMEN & HEALTH INITIATIVE**

The Institute for Women's Leadership Consortium conducts the IWL Consortium Initiative on Women & Health. This initiative recognizes that women's health around the world is shaped as much by social, economic, political and environmental forces as by biology. The IWL Initiative on Women & Health features a two-year series of courses, activities, and programs designed to stimulate university-wide engagement around this topic.

**WOMEN, MEDIA & TECH INITIATIVE**

The Institute for Women's Leadership Consortium and the School of Communication & Information are collaborating on the new Women, Media & Tech Initiative to examine the ways media, including information technology and digital media, are reshaping culture and power relations in the world. The initiative features a series of programs, events and educational opportunities to examine the relationships of media technologies to democracy, social change, gender/racial equality, and public policy.

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**The Institute for Women's Leadership** is a nine-member consortium within Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, dedicated to the study of women and gender, advocacy on behalf of gender equity and to women's leadership for a just world. Founded in 1991, the consortium examines leadership issues and advances women's leadership in education, research, the arts, sciences, politics and government, the workplace and the world.

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