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JANUARY

Wednesday, January 19

CHHAYE DATAR

(Chatham/Fulbright Fellow from India)

"Women's Rights Within Family & Cultural Identity in India"

Noon - 1 p.m.

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(Brown Bag Lunch)

Wednesday, January 26

MADHU WANGU

(Pitt/History of Art & Architecture & Religious Studies)

"Hindu Goddesses: Symbols or Paradigms?"

Noon - 1 p.m.

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(Brown Bag Lunch)

Wednesday, February 9

Experiences of Islamic Women at Pitt

A Student Panel Discussion

Moderators:

KAREN PETERSON

(Pitt/Health Services Administration)

MAUREEN PORTER

(Pitt/School of Ed. Admin & Policy Studies)

Noon - 1 p.m.

Dining Room A William Pitt Union

(Brown Bag Lunch)

Wednesday, February 16

FILOMENA VARVARO

(WS Research Associate)

"Self-Esteem in Battered Women Living in Shelters"

Noon - 1 p.m.

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(Brown Bag Lunch)

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Thursday, February 17

Undergraduate Women's Studies Certificate Reception

Ballroom William Pitt Union

12:00 - 4:00 p.m. Student Presentations

7:00 p.m. Keynote Speaker:

Wednesday, March 22

MOLLY RUSH

(Thomas Merton Center)

"Moving Mountains: Dorothy Day, Rosa Parks & Women of Faith"

Noon - 1 p.m.

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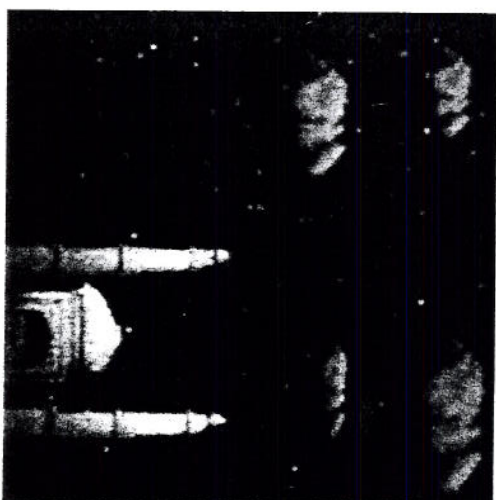
(Brown Bag Lunch)

Monday, March 27

MERVAT HATEM

(Howard/Political Science and author of "Class and Patriarchy as Competing Paradigms for the Study of Middle Eastern Women")

"Neo-Orientalists & Feminine Discursive Responses to Islamism in the Arab World"



FEBRUARY

Wednesday, February 2

SABRINA SOJOURNER

(US Representative Washington DC)

"The ABCs of Diversity"

8:30 p.m., David Lawrence Auditorium

Major Sponsors: Feminist Collective & Rainbow Alliance

Thursday, February 3

PEGGY REEVES SANDAY

(Penn/Anthropology Department and author of *Fraternity Gang Rape*)

"Acquaintance Rape: Sexual Subjectivity & the Meaning of Consent"

7 p.m.

120 David Lawrence Hall

Friday, February 4

PEGGY REEVES SANDAY

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"Eggi's Village: Rethinking Matriarchy Through Minangkabau Meanings"

3:00 p.m.

2M/2P56 Wesley W. Posvar Hall (formerly Forbes Quadrangle)

Major Sponsors: Anthropology Department; Sexual Assault Services; FAS Dean's Office; CAS Dean's Office; Office of the Provost; Office of Residence Life; Honors College

12:00 - 4:00 p.m. Student Presentations

7:00 p.m. Keynote Speaker:

RACHEL MAINES

(Winner of the Herbert Feis Award of the American Historical Association for best book by an Independent Scholar or Public Historian and the author of *The Technology of Orgasm: "Hysteria," the Vibrator, and Women's Sexual Satisfaction*)

"The Vibrator and the Issue of Orgasmic Mutuality"

Wednesday, February 23

RHONDA CLARKE

(WS Research Associate)

"Russian Women Publishers"

Noon - 1 p.m.

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MARCH

Thursday, March 2

JACQUELYN GRANT

(Callaway Prof of Systematic Theology/Inter-denominational Theological Center, Atlanta, and Author of *White Women's Christ & Black Women's Jesus: Feminist Christology & Womanist Response*)

"The Making of Womanist Theology"

7 p.m.

Kurtzman Room William Pitt Union

Co-sponsors: Office of the Provost; Honors College; Religious Studies Department; Pittsburgh Theological Seminary.

4 p.m.

Arab World"

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APRIL

Monday, April 3

ANDREA HIBBARD

(WS Research Associate)

"Amelia Norman, the Sentimental Novel, and Nineteenth-Century American Seduction Law"

Noon - 1 p.m.

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Tuesday, April 11

SALLY SCHLIPPERT

(WS Undergrad/Study Abroad)

Gender and Society in Nepal

Noon - 1 p.m.

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