

Life/Support

Fall 2025

The Humanities Institute at Stony Brook

September

10 *Faculty Lecture*
Immigration Detention Inc: The Big Business of Locking Up Migrants
Nancy Hiemstra (WGSS) in conversation with Deirdre Conlon (University of Leeds) Ulla D. Berg (Rutgers University—New Brunswick), and Sarah Tosh (Rutgers University—Camden)
In-person and via Zoom.
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM

16 *Q/F/T* Series*
Emergent Genders: Living Otherwise in Tokyo's Pink Economies
Michelle H. S. Ho (National University of Singapore)
Co-sponsored by WGSS, EGL, AAAS, The Japan Center at Stony Brook, and HISB.
3:30 PM | 1008 HUM

19 *Presentation*
Philosophy and Gaza
John Davenport (Fordham University) and Allegra de Laurentiis (PHI)
Co-sponsored by CCSP, HIS, AFS, WGSS, and HISB.
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM

23 *Pressing Matters*
Femicide: Interdisciplinary Approaches to a Global Historical Phenomenon
Julia Burkhardt (Ludwig Maximilians Universität)
Co-sponsored by HIS, WGSS, and HISB.
12:30 PM | 104 Frey Hall

30 *Faculty Lecture*
The Rooftop: A Culture Specific Feminine Space in Morocco—Fez, Marrakech, and Meknes
Rita S. Nemazi (DWR)
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM

October

7 *Pressing Matters*
A Conversation with Holly Jean Buck
(University at Buffalo)
In-person and via Zoom.
11:00 AM | 1008 HUM

15 *Pressing Matters*
Conscience Point
Film screening with award-winning documentary filmmaker Treva Wurmfeld
12:30 PM | 1006 HUM

A Conversation with Treva Wurmfeld
2:00 PM | 1008 HUM
In-person and via Zoom.

16 *Faculty Fellows Lecture*
Transforming Hempstead Plains: The Demise of the “Public Commons” on Long Island
Jennifer L. Anderson (HIS)
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM

20 *CAS Sir Run Run Shaw Lecture*
Presentation by the
Shinnecock Kelp Farmers
Co-sponsored by HISB.
12:30 PM | Staller Recital Hall

28 *Faculty Lecture*
Workers of War & Empire from New France to British America, 1688-1783
Richard H. Tomczak (HIS)
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM

November

5 *Faculty Lecture*
Women Writing Race in the 17th-Century English Atlantic: Civil Agents
Kristina Lucenko (DWR) in conversation with Jean E. Howard (Columbia University) and Bernadette Andrea (University of California—Santa Barbara)
In-person and via Zoom.
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM

7 *Conference*
On Call: June Jordan, Palestine, and the Black Radical Tradition
featuring authors Lena Khalaf Tuffaha and Alexis Pauline Gumbs
Co-sponsored by AFS, the Lichtenstein Center, and HISB
10:00 AM – 6:30 PM | 2001 HUM, The Poetry Center, and 1008 HUM

13 *Faculty Fellows Lecture*
Divine Dancers
Cristina Khan (WGSS)
5:00 PM | 1008 HUM



Dates, times, registration and locations of events are subject to change. Please see our website for the most up-to-date event information.

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