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**2015 ROBERT K. WEBB LECTURE**

# **THE REPUBLIC OF THE UNLETTERED:**

Were Slaves, Indians and Women Enlightened?

***SPEAKER: BIANCA PREMO***

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**When:**

**Wednesday,  
October 21, 2015  
4 pm**



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Reception to  
follow.

This talk explores what it means to write an intellectual history of the Enlightenment among those who could not read or write—namely enslaved people, women, and the indigenous inhabitants of colonial Spanish America, who sued in royal courts during the eighteenth century.

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