Women's History Month, March 2015: Weaving the History of Women's Lives

4//Wednesday

What's the (T)ea: Gendering Religion
12-1pm in Student Life's Mosaic Center
The Mosaic Center's monthly social justice dialogue series
continues with an intersectional discussion about the role that
women and gender have played in various world religions. All
UMBC students, staff and faculty are welcome!

Telling Our Stories: Music & Poetry Workshop 3-5pm in the Women's Center

Led by singer-songwriter QueenEarth and spoken word artist and singer-songwriter Hollywood Infinite, this workshop will help women of color develop creative skills for self-expression.

Distinguished Lecture in Psychology:
Dr. Janet Shibley Hyde
"Men Are from Earth, Women Are from
Earth: Science vs. the Media on
Psychological Gender Differences"
4pm in the Albin O. Kuhn Library Gallery
The media portray psychological differences between women and
men as large and biologically determined - men are from Mars,
women are from Venus. Dr. Hyde's research uses the statistical
method of meta-analysis to investigate whether these claims are
accurate. The results are surprising.

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Returning Women's Forum:
Dependable Strengths Workshop
11:30-12:30pm in the Women's Center

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Women's Appreciation Event
12-2pm on Commons Main St
Crafting activity sponsored by the Mosaic Center.

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Telling Our Stories: Photo Booth
11-2pm on Commons Main St
Add your voice to the Women of Color Coalition's "I Am/I'm Not"
campaign, by taking a stand against racial and gender
stereotypes faced by women of color.

Women's in the Workforce Discussion 7:30pm in Engineering 027

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Women's History Month Fair 12-1pm on Commons Main St

Telling Our Stories: Photo Booth 11-2pm on Commons Main St

Also, check out my.umbc.edu/groups/womenscenter for news and updates, including spotlights on students in the Center for Women in Technology The 8th Annual Korenman Lecture:
Maria Gabriela "Gaby" Pacheco,
"The Paths We Make as We Go: the
Narrative of an Undocumented Immigrant
Woman in the U.S."

4pm in Albin O. Kuhn Library, 7th Floor
Pacheco currently serves as the Program Director of The
Dream US, a national organization that provides higher
education fellowships to undocumented immigrants. She has
gained national recognition for her advocacy of the DREAM Act
and passage of comprehensive immigration reform.

12//Thursday

Lecture with Jana Rehak, "Women Political Prisoners and Socialism in Czechoslovakia: Gendered Pain, Body and The State"

2pm in the Women's Center Lounge

Dr Rehak will address the pain and social suffering of female Czechoslovakian political prisoners between 1948 and 1989 who were subjected to continuous interrogations shaped by physical and psychological torture.

Documentary Screening: Screaming Queens

7:30pm in the Women's Center Lounge
Join the Women's Center community for a screening of a
historical documentary on the trans and queer activists that
took part in the landmark Compton Cafeteria Riots. There will
be a concluding discussion to continue the dialogue about
trans women's erasure from history.

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Lecture with Sara Poggio and Maria Amelia Viteri, "Body, Education and Political Leadership from the Perspective of Gender and Feminist Studies" 1-2:30pm in the Dresher Center

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Invisible Voices:

Gender and Immigration Roundtable
1-2:30pm in the Women's Center Lounge
The Women's Center invites you to listen and participate in a
roundtable discussion on the intersections of gender and
immigration.

26//Thursday

A Production of "These Shining Lives"
8pm in the Black Box Theater
\$15 general admission,
\$10 students and seniors

Based on true events, this production chronicles the strength and determination of the women who worked at the Radium Dial Clock Company in Ottawa, Illinois during the 1920s and 1930s. More info and showtimes can be found at umbc.edu/arts.