

Women's History Month 2021
Emory celebrates Women's History Month 2021

The Emory community celebrates Women's History Month with a variety of online events throughout March.

"The pandemic caused us to abruptly abandon last year's Women's History Month celebrations the moment they began," says Chanel Craft Tanner, director of Emory's Center for Women. "This year, we were nervous that after a year of doing virtual programming and living through the pandemic, the community would be too exhausted to celebrate. We were touched by all the ways our community came together to continue the Emory legacy of celebrating women by honoring our accomplishments, recognizing our contributions to this institution and the world, and acknowledging our struggle."

"I am so proud of our students, faculty, staff and alumni," Tanner continues. "While this will be a Women's History Month unlike one we've ever seen, I am certain that by the end of this month, women at Emory will be reminded that this is an institution that deeply values our existence."

Observances began last week with the 2021 Women of Excellence Awards on March 4 (watch the [event replay](#)). The event, hosted by Emory's Center for Women and the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, honors those who have demonstrated extraordinary dedication to issues affecting women at Emory and in the broader community.

[Read more in the Emory Report](#)


Emory Women's History Month Keynote
Beyond the Games: Black Women and Sports – Past, Present, and Future

Center for Women, Office of Racial and Cultural Engagement (RACE), and Department of History

March 18, 2021
4:30pm

In celebration of women's history month at Emory University, join Elisabeth Akinwale, co-founder of 13th Flow Performance System, LaNita Campbell, Emory's Director of the Office for Racial and Cultural Engagement, Keiko Price, Emory's Clyde Partin Sr. Director of Athletics, and special guest, Renee Montgomery, executive, co-owner of the Atlanta Dream, with Emory history professor, Carl Suddler, and Emanuelle Mottley (22C) for an important conversation on Black women, sports, and athletic lessons beyond their playing days. Following the panel, the speakers will answer questions from the audience.

[Register Required](#)

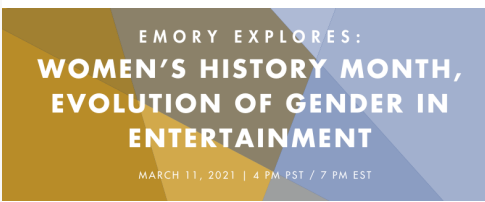

Emory Programming


Emory Cinematheque Film Screenings and Discussions
Department of Film and Media

March 10-13

[Registration Required](#)

Join the Emory Cinematheque for a screening of four films by Sarah Maldoror from March 10 to 12: Monangambe, A Dessert for Constance, Leon G. Damas and Eia Pour Cesaire. Registrants will receive links to watch each of the films online March 10, 11 and 12. A [virtual panel](#) featuring Maldoror's daughter Annouchka de Andrade will be held Saturday, March 13, at 4 p.m. to discuss the films.

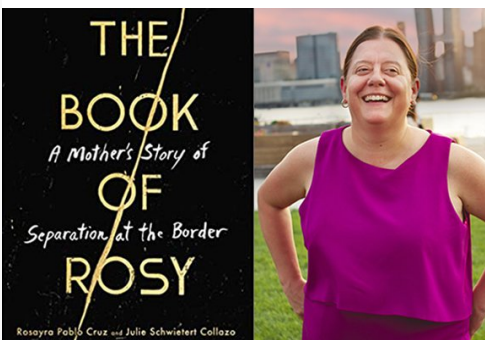


Emory Explores: Women's History Month, Evolution of Gender in Entertainment
Emory Alumni Association

Thursday, March 11, at 7 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

Join the Emory Alumni Association for a panel of Emory faculty and alumni who have worked in a variety of entertainment roles as they discuss issues related to gatekeeping and gender representation in the field of arts and entertainment.



The Book of Rosy: A Mother's Story of Separation at the Border Discussion
Emory Alumni Association

Thursday, March 11, at 7 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

Join the Emory Alumni Association for a discussion of "The Book of Rosy: A Mother's Story of Separation at the Border," written by 2021 Women of Excellence honoree author Julie Schwieter Collazo. The discussion will be moderated by Xochitl Marsilli-Vargas, an associate professor of Spanish in Emory's Department of Spanish and Portuguese.



The Raymond Danowski Poetry Library Reading Series Presents: Joy Harjo
Emory's Rose Library

Saturday, March 20, at 4 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

"The Raymond Danowski Poetry Library Reading Series Presents: Joy Harjo" will feature the US poet laureate in an online reading, open to the public at no charge. A member of the Muskogee (Muscoogee or Creek) Nation, Harjo is the first Native American to hold the position. Emory University was founded in 1836 on the historic lands of the Muskogee (Creek) people, 15 years after the First Treaty of Indian Springs (1821) through which the US government acquired this area of land from the Muskogee Nation. After this treaty, many Muskogee people relocated to Alabama, and were then forcibly removed to present-day Oklahoma on the Trail of Tears in 1836. Harjo's poetry directly engages these histories of removal, displacement, dispossession, loss, resilience, and resistance.

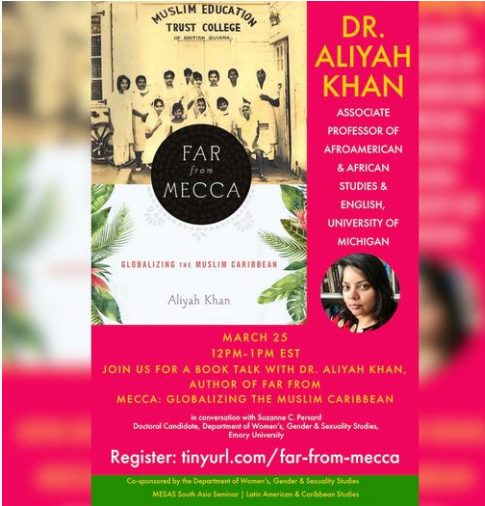


LunaFest Women's Film Festival
Center for Women

Wednesday, March 24, at 7 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

LunaFest is the world's first all-women film festival that began in 2001. The festival celebrates a powerful and diverse set of women filmmakers and gives their short films a national platform. LunaFest has gone on to raise more than \$5 million in efforts to support women in film and this year will showcase the work of seven female filmmakers.



Far from Mecca: Globalizing the Muslim Caribbean with Dr. Aliyah Khan
Department of Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies; South Asia Seminar Series; Latin America and Caribbean Studies

Thursday, March 25, at 12 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

Join us for an exciting upcoming book talk: "Far from Mecca: Globalizing the Muslim Caribbean" with Dr. Aliyah Khan in conversation with Emory WGSS PhD candidate Suzanne Persard.



Reproductive Justice is a Human Right
School of Medicine, Rollins School of Public Health, Laney Graduate School

Friday, March 26, at 12 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

Loretta Ross is an award-winning, nationally-recognized expert on racial justice, women's rights, and human rights. Her work emphasizes the intersectionality of social justice issues and how the application of an intersectional lens can fuel transformational change.



2021 Pride Awards
Office of LGBT Life

Tuesday, March 30, at 6 p.m.

[Registration Required](#)

Join the virtual celebration highlighting the contributions of our community members and celebrate our graduating LGBTQ+ students. Varying year to year, these awards showcase the great work many people do behind the scenes for LGBTQ+ equality. Students are also awarded scholarships to acknowledge their work with the community and to enable them to continue striving toward equity.



Graduating Women of Excellence Pinning
Center for Women

Wednesday, March 31, at 6 p.m.

The Graduating Women of Excellence Pinning honors graduating women across the college, graduate and professional schools who have demonstrated great effort, strength of character and excellence during their time at Emory. If you would like to submit a brief congratulatory video to this amazing class of women, you can do so [here](#).

Resources
Women's History Month Book List

Celebrate the amazing women who have made history. From scientists to historians, actors, and writers, we're taking a look at their remarkable achievements.

[Read More](#)

Must-Read Kids' Books for Women's History Month

March is Women's History Month, a time to celebrate the accomplishments of women and also inspire a new generation of young women. As parents, we may have good intentions of educating our children about these important figures, but it's a daunting task. After all, there are so many amazing women. We've simplified this complex topic with six kid-friendly books that feature strong, successful women. Spoiler alert: boys will like them too

[Read More](#)

March is Women's History Month

The Library of Congress, National Archives and Records Administration, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Gallery of Art, National Park Service, Smithsonian Institution and United States Holocaust Memorial Museum join in commemorating and encouraging the study, observance and celebration of the vital role of women in American history.

[Learn More](#)

Apple celebrates Women's History Month and International Women's Day

Feature stories and highlights honor powerful female voices in the App Store and Apple TV app, on Apple Music and Apple Arcade, and in curated collections for App News, Apple Podcasts, Apple Books, and more.

[Learn More](#)


Women's History Month: March 2021

As we celebrate Women's History Month 2021, we reflect upon advances women have made over the last decade. Women have increased their earnings and education, fields of occupation and continued to live longer than men. Below are stats from Census Bureau surveys highlighting how women's employment has changed over the years. We appreciate the public's cooperation in helping us measure America's people, places and economy.

[Learn More](#)

