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Women's and Gender History Symposium

Department of History

Now in its 17th year, the graduate Women's and Gender History Symposium at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign showcases graduate research that foregrounds histories of women, gender, and sexuality. This year's symposium theme is: *Migration and Movement in Women's and Gender History*. The symposium will be held March 3rd in third floor of the IPRH building.

MARCH 3, 2017

Panel #1 - Beyond Geography:

Gender and Women in Non-Traditional Spaces

Panel #2 - Colonial Mobility:

Race, Gender and Mobility in the Colonial Setting

Panel #3 - Gender, Race, and Space:

Migrants in Refugee Centers

Panel #4 - The Active City:

Mobility, Activism and Gender in an Urban Environment

Keynote Speaker:

Karen Flynn



Associate Professor of Gender and Women's Studies
Associate Professor of Center for African Studies
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Professor Flynn is a historian of the Black Atlantic world, with primary research and teaching interests in gender, migration, race, and sexuality.

Her first book, *Moving Beyond Borders: Black Canadian and Caribbean Women in the African Canadian Diaspora*, uses post-colonial feminist theory in combination with diasporic black studies to look at migrant black women who were nurses in Canada immediately following World War II.

Her current research examines the role of black TEFL teachers in South Asia.

Where:

Levis Faculty Center, Room 300
919 West Illinois Street
Urbana, IL 61801

When:

Panel #1: 8:30am-10:15am
Panel #2: 10:30am-12:15pm
Professionalization Roundtable:
12:30-1:45
Panel #3: 2:00pm-3:45pm
Panel #4: 4:00pm-5:45pm
Keynote: 6:30pm

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