Middle East and North Africa Studies Program presents

Islam, Feminism, and the Women's Mosque Movement



This symposium brings together scholars from multidisciplinary perspectives to explore the histories and contemporary debates on the themes of Islamic feminism and their application in the areas of law, democracy, globalization, and writing. Case studies of the women's mosque movement explores women's spiritual leadership and its role in the production and transmission of knowledge. The symposium highlights the contributions of Muslim women's activism and examines and challenges popular representations of women and Islam.

When:
Friday,
October 27th, 2017
9:00am - 5:00pm
Morning Session

9:00am - 12:30pm Afternoon Session 2:00pm - 5:00pm

Where:
Gerlinger 302,
University of Oregon

Featuring: Kemi Balogun, Diane Baxter, Sarah Eltantawi, Fatuma Gedi, Azadeh Ghanizadeh, Ellen McLaney, Therese Saliba, Irum Shiekh and Amina Wadud

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