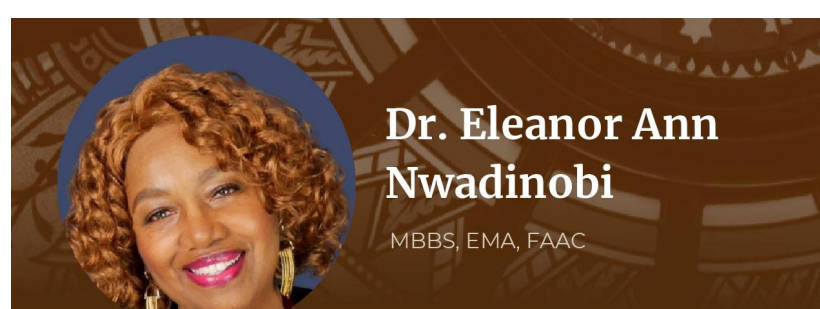


Check out the latest from the Office of Diversity, Inclusion & Equity!



March is National Women’s History Month, a time to study, observe and celebrate the vital role of women in American History. The celebration’s origins go back to 1981 when Congress passed a public law authorizing and requesting the President to declare the week of March 7, 1982 as Women’s History Week. The week designation continued for the next five years, until a petition by the National Women’s History Project led to the designation of March 1987 as Women’s History Month. Congressional resolutions and presidential proclamations since then have continued the designation for the month of March. Multiple national agencies have exhibitions, collections and resources available at <https://womenshistorymonth.gov/>

Image: Highsmith, Carol M, photographer. The "When Anthony Met Stanton" sculpture, by artist Ted Aub, in Seneca Falls, New York. United States Seneca Falls New York New York State, 2018. -07-19. Photograph. <https://www.loc.gov/item/2018700261/>.



The Many Shades of Violence Against Women and Girls:

Tuesday

19

MARCH

7:00 PM

Sinclair Lab Auditorium

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

A human rights violation, a public health emergency, and an existential threat requiring urgent global action

Dr. Eleanor Nwadinobi is a medical doctor and international health, women, peace and security, gender and human rights expert. She holds a European Union masters in Human rights and Democratization (EMA) from Venice, Italy.

Please contact incasip@lehigh.edu with any questions.

Presented by Africana Studies, College of Health, Health, Medicine, and Society, Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies, Center for Gender Equity, Office for Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity, and the UN Office



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Dr. Eleanor Ann Nwadinobi (MBBS, EMA, FAAC) presents a public talk on **The Many Shades of Violence Against Women and Girls: A human rights violation, a public health emergency, and an existential threat requiring urgent global action**. Dr. Eleanor Nwadinobi is a medical doctor and international health, women, peace and security, gender and human rights expert. She holds a European Union masters in Human rights and Democratization (EMA) from Venice, Italy. The talk will take place on Tuesday, March 19th at 7pm in Sinclair Lab Auditorium, and is free and open to the public. This event is presented by the Africana Studies program, the College of Health, the Health, Medicine, and Society program, the Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Program, the Center for Gender Equity, the Office of Diversity, Inclusion, & Equity, and the UN Office. Please contact incasip@lehigh.edu with any questions.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED



LEHIGH UNIVERSITY

Office of Diversity, Inclusion & Equity

COMMUNITY TOWN HALL

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20TH
3:15 PM - 4:45 PM

LTS CIRCLE AND ZOOM
GO.LEHIGH.EDU/TOWNHALL TO REGISTER!

HIGHLIGHTING INITIATIVES TO HELP MAKE "A LEHIGH FOR EVERYONE" INCLUDING:
THE UNIVERSITY FOOD PANTRY,
"LIBRARY EXCELLENCE IN ACCESS AND DIVERSITY" AWARD
AND THE HEDS DIVERSITY & EQUITY CAMPUS CLIMATE SURVEY

SUBMIT QUESTIONS IN ADVANCE TO DIVPE@LEHIGH.EDU

IF YOU ARE AN INDIVIDUAL WITH A DISABILITY AND NEED ACCOMMODATIONS IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS EVENT, PLEASE CONTACT US IN ADVANCE AT TMP28@LEHIGH.EDU



Join the Office of Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity on Wednesday March 20th from 3:15-4:45 PM for a Community Town Hall highlighting initiatives to help make "A Lehigh for Everyone", including:

- The University Food Pantry
- The Library Excellence in Access and Diversity Award
- The HEDS Diversity & Equity Campus Climate Survey

Dr. Donald Outing, Vice President for Equity and Community, will be leading the Town Hall, featuring Greg Reihman, Vice Provost for Library and Technology Services, Yen DeBellis, Assistant Health and Wellness Center Director and Director HAPS, and Robert Robinson, Director of the Office of Multicultural Affairs. The event will take place in person at the LTS CIRCLE, or via Zoom. [Register for the Zoom option here.](#)



Building A Community of Belonging | Saturday, April 13, 2024, 9:00 to 4:30

Building C - Mountaintop Campus

113 Research Drive, Bethlehem, PA 18015

Join alumni of all ages and stages for this summit. Throughout the day, you will enjoy discussions, breakout sessions, and networking opportunities that promote professional and personal growth. The goal of this summit is to connect you with fellow alumni, provide valuable insights, and continue to strengthen our inclusive Lehigh community.

Click the link to learn more about this event or to register today: <https://go.lehigh.edu/alumnisummit> RSVP by April 5, 2024.

Welcome Dinner Event Details

Date: Friday, April 12, 2024
Times: 6:00 p.m.
Location: TBA
Cost: \$25 (Dinner and Summit)

Summit Event Details

Date: Saturday, April 13, 2024
Times: 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Location: Building C - Mountaintop Campus
Cost: \$15 Summit only

Angry Girl Poetry

Join us for writing sessions, spoken word performances, workshops, and more!

All gender identities welcome

Meetings: 2/21, 2/28, 3/27, 4/10, 4/24
Christmas Saucon Rm 201 (OMA)
4:30pm

Contact ...

- Clara McAuley (cam327@lehigh.edu) with club-related questions
- Azalea Chacón (amca21@lehigh.edu) if you need accommodations in order to attend this event

Join **Angry Girl Poetry** for writing sessions, spoken word performances, workshops and more! All gender identities are welcome. The next meetings will be held on March 27, April 10 and April 24 in Christmas Saucon Room 201 at 4:30 PM.

For accommodations for meetings, email amca21@lehigh.edu; for club related questions email cam327@lehigh.edu.

SUBMIT TO THE FEMINIST MAGAZINE

In my Birthday Suit Vol. 4
Theme: Rage Against the Patriarchy

What difference do you wish to see? What has the patriarchy taken from you? Give us **ALL YOUR FEMINIST RAGE!**

SCAN TO SUBMIT OR EMAIL
INMYBIRTHDAYSUITGEG@GMAIL.COM
*DEADLINE MARCH 22, 2024
QUESTIONS: INCGE@LEHIGH.EDU

Submit to the feminist magazine **In My Birthday Suit**. Volume 4's theme is *Rage Against the Patriarchy*. What difference do you wish to see? What has the patriarchy taken from you? Give us all your feminist rage! Scan above to submit or email inmybirthdaysuit@gmail.com by March 22. Email incge@lehigh.edu with questions.

DONATION BOXES FOR MENSTRUAL PRODUCTS

LOCATION:
CHRISTMAS SAUCON (BY STAIRCASE)
Fairchild-Martindale Library (Next to Help Desk Table)

WHAT ARE ACCEPTED:

- MENSTRUAL PADS**
Disposable or reusable pads. Can be accepted either in packs, boxes or unopened single pads
- TAMPONS**
Disposable tampons. Can be accepted in boxes or unopened single tampons
- MENSTRUAL CUPS**
Reusable silicone or rubber cups. Can be accepted brand new
- PERIOD PANTIES**
Period Underwear. Can be accepted brand new

OUR MISSION: WE WILL DONATE MENSTRUAL PRODUCTS AND MONETARY DONATIONS TO THE ST. LUKE'S NURSE-FAMILY PARTNERSHIP & TURNING POINT LEHIGH VALLEY

The Center for Gender Equity and Panhellenic Council are collecting menstrual products now through March 31. Donation boxes are located in Christmas-Saucon by the staircase, and in Fairchild-Martindale Library next to the Help Desk table. Donations will benefit the St. Luke's Nurse-Family Partnership & Turning Point Lehigh Valley. Accepted items include: menstrual pads (packs, boxes or unopened singles), tampons (boxes or unopened singles), menstrual cups (brand new), and period panties (brand new). Email incge@lehigh.edu for more information.

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UNIVERSITY FOOD PANTRY

Are you in need of a snack, small grab & go meal and/or health-related item?

TWO LOCATIONS

HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER
JOHNSON HALL - 3RD FLOOR
36 UNIVERSITY DRIVE
M-F, 8-4:30

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
GRADUATE STUDENT LOUNGE
111 RESEARCH DRIVE
IACOCCA 1ST FLOOR

SOME AVAILABLE ITEMS

- Fresh fruit
- Salad kits & vegetables
- Tuna, mac n cheese, soups, oatmeal, ramen
- Various types of granola bars, crackers, trail mix, cereal
- And more!

Health-related items available at Johnson Hall location only.

**Please consider taking the survey located in the lobby space. Feedback is greatly appreciated and will support grant & funding needs/requirements. Questions? email Yen DeBellis ngn217

Are you in need of a snack, small grab & go meal and/or health related item? The University Food Pantry can help! Available items include fresh fruit, salad kits & vegetables, tuna, mac & cheese, soups, oatmeal, granola bars, crackers, trail mix, cereal and more! Two campus locations for ease of access—one at the Health & Wellness Center, Johnson Hall 3rd Floor, and one at the College of Education Graduate Student Lounge in Iacocca Hall's 1st Floor. (Health related items are at the Health & Wellness Center location only.) Email Yen DeBellis with questions at ngn217@lehigh.edu.

Your Voice Matters.

I think... I feel...

COMPLETE THE HEDS DIVERSITY & EQUITY SURVEY BY APRIL 18

Have you filled out the HEDS Diversity and Equity Campus Climate survey yet? All faculty, staff and students received an email on Monday March 18 from Lehigh@hedsconsortium.org with their individual link. The survey usually takes less than 15 minutes to complete, and your participation is **voluntary**. We deeply appreciate your willingness to provide information that will help us to better understand the extent to which our campus climate supports diversity and equity. As a token of appreciation for your time, you may be randomly selected for one of the following thank-you gifts: a \$100 Amazon gift card (two available), a \$50 Amazon gift card (four available), or a \$20 Amazon gift card (20 available). The information you provide in this survey will be used to inform and improve support, policies, and practices at Lehigh, but your responses will remain **completely anonymous**. The survey is open until April 18. Summaries of previous administration of the survey are available here: <https://data.lehigh.edu/campus-climate-survey>

Questions about the survey can be sent to vpec@lehigh.edu