



BOSTON COLLEGE  
OFFICE FOR INSTITUTIONAL DIVERSITY

# WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

MARCH 2025

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***MARCH 1, 2025 - MARCH 31, 2025***

As we step into March, we invite you to join us in celebrating Women's History Month. This is a time to honor the history, culture, and invaluable contributions of women. Therefore, we encourage you to explore a variety of sources that highlight the incredible achievements and contributions of women throughout history. By engaging with these materials, we can deepen our understanding and appreciation of women's history, and continue to build a more inclusive and equitable society for all.

*Our list highlights some resources and events for the Women's History month celebration across BC campus and the Boston community, but there's so much more to discover. We encourage you to continue exploring.*

# Resources/Events @ BC



## What is the Women's Collaborative?

Since 1972, the Women's Collaborative of Boston College has provided a welcoming space for women faculty and staff to connect, learn from one another, and build a supportive community. Through engaging programming and open discussions, the Women's Collaborative fosters opportunities for personal and professional growth, while creating a network of women dedicated to uplifting each other.

If you would like to learn more about this affinity group, please visit the [website](#).



The Women's Collaborative hosts events throughout the academic year, featuring discussions on key issues, community-building activities, and talks from inspiring speakers. All women faculty and staff are encouraged to participate, contribute ideas, and help shape a vibrant and inclusive community at BC.



## **Lunch and Learn: Financial Aid (Women's Collab)**

- **Date:** Wednesday, March 12, 2025
- **Time:** 12:00pm to 1:00pm
- **Location:** McElroy 237 (Conference Room)

**For more details click [here](#)**

## **Chambers Lecture: Living a Life of Purpose with Barbara Pierce Bush**

- **Date:** Thursday, March 13, 2025
- **Time:** 4pm
- **Location:** Heights Room

**For more details click [here](#)**



*Inaugural Nancy Marzella Lecture on Women  
and American Catholicism*

## **Enslaved to the Jesuits: What Women of the First U.S. Diocese**

- **Date:** Tuesday, March 25, 2025
- **Time:** 5:30pm to 7pm
- **Location:** Devlin Hall 101

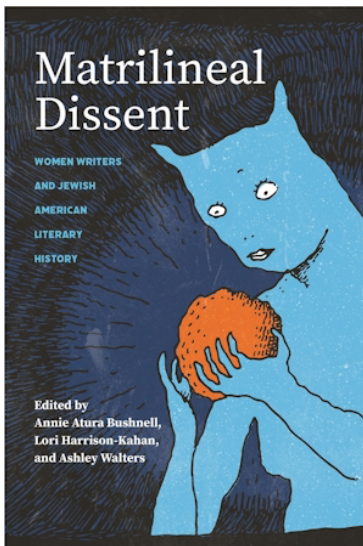
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# BC Faculty Work Highlight/ Books



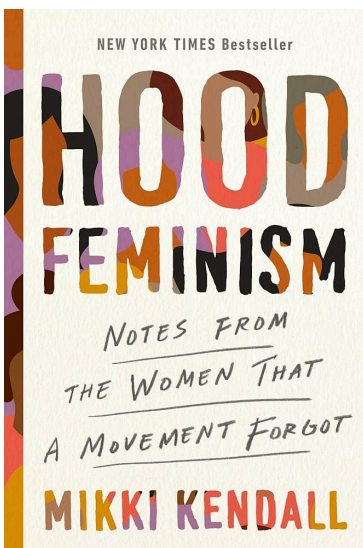
## Lori Harrison-Kaha

Lori Harrison-Kahan specialized in American literature and culture, women's writing, and comparative race and ethnic studies. She has edited award-winning works such as *The Superwoman and Other Writings* by Miriam Michelson. Her recently published work includes a book on pioneering Jewish American women writers and a Penguin Classics edition of Elizabeth Garver Jordan's writings. Her research has been supported by prestigious institutions, and she teaches various courses at Boston College on American literature and culture.



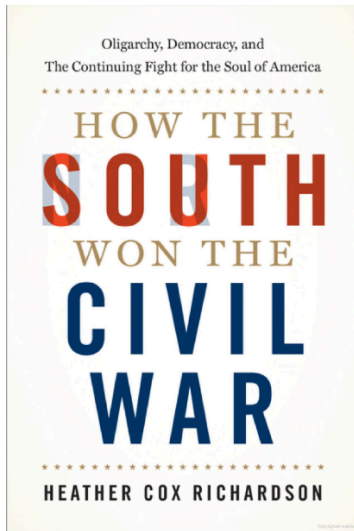
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- Bushnell, Annie Atura, et al., editors. *Matrilineal Dissent: Women Writers and Jewish American Literary History*. Wayne State University Press, 2024.



## Hood Feminism

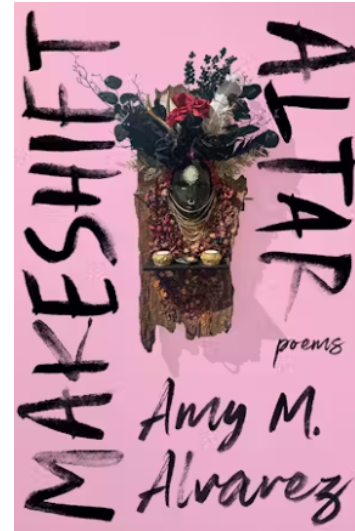
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**How the South Won the Civil War :  
Oligarchy, Democracy, and The  
Continuing Fight for the Soul of America**

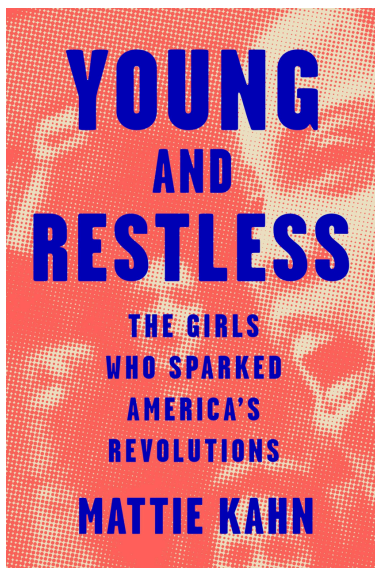
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**Makeshift Altar, Poems**

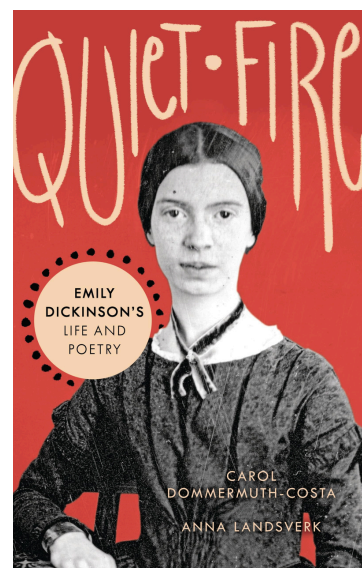
by Amy M. Alvarez,  
([In BC Library](#))



**Young and Restless:  
The Girls Who Sparked  
America's Revolutions**

by Mattie Kahn

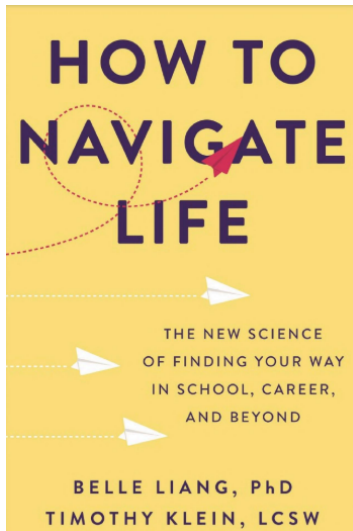
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**Quiet Fire:  
Emily Dickinson's Life  
and Poetry**

by Carol Dommeruth & Anna Landsverk

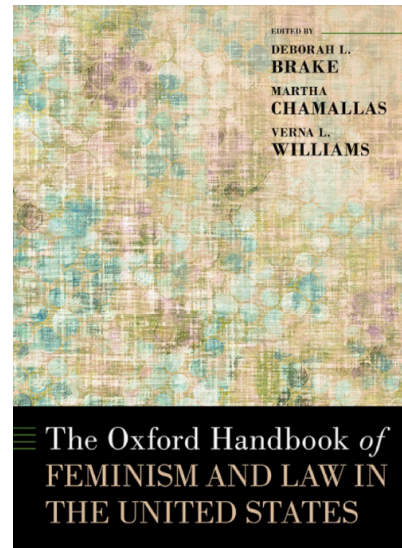
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## How to Navigate Life

by Belle Liang and Timothy Klein

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## The Oxford Handbook of Feminism and Law in the United States

by Brake, Deborah L  
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# Community Resources/Events: Local Spots to Discover



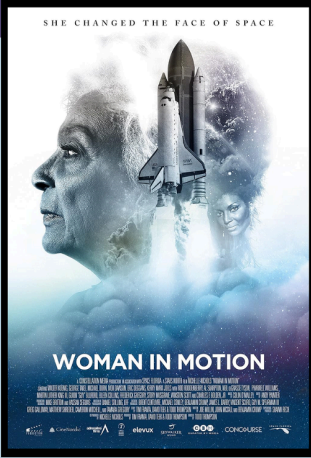
## Boston Women's Heritage Trail

Boston Women's Heritage Trail invites you to attend special events, or join guided tours to follow in the footsteps of remarkable women who have shaped Boston's history.

256 Commonwealth Ave, Boston, MA 02116

# DOCUMENTARY CLUB

AT THE MATTAPAN BRANCH



**WOMAN IN MOTION**

**MARCH 4  
5:30 PM  
UNRATED**

**DISCUSSION  
TO FOLLOW**

## Documentary Club: Woman in Motion

- **Date:** Tuesday, March 4, 2025
- **Time:** 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM
- **Address:** 1350 Blue Hill Ave  
Mattapan MA 02126

For more details click [here](#)



## Women's 10 Miler & 5K

- **Date:** Sunday, March 30th, 2025
- **Time:** 7:45 am
- **Address:** 760 Boylston St,  
Boston, MA 02199

For more details click [here](#)

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## International Women's Day 2025

*Empowering Environments: Women Leading  
Change in Our Communities*

**March 11, 2025**

**6:00-8:30pm**

**Boston Public Library, Rabb Hall  
700 Boylston St, Boston MA**

## International Women's Day 2025

- **Date:** Tuesday, March 11th, 2025
- **Time:** 6:00 - 8:30pm
- **Address:** 700 Boylston  
Street Boston, MA 02116

For more details click [here](#)

# Women-Owned Restaurants



**Sumiao Hunan Kitchen**  
270 Third St, Cambridge, MA 02142

**Chinese Cuisine**

**For more details, click [here](#).**

**Sweet Cheeks Q**  
1381 Boylston St, Boston, MA 02215

**Barbecue restaurant**

**For more details, click [here](#)**



**Saltie Girl**  
1381 Boylston St, Boston, MA 02215  
**Seafood Bar**

**For more details, click [here](#).**



*"When someone shows you who they are, believe them – the first time." – Maya Angelou*