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“Politics, Human Rights, and the Art of Commemoration”

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International House Community Room, 7 p.m.

Dr. Hite’s lecture will examine the global proliferation of memorials commemorating atrocity. She will trace the complex relationships among art, politics, and representation that emerge in the creation of memorials, and invite us to think about the role memorials play in inspiring collective political action in the aftermath of political violence.


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