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You are cordially invited to the
2019 Ato Quayson Lecture in Diaspora and Transnational Studies

We Have Always Been Queer

presented by

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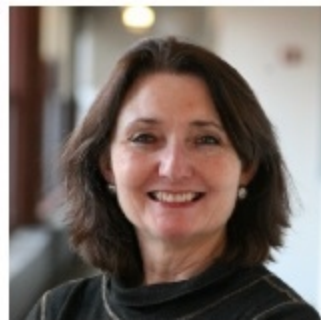
Thursday March 28, 2019

5:00pm—6:30pm

The Victoria College Chapel

91 Charles Street West

In June, 2014, during the Hemispheric Institute's Encuentro (eight day conference/performance event) in Montreal, a very queer dispute erupted in the assembly of some eight hundred participants. A 'queer' dispute because everyone on all sides of the clash self-identified as queer and trans and because it questioned the meaning, scope, and politics of the terms as well. The dispute also questioned the ability of communities of self-identified "WEs" to talk and listen across perceived injuries and divides.



The lecture will be followed by an informal reception with light refreshments.