Ariyana Smith’s 4.5 minute on-court demonstration in Clayton, MO confirmed the galvanizing power of the student-athlete activist to raise consciousness and exact social change.

Rhodessa Jones is Co-Artistic Director of the San Francisco acclaimed performance company Cultural Odyssey. Jones is also the director of the award-winning Medea Project: Theatre for Incarcerated Women.

Barbara Smith is a lesbian feminist and socialist who has played an instrumental role in building and sustaining Black Feminism in the U.S.

The Monument Quilt is a public healing space by and for survivors of rape and abuse.

Leah Lakshmi Piepzna-Samarasinha is a queer, disabled, femme writer, performance artist, and educator. Her writings have appeared in Colonize This, Yes Means Yes, and Dear Sister.

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19 - Where We Stand | Ariyana Smith
26 - Are You Mad? White Feminism 101 | Christelle Boursiquot & Allie Fry

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2 - Black Women’s Experiences with Sexual Assault: Reflections on the 10th Anniversary of No! The Rape Documentary | Student Panel Selected by the Black Student Union
9 - Conference to Campus: Queering Colgate | Creating Change Conference Attendees
16 - Socialist Pasts and Queer Futures: LGBT Life & Activism in Post-Socialist Romania | Prof. Lavinia Nicolae
23 - Zines: Feminism & Do-It-Yourself Media | Prof. Kim Creasap, Jake Mahr ’17, & Hannah O’Malley ’17

MARCH

1 - The Medea Project: Where Art & Social Activism Meet | Rhodessa Jones
8 - Ain’t Gonna Let Nobody Turn Me Around: Forty Years of Movement Building | Barbara Smith & Alethia Jones
22 - Birthing Stories | Kerra Hunter, Profs. Rebecca Metzler, Alicia Simmons, & Susan Woolley
29 - The Monument Quilt: A Guide to Upsetting Rape Culture | Hannah Brancato, Deletta Gillespie, & Rebecca Nagle

APRIL

5 - The Art and Practice of Disability Justice | Leah Lakshmi Piepzna-Samarasinha
6 - Gay Steelworkers: Exploring How We Imagine Queer Folks and How Working-Class Bodies Expand Queer Meanings | Anne Balay
12 - Unpacking the Feminist/Womanist Ethics of Studying Abroad | WMST Interns
19 - Gender & Leadership: An Outdoor Education Panel | Nicole Cormier ’19, Anna Heil ’16, Meg Ryan ’16, Sierra Larson ’16, Nick Gilbert ’17, Ben Oliver
26 - Feminist Praxis and the Places We Learn Part I | WMST Senior Concentrators
28 - Feminist Praxis and the Places We Learn Part II | WMST Senior Concentrators