

FALL RECEPTION AND BOOK PARTY

October 2, 2019

Guild Lounge

4:30 p.m.

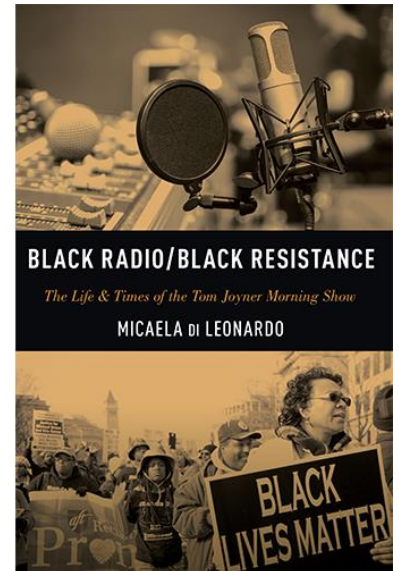
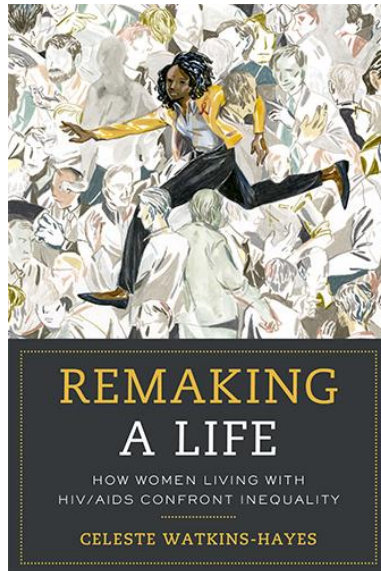
MODERATOR:

Steven Thrasher

AUTHORS:

Celeste Watkins-Hayes

Micaela di Leonardo



Northwestern professor **Celeste Watkins-Hayes** will discuss her new book, [*Remaking A Life: How Women Living with HIV/AIDS Confront Inequality*](#). The work is based on more than a decade of interviews with over 100 women living with HIV/AIDS as well as activists, advocates, policy makers, and service providers involved in HIV work. What she found was remarkable: women's movement from *dying from* to *living with* to *thriving despite* HIV and other injuries of inequality, done with the support of the HIV/AIDS community.

Northwestern professor **Micaela di Leonardo** will discuss her new book, [*Black Radio/Black Resistance*](#), which narrates the history of the wildly popular but oddly underappreciated *Tom Joyner Morning Show*, a drive-time syndicated show with progressive politics, wicked humor, and deeply satisfying adult soul music. *Black Radio* analyzes *TJMS*'s rise, shifting personnel and conventions, and its activist involvements over a quarter-century, illuminating working/middle-class African American lives and apprehensions, media history, and American politics.

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