



31st Annual EDITH HARRIS ENDOWED MEMORIAL LECTURE

Thursday, November 15, 2018

3 to 5 pm

Wayne State University
Community Arts Auditorium



The Wayne State University School of Social Work and Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development are proud to welcome

Elizabeth Kita, PhD, LCSW

Private and Public Social Work Clinician
Community Lecturer, UC Berkeley, Social Welfare
Chair of the Coalition for Clinical Social Work (CCSW)

Presents

“They hate me now but where was everyone when I needed them?”: Trauma, mass incarceration, and social work praxis through a psychoanalytic lens

Elizabeth Kita is a clinical social worker in public and private practice working with incarcerated and formerly incarcerated clients, those suffering from complex PTSD, secondary traumatic stress and vicarious traumatization. Those attending this lecture will be able to identify the causes of mass incarceration, including those related to racism, trauma and precarity, understand how mass incarceration functions as a social defense against collective anxieties related to race and class, and identify ways to address the causes and consequences of mass incarceration in their social work practices.

Interested in having your students attend the lecture for class credit? We can track attendance for you! Simply contact Betsy Vanderstelt at fq0994@wayne.edu with your student roster and we will send you the attendance record after the lecture!

This FREE event is open to students, alumni, faculty, staff, and the public and has been approved by the MI Social Work Continuing Education Collaborative for 2 CE contract hours at a cost of \$10 under CE Approval #: MICEC-0058. No pre-registration is required. The Community Arts building is located at 450 Reuther Mall, Detroit MI 48202.