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The CNY Humanities Corridor and the Composition, Labor, and Embodiment working group present

DEBORAH MUTNICK

Rethinking Pathways to Freedom in an Era of Economic Austerity



Wednesday, February 27
2:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m

Killian Room, 500 Hall of Languages
CART Service will be provided.

In this public talk, Professor Deborah Mutnick will describe how a community-based course she developed that used library, archival, and digital literacies to deepen students' understanding of academic research and writing was complicated by the troubled socio-economic context of Long Island University Brooklyn, which has seen the imposition of a strict austerity regime and a contentious labor struggle in recent years.

Deborah Mutnick is professor of English at Long Island University's Brooklyn campus. She is author of *Writing in an Alien World: Basic Writing and the Struggle for Equality in Higher Education* (1996), and her work has appeared in numerous journals and edited volumes. She is co-editor with Laurie Grobman of *Reflections: A Journal of Public Rhetoric, Civic Writing, and Service Learning*.

WORKSHOP: Professor Mutnick will offer a workshop entitled "Using Story Circles for Curricular Development in the Age of Global Capitalism" on Wednesday, February 27, 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. in Tolley 304. Space is limited; please RSVP to Erika Dwyer at ecdwyer@syr.edu by February 19. Include any requests for accessibility accommodations. For more information, visit <http://humcenter.syr.edu/events.html>.