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DEMOCRATIZING KNOWLEDGE presents: REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE & OUR COMMUNITIES

Dr. Griselda Rodriguez-Solomon
in conversation with

Village Birth International (Syracuse NY)

5:00 PM Monday March 26, 2018

Peter Graham Scholarly Commons, Bird Library

Dr. Griselda Rodriguez-Solomon is a mother, Birth Justice Advocate, Professor at the City College of New York, and kundalini yogi. Trained under Ancient Song Doula Services, Griselda's praxis is grounded in advocacy around the rights of women of color during and after birth. She's authored a chapter in the anthology *Birthing Justice: Black Women, Pregnancy and Childbirth*. The home-birth of her son Talib transformed her life.

Village Birth International advocates for respectful maternity care. Founded in 2006, VBI engages maternal health models that work for families and carry a wide-reaching impact on communities. In Syracuse, VBI's work with women of color, refugees and LGBTQ families also engages the ways systemic racism, national identity, and economic conditions affect birth outcomes and maternal and family well-being.

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Event is free and open to the public.

