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Barbara Ransby, Professor of African American Studies, Gender and Women's Studies, and History at the University of Illinois at Chicago, is the author of the award-winning biography, *Ella Baker and the Black Freedom Movement: A Radical Democratic Vision* (University of North Carolina Press, 2003). Ransby writes widely for numerous popular and scholarly publications, including Progressive Media Project, which distributes her columns nationally. In addition to the program *Eighty-Four* on Chicago Public Radio, she has contributed to over a dozen audio and film documentaries. A feminist activist committed to fostering university-community collaborations, Professor Ransby was one of the coordinators of African American Women in Defense of Themselves in 1991, *Ella's Daughters* in 2006, and *A movement Re-imagining Change (ARC)* in 2009.

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