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# LECTURE SERIES

Date: April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Time: 3:30 – 4:30 pm

Location: Thompson Hall 109

A reception will follow the  
presentations and Q&A session

## OVERVIEW

The School of Languages, Cultures, and Race invites you to join us at the SLCR Lecture Series where we will present research produced at WSU on the intersections of gender, species and colonial power.

The event will include two researchers who will explore how dominant systems of knowledge have historically erased alternative modes of relating to the natural world. From the multispecies labor practices of Coast Salish women to the ecological imagination of a neurodiverse protagonist in contemporary Latin American fiction, the talks will offer a critical reflection of the ways in which colonial, capitalist and anthropocentric logics impact reality.

# WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES

## PRESENTERS



### Dr. M.A. Miller

- Assistant Professor of Gender, Race, and Health
- Department of Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
- College of Arts and Sciences



### Dr. Etna Ávalos

- Assistant Professor of Spanish and Latin American Studies
- Affiliate Faculty in the Program in Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
- School of Languages, Cultures, and Race
- College of Arts and Sciences

## MODERATOR:

### Dr. Héctor Rendón

- School of Languages, Cultures, and Race

This event is free and open to students, faculty, and the community.

Also available on Zoom, via this link: [click here](#). Passcode: 459893

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