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## Black Feminist Genealogies: The Making of SOLHOTLex

Wednesday, May 31st, 10-11:30am Women's Center, Conference Room (Food will be served)



Dr. Chamara Jewel Kwakye and Mekha McGuire will discuss their process of expanding SOLHOT from its original location in Urbana-Champaign, Illinois to Lexington, Kentucky. They will answer questions on how frameworks like womanism and post-colonial feminist theory inform engagement around solidarity in SOLHOT-Lex and organizing Black girls while examining what critically engaged organizing looks like when the voices of Black girls are in symphony with the rest of the world's resistance struggles.

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