2026 Women's History Month Presents

Before the Ballot: How Women Built Civic Power

Thursday, March 12

10:30-11:30 a.m. | FA 133

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Before they could vote, women organized communities, practiced democracy, and built civic power through nationwide club networks. This talk reveals how their collective action, rooted in care, education, and voluntarism, quietly reshaped American democracy and helped pave the way for the 19th Amendment.

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