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Please join us for a guest talk and conversation with Professor Leah DeVun on DeVun's new book, *The Shape of Sex: Nonbinary Gender from Genesis to the Renaissance*. We will discuss the rich history DeVun traces in premodern Europe through the intersections of race, religion, sex, and gender.

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Leah DeVun is Associate Professor of History and Vice Chair for Undergraduate Education at Rutgers University, a multi-media artist, and a curator. DeVun focuses on the history of gender, sexuality, science, and medicine in pre-modern Europe, as well as contemporary queer and transgender studies. DeVun is also the author of *Prophecy, Alchemy, and the End of Time*, winner of the 2013 John Nicholas Brown Prize, and co-editor (with Zeb Tortorici) of *Trans*historicities*, a special issue of *TSQ: Transgender Studies Quarterly* (2018) devoted to transgender history before the advent of current categories and terminologies of gender.

