



WORKING WITH FIRE: MAKING BLACK FEMINIST LIBERATION IN THE SOUTH

ON FIRE TALK: LAURA MCTIGHE AND DEON HAYWOOD FREE PUBLIC EVENT

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4-6 PM
McCune Conference Room, HSSB 6020
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This talk opens in the wake of the 2012 arson attack on Women With A Vision, a Black feminist collective that refused the terror of this attack and rose from the ashes to carry its foremothers' work forward. In their talk, McTighe and Haywood will show us how the flames meant to destroy them also gave birth to new dreams. Audience Q&A and a reception will follow.

Laura McTighe is an ethnographer, organizer, and associate professor of Religious Studies at Florida State University. She cowrote *Fire Dreams: Making Black Feminist Liberation in the South* with Women With A Vision. Deon Haywood is an activist, human rights advocate, and community leader from New Orleans who has led Women With A Vision since 2005.



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