Film Screening & Discussion

POTO MITAN: Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy

Newcomb Feminist Film Series featuring discussion and reception with filmmaker Mark Schuller

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2010
Goldring/Woldenberg Hall II, Room 1111
7:00 P.M.

Join us for a special screening of Poto Mitan: Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy with director Mark Schuller, and a special reception to follow. Told through the lives of five courageous Haitian women workers, Poto Mitan gives global economy a human face. Each woman’s personal story explains neoliberal globalization, how it is gendered, and how it impacts Haiti. And while Poto Mitan offers an in-depth understanding of Haiti, its focus on women’s subjugation, worker exploitation, poverty, and resistance demonstrates these are global struggles. Initiated by the subjects themselves, Poto Mitan aims to inspire solidarity and activism to end injustice in the global economy.

This event is open to the public.

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