CALL FOR PROPOSALS

RHETORICS OF REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE IN PUBLIC AND CIVIC CONTEXTS

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Reproductive rights in the United States are under assault from social, economic, and political mechanisms that seek to dismantle individuals' abilities to make informed reproductive choices—or any reproductive choices at all. These examples illustrate the urgency for and the possibility of community-based rhetorics that speak to, define, and make visible methods of counteraction. We seek examinations and examples of public rhetoric and civic writing that engage reproductive justice. More specifically, this special issue focuses on community activities and activism as sites of resistance.

With this in mind, we seek submissions that will serve rhetorical and public scholars of reproductive justice in helping shape and define this growing research area. We also welcome works that consider potential usage by non-academic stakeholders.

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Please note that we are announcing this CFP early to provide researchers additional time gather community-engaged research connected to reproductive justice.

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