The SDSU LGBTQ Research Consortium Presents

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The Queer Life of Diaspora:
Race, Religion, and Resistance in Colorblind Europe

This talk takes a comparative approach to processes of radicalization in order both to complicate US-centric readings of (post)raciality and to challenge notions of a colorblind Europe. Focusing on translocal queer of color activism across the continent, Prof. El-Tayeb traces racialized communities’ resistance to a system of neoliberal multiculturalism that is as present on the continent as it is in the US.

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2:00pm - 4:00pm

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