

Sunday, March 7 - 3:00 pm

Paying Tribute to Haitian Women

Brecht Forum, 122 West 27th Street, 10 Fl.

[Between 6th & 7th Avenues in Manhattan] Subway: # 1 or 9 to 28th -7th Ave. N or R trains to 28th St. at Broadway, all 6th Avenue trains (D, B, F) to 23rd or 34th Streets, the PATH trains at 23rd Street

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Haitian Women: Portraits of Courage

Photo Exhibition Tequila Minsky

3:00 pm Reception

“The enormous strengths of Haitian women often go unrecognized. From images made during the last ten years in Haiti this exhibition pays tribute to the women of Haiti and the efforts and courage it takes to live their lives.” – T. Minsky, 2004

5:30 pm Roundtable Discussion

Witnessing the Struggles and Challenges in the Lives of Haitian Women
A discussion on the gains and obstacles during the 200 years of Haitian society

Dr. Carolle Charles, sociology professor, Baruch College of CUNY

with:

Mme Clotilde Charlot, founder and former Executive Director, **CPFO**.

The only Haitian woman’s organization servicing women factory workers in Haiti.

Mme Gepsye Metelus, community activist and Executive Director, **Santla**, Miami

Mme Farah Tanis, co-founder and Executive Director of **Dwa Fanm**

Mme Margareth Garnier Simon, lawyer and radio reporter, **Fanm Lakay**

Followed by (Approx. 7:45 pm)

Literary readings by Haitian women in the Diaspora
Mmes Lily Cerat, Jaira Placide, Fania Simon and others

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