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EVERYDAY HUMANITIES

MEDIEVAL WOMEN AND THE STORY OF THE EUROPEAN WITCH

Dr. Christine Neufeld

English, Eastern Michigan University

Tuesday, March 7th

7:00 pm

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How did a society where educated officials for many centuries were inclined to be skeptical about magic transform into a space where tens of thousands of people were executed for practicing witchcraft? And why were a disproportionate number – up to 70% - of those executed women? Come learn with Dr. Christine Neufeld (Professor of English, Eastern Michigan University) about the rise of the European "witch craze" through medieval and early modern stories, visual arts and historical trial accounts.

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