

The Indiana Democracy Consortium



KIMBERLEY COLES

RECOMBINANT DEMOCRACY PROMOTION

THURSDAY MARCH 5, 1:00-2:30 PM

WOODBURN HALL 218

The Indiana Democracy Consortium is happy to host Kimberley Coles, Assistant Professor of Cultural Anthropology at the University of Redlands. Professor Coles will discuss how the mingling of different strands of thought concerning democracy promotion has affected the practices of democracy aid workers in the contemporary world

Professor Coles' research focuses on the techniques and processes of democratization as understood and implemented by the personnel of the international community. Her recent book, *Democratic Designs: International Intervention and Electoral Practices in Post-War Bosnia-Herzegovina*, analyzes the production of democratic knowledge through the deployment of seemingly a cultural and apolitical objects and subjects.