**DOING OUR TIME ON THE OUTSIDE**

A Conference on Carceral Justice

Friday, February 10, 2023

12:00 to 5:00 pm

Humanities Institute at Stony Brook University

The goal of the conference is to showcase some of the work done to date through the Doing Our Time on the Outside project, and to engage the audience in a discussion on using a story-based strategy in carceral justice reform.

**Arrival and mingling: Noon**

**Opening remarks: 12:30**

* Greetings by Susan Scheckel, Humanities Institute at Stony Brook University & Joseph Murphy, Humanities New York
* Introduction and context setting by the Hon. Judge Fernando Camacho

**Session I: 1:00 – 2:30**

**The Strength in Our Stories: Re-entry Journeys for Power and Change**

* Moderator: Erika Duncan, Founder and Director, History Writers Network
* Readers:
* A video of Victoria Roberts reading *The Visit*; former Nassau County Re-Entry Taskforce Coordinator and Herstory at Hofstra workshop facilitator
* Rich Paul, Strong Youth, on memoir moments of incarceration and re-entry
* Jessica Lowell Mason reading *Invitation to Terror*; Founder and Director, Madwoman in the Attic Project; Herstory Co-facilitator for Reimagining Mental Healthcare
* Panelists: Readers and keynote speaker will be joined in a panel discussion by Barbara Morrell, Director of the Criminology Department, St. Joseph’s College
* Followed by audience participation

**Break/Networking**: 2:30 – 3:00

**Session II: 3:00 – 4:30**

**Help Not Punishment: Prison Families Writing for Change**

* Moderator: Erika Duncan, Founder and Director, History Writers Network
* Readers:
* Barbara Allan, Founder of Prison Families Anonymous, reading from her book *Doing Our Time on the Outside*
* Marcellus Morris, Reign for Life, and Aysiah Morris, entrepreneur, on breaking the cycle of incarceration and re-entry across the generations
* Maria Ceraulo reading Page One Moment, National Alliance for Mental Illness
* Panelists: Readers and keynote speaker will be joined in a panel discussion by Liena Gurevich, Director of Criminology Program at Hofstra University
* Followed by audience participation

**Closing: 4:30 – 5:00**

**Reception to follow**

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