The Brandeis Departments of History and AAAS Present:

Heather Ann Thompson

"The Attica Prison Uprising of 1971 and why it matters today"

Dr. Heather Ann Thompson is the Pulitzer Prize and Bancroft Prize-winning author of *Blood in the Water: The Attica Prison Uprising of 1971 and Its Legacy* (Pantheon Books, 2016). *Blood in the Water* has been optioned by TriStar Pictures. Thompson is a professor of History, Afro-American and African Studies at the University of Michigan. She also served on a National Academy of Sciences blue-ribbon panel that studied the causes and consequences of mass incarceration in the U.S.

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