

# DIGGING IN THE CRATES

CELEBRATING HIP HOP SCHOLARSHIP VIA COMMUNITY CREATION

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## Gender & Hip Hop

**Thurs  
April 19  
6:30 - 8 p.m.**

Newman Library  
1st Floor Multipurpose Room

Join **Blair Ebony Smith** [PhD Candidate at Syracuse University and artist-scholar with organizing collective Saving Our Lives Hear Our Truths (SOLHOT) as well as girl-band We Levitate], and **Kyesha Jennings** (Hip Hop Scholar and Curator/English Lecturer at NC State University) for a discussion of how issues of gender manifest in hip hop culture.

**Performances and an open cypher to follow. #VTDITC**



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