

100th Anniversary of the 19th Amendment

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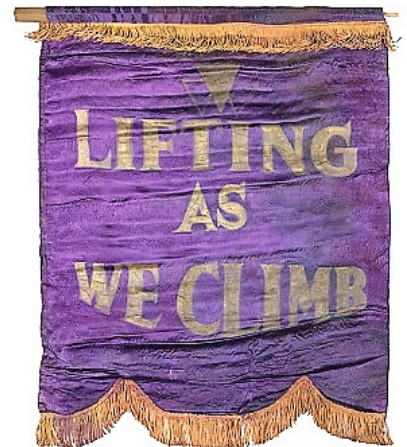
A Series of Events on Women's Suffrage
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“Lifting as We Climb”

African American Women and the Fight for Suffrage in the Nineteenth-Century Northeast

Speaker: Dr. Kabria Baumgartner, author and professor of American Studies, UNH
Saturday, March 21, 3pm (Doors Open @2:30)
York Public Library, 15 Long Sands Rd



Dr. Kabria Baumgartner will discuss the history of African American Women's Suffrage, highlighting how the Women's Suffrage movement often excluded and undercut the voices of black and brown people. When its history was written, they rendered women of color, and their important and significant contributions to the fight for equality, invisible.

The talk will recognize the work of lesser known female suffragists of color such as Mary Church Terrell, Frances Ellen Watkins Harper, Sarah Parker Remond, and others. The work of these women of color is evident today in the historic representation by a diverse group of women in Congress. But it's clear there's much more work ahead. Q&A Follows.

Upcoming Events in this Series

Sat., April 25, 10:30-Noon — Book Discussion: *The Woman's Hour*, by Elaine Weiss. Offered in association with York Library's "York Reads" program. Discussion leader: Julie Weiss.

Fri., May 8, 3-4:30pm — Artist Reception: Portrait artist, Robert Shetterly, will present a compelling narrative about the history of the women's suffrage movement. Selected portraits from Shetterly's "*Americans Who Tell the Truth*" collection, will be on display at the Library throughout *May and June*.

To Be Announced: July 4 — Old York Exhibit; Fall 2020 — Panel Discussion

All Events are Free and Open to the Public. For more info: www.YorkDiversityForum.org