BCRW FALL 2014 EVENTS

HEALTHY MINDS, HEALTHY MUSCLES: ALICE PETERSFORD'S PRACTICE AND THE PRACTICE OF POSITIVITY

Tuesday, 10/07 6:30 PM

Hosted with the National Domestic Workers Alliance.

Full details and registration available at bcrw.barnard.edu.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL DONNA DES ROUX

Tuesday, 10/07 7:00 PM

With Danyelle Thomas

All events are free, wheelchair accessible.

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Sponsored by Columbia's Institute for Research in African-American History and Culture.
DIRECTOR’S NOTE

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