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VISIONARY WOMEN

Morris Library

Rotunda and Guyon Auditorium

Thursday, March 21, 2019

4:30 - 7 pm



Kate Germano is the author of *Fight Like A Girl: The Truth Behind How Female Marines Are Trained*, co-written by Kelly Kennedy.

She was a United States Marine Corps officer for twenty years, retiring in July 2016. After being relieved from command of the only all-female unit in the entire Department of Defense, she gained national attention for taking a stand against the Marine Corps on issues of systemic gender bias and lowered standards and expectations for female recruits and Marines.

Her writing on national security, gender, and leadership has been published in national media outlets to include the New York Times, Time magazine, U.S. News and World Report, and the Washington Post. She has also been featured on NPR, Vice News Tonight, C-SPAN, and the PBS NewsHour.

Wine and hors d'oeuvres reception

Joyce Hesketh, Harpist

5 - 6 pm

Alcoholic beverages will not be served to anyone under 21

Silent Auction

4:30 - 5:45 pm in Rotunda

Presentation by Kate Germano
and award ceremony

6 - 7 pm in Guyon auditorium

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