LeMoyne-Owen College’s Center for African & African American Studies Celebrates Women’s History Month

Wednesday, March 6, 2013
11 a.m.

Metropolitan Baptist Church
767 Walker Ave., Memphis, TN 38126

In honor of LeMoyne-Owen College’s 150th anniversary celebration, the Sesquicentennial Legacy Lecture Series continues with special guest Dr. Amrita Myers of Indiana University. A historian and author of Forging Freedom: Black Women and the Pursuit of Liberty in Antebellum Charleston (University of North Carolina Press, 2011), Dr. Myers will lecture on the challenges women in North Carolina overcame to make stellar contributions in the struggle for freedom and equality for African Americans.

The theme of the Sesquicentennial Celebration, “A Journey in Justice,” reflects the past and present contributions of a diversity of persons to the promotion of social justice through educational advancement. The Women’s History Month lecture focuses on women’s contributions to education.

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