



Motherhood Initiative for Research and Community Involvement

The Motherhood Initiative for Research and Community Involvement (MIRCI) announces the **Mother Outlaws' Speakers Series**- a free monthly event open to the public presenting topical issues on motherhood and feminism.

Wednesday, October 19, 2011

7 00 pm- 9 30 pm

**The Pantages Hotel
Room Hall 1/2
200 Victoria Street, Toronto**

Feminist Mothering and Maternal Pedagogies Both In and Outside the Classroom

In honor of MIRCI's international conference on Mothering, Education and Maternal Pedagogies (October 20-22, The Pantages Hotel), the following panel will present three personal narratives that illustrate how a feminist mothering identity influences one's parenting pedagogies in the home as well as in diverse educational settings.

“Queering Feminist Mothering: Reflections of a Feminist Mother Living With and Learning from a Queer Son”

Fiona Joy Green, PhD, Chair of the Department of Women's and Gender Studies at the University of Winnipeg.

“It's a Boy! It's a Girl! It's a Travesty! Questioning Sex Disclosure and Gender Assignment”

Kathy Witterick and **David Stocker**, Toronto parents, educators and activists

“Teen Moms: How They Have Enriched My Personal and Professional Life”

Deborah Byrd, Associate Professor of English and Women's and Gender Studies at Lafayette College.

For full panel abstracts and more info, please visit our website
<http://www.motherhoodinitiative.org/motheroutlaws.html>