DEPARTMENT OF EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT EDUCATION

College of Education, Florida Atlantic University



HOOT* Presents... Portraits of Disability in Cinema

This colloquium and guided discussion will be led by

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*HOOT: Honoring Outstanding Owl Teachers

Expanding research and practice to prepare educators for the future.

Abstract

Representations of persons with disabilities are now more common in popular media. Yet, there are many stories to be told. In this session, representations of 'disability' will be presented through movie clips. Each clip will provide a glimpse into the lives of people with disabilities. The intent is to encourage critical thinking about the disability experience and what popular media may or perhaps more importantly does not reveal about this experience.

Friday, January 27, 2017

Agenda

6:00-6:10 Introductions

6:10-6:20 HOOT Program Overview

6:20-7:10 Colloquium

7:10-7:30 Q&A/Discussion

6-7:30 PM

III A/B Parliament Hall FAU, Boca Campus Come and learn about the DESE's Honors in the major program, HOOT, and/or engage in a "high impact" activity around your major. Light refreshments will be served.

Please RSVP by Jan. 24 to sdarlin4@fau.edu

This event is open to all education majors.

This event is offered in fulfillment of a series of enrichment activities for the Department's *Honoring Outstanding Owl Teachers (HOOT), the honors-in-the-major program within the Exceptional Student Education major in the College of Education. For additional information about the HOOT program, contact the honor's program coordinator, Dr. Darling at sdarlin4@fau.edu or 561.297.0807.

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