

Virtual Celebration of 150 Years of Women at Yale

Women at 50 Yale 150

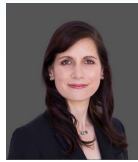
THE SPEAKERS



Li Yun Alvarado '02



Elizabeth Alexander '84



Katherine Baicker '93



Tanya Bannister '01 MusPF



Kanya Balakrishna '09



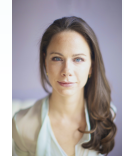
Regina Bain '98, '01 MFA



Frances Beinecke '71, MFS '74



Tessa Berenson '14



Barbara Bush '04



Felicia Escobar Carrillo '99



Anna Maria Chávez '90



Rachel Cheung '13 MusM



J. Weili Cheng '77



Dr. Esther Choo '94



Secretary Hillary Clinton '73



Leslie Cockburn '74



Wendy Maldonado D'Amico '93



Abigail Disney '82



Rev. Kaji Douša '06 MDiv



Monica Drake '94



Molly Epstein '04



Jodie Foster '85



Beverly Gage '94



Tamar Gendler '87



Kyle Gibson '78



Dr. Cheryl Grills '80



Rhiana Gunn-Wright '11



Linda Hammond '73



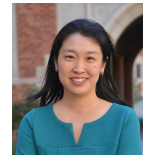
Masu Haque-Khan '95



Dr. Patricia Nez Henderson '94 MPH, '00 MD



Margaret Homans '74, '78 PhD



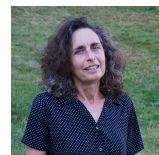
Denise Ho '00



Grace Hsieh '07



Senator Amy Klobuchar '82



Elizabeth Kolbert '83



Dr. SreyRam Kuy '09 M of Health Science



Joanne Lipman '83



Desiree Lopes '15 MEM / MBA



Linda Koch Lorimer '77 JD



Nancy Yao Maasbach '99 MBA



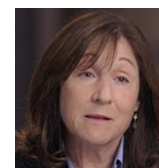
Emthithal (Emi) Mahmoud '16



Carmelyn Malalis '96



Jenny Martinez '93



Jane Mayer '77



Miko McGinty '93, '98 MFA



Sheryl Carter Negash '82



Risé Nelson



Congresswoman Katie Porter '96



Ambassador Samantha Power '92



Gov. Gina Raimondo '98 JD



Ana Ramos-Zayas '90



Eve Hart Rice '73



Cristina Rodriguez '95, '00 JD



Wazhma Sadat '14, '19 JD



Robin Sears '93 MF



Diala Shamas '06, '11 JD



Robin Walker Sterling '93



Sarah Stillman '06



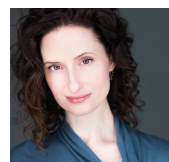
Janni Lehrer-Stein '78



Rahiel Tesfamariam '09 MDiv



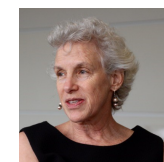
Krish O'Mara Vignarajah '01, '01 MA, '08 JD



Kathleen Wallace '95



Kate Walsh '77, '79 MPH



Joan C. Williams '74



Janet Yellen '71 PhD

Women at 50 Yale 150

Virtual Programming Inspired by
50WomenAtYale150 September 24 - 27, 2020

SCHEDULE	
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2020	
3:00 pm – 3:05 pm	Welcome remarks Regina Bain '98, '00 MFA
3:05 pm – 3:10 pm	Welcome Jodie Foster '84
3:10 pm – 3:20 pm	Welcome President Peter Salovey A.B., A.M. '86 PhD 23rd President of Yale University, Chris Argyris Professor of Psychology
3:20 pm – 4:20 pm	The Quest for a Just World In the wake of the murders of George Floyd and Breonna Taylor, protests and conversations about racial equity have proliferated around the globe. This panel will discuss the systemic reforms needed to reverse centuries of injustice. <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Sheryl Carter Negash '82 • Dr. Cheryl Grills '80, Loyola Marymount University • Rahiel Tesfamariam '09 MDiv, Activist • Rev. Kaji Spellman Douša '06 MDiv, Senior Pastor, Park Avenue Christian Church • Diala Shamas '06, '11 JD, Center for Constitutional Rights • Carmelyn Malalis '96, Commissioner and Chair of NYC Commission on Human Rights
4:20 – 4:30 pm	COVID Conversations I Dr. SreyRam Kuy '09 M of Health Science , Baylor College of Medicine
4:30 – 4:40 pm	Piano Performance Rachel Cheung '13 MusM Classical Pianist

4:40 pm - 4:45 pm	Spotlight Conversation A Blind Study: Disability and Equity at Yale and Beyond Janni Lehrer-Stein '78 National Disability Rights Advocate
4:45 – 5:40 pm	Art Now How have Yale women creatives in the visual arts, architecture, theater, music, and drama left an indelible mark on artistic production and practice for the last 150 years? Panelists will examine this legacy and look to the future. <u>Speakers:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Miko McGinty '93, '98 MFA, Graphic Designer • Molly Epstein '04, Curator • Regina Bain '98, '01 MFA, Executive Director, Louis Armstrong House Museum & Archives • Tanya Bannister '01 MusPF, President, Concert Artists Guild • Nancy Yao Maasbach '99 MBA, President, Museum of Chinese in America (MOCA)
5:40 pm - 6:00 pm	Spotlight Conversation Making Change When Change is Hard Ambassador Samantha Power '92 <i>with Wazhma Sadat '14, '19 JD</i>
	Closing remarks Regina Bain '98, '00 MFA

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2020

3:00 pm – 3:05 pm	Welcome remarks Kathleen Wallace '95
3:05 pm – 3:25 pm	Spotlight Conversation What is it like to Run for President of the United States? Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton '73 JD and Senator Amy Klobuchar '82 Moderated by Risë Nelson , Director of the Afro-American Cultural Center and Assistant Dean of Yale College
3:25 pm – 3:28 pm	Remarks Linda Koch Lorimer '77 JD Co-Chair, 50WomenAtYale150, Vice President (ret.), Yale Trustee

3:29 pm - 4:29 pm	<p>Saving Democracy In a year of another presidential election, panelists will explore our politically polarized environment, threats to the rule of law and voting rights, and why more women need to run for office.</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Leslie Cockburn '74 • Gina Raimondo '98 JD, Governor of RI, Yale Trustee • Jenny Martinez '93, Dean, Stanford Law School • Robin Walker Sterling '93, Director, Bluhm Legal Clinic, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law
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4:30 pm – 4:40 pm	<p>COVID Conversations II Dr. Esther Kim Choo '94, '01 MD Emergency Physician, Writer & Podcaster, Oregon Health Science University</p>
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4:40 pm – 4:45 pm	<p>Musical Performance Whim 'N Rhythm: Hammond Song</p>
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4:45 pm – 5:05 pm	<p>Spotlight Conversation Inequality in America Today</p> <p>Dr. Janet Yellen '71 PhD Brookings Institution, Former Chair of the Federal Reserve with Katherine Baicker '93, Dean of the Harris School of Public Policy, University of Chicago</p>
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4:55 pm - 5:45 pm	<p>Fair Share: A Conversation about (In)equality We'll explore the ways that inequity and inequality continue to challenge the fundamental values of American society.</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Kyle Gibson '78 • Krish O'Mara Vignarajah '01 BA/MA, '08 JD, President & CEO, Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service • Abigail Disney '82, Filmmaker & Philanthropist • Joan Williams '74, University of California, Hastings College of the Law • Linda Darling-Hammond '73, President & CEO, Learning Policy Institute • Kate Walsh '77, '79 MPH, President & CEO, Boston Medical Center, Yale Trustee
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5:45 pm – 6:00 pm	<p>Spotlight Conversation Immigration Now</p> <p>Cristina Rodríguez '95, '00 JD, Yale Law School <i>with Felicia Escobar Carrillo '99</i>, The Beacon Fund</p>
6:00 pm - 6:05 pm	<p>Closing remarks Kathleen Wallace '95</p>
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2020	
12:00 pm - 12:05pm	<p>Welcome Grace Hsieh '07</p>
12:05 pm -12:15 pm	<p>Spotlight Conversation Shaping Our Future</p> <p>Anna Maria Chávez '90 Executive Director and CEO of the National School Boards Association and former CEO of the Girl Scouts of the USA</p>
12:15 pm – 1:15 PM	<p>Raising Our Voices: Yale Women, On the Record How are Yale women using their voices to draw attention to the world's challenges, and inspiring collective action to solve them? This panel features Yale women working in media and journalism who are committed to truth-telling in the public sphere.</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Joanne Lipman '83 • Jane Mayer '77, The New Yorker • Monica Drake '94, The New York Times • Sarah Stillman '06, The New Yorker & Columbia School of Journalism • Tessa Berenson '14, TIME
1:15 pm – 1:25 pm	<p>COVID Conversations III Dr. Patricia Nez Henderson '94 MPH, '00 MD Black Hills Center for American Indian Health</p>
1:25 pm – 1:35 pm	<p>Interlude "Momentos de María"</p> <p>Li Yun Alvarado '02 Poet</p>

1:35 pm – 2:35 pm	<p>Planet Earth in Peril How has the climate crisis forced us to shift from a focus on science and the environment to include discussions of inequities in human societies? Panelists will explore the impact of this evolution on their own work as activists and change agents.</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Robin Sears, '96 MF, Research Scientist & Activist • Frances Beinecke '71, '74 MFS, Former President of Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC) • Elizabeth Kolbert '83, The New Yorker • Rhiana Gunn-Wright '11, The Roosevelt Institute • Desiree Lopes '15 MEM, '15 MBA, Future Skills Centre
2:35 pm – 2:45 pm	<p>Spotlight Conversation Democratizing Access to Space Exploration</p> <p>Ariel Ekblaw '14 Founder and Lead, MIT Media Lab's Space Exploration Initiative</p>
2:45 pm – 2:50 pm	<p>Closing remarks Grace Hsieh '07</p>

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2020	
1:00 pm – 1:05 pm	<p>Welcome Wendy Maldonado D'Amico '93</p>
1:05 pm – 1:25 pm	<p>Spotlight Conversation Empowering Young People</p> <p>Barbara Bush '04 Co-Founder and Board Chair, Global Health Corps <i>with</i> Kanya Balakrishna '09, Co-Founder and CEO, The Future Project</p>

1:25 pm -2:25 pm	<p>An Evolution: 50 years of Coeducation in Yale College</p> <p>In this panel, we'll hear from Yale College graduates who went on to teach at Yale. They will discuss their own experiences as undergraduates, how Yale College has changed, and their perspectives on the work remaining to include women in the intellectual life of the university.</p> <p><u>Speakers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Tamar Gendler '87, Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Sciences • Margaret Homans '74, '78 PhD, Professor of English and of Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies • Elizabeth Alexander '84, President, Andrew W. Mellon Foundation • Ana Ramos-Zayas '90, Professor of Ethnicity, Race, & Migration • Beverly Gage '94, Professor of History & American Studies • Denise Ho '00, Assistant Professor of History
2:25 pm - 2:28 pm	<p>Remarks</p> <p>Eve Hart Rice '73 Co-Chair, 50WomenAtYale150, Yale Trustee</p>
2:29 pm - 2:34 pm	<p>Interlude</p> <p>"People Like Us" and "Mama"</p> <p>Emtithal (Emi) Mahmoud '16 UNHCR Goodwill Ambassador, 2015 World Poetry Slam Champion</p>
2:35 pm - 2:55 pm	<p>Spotlight conversation</p> <p>Fearless Authenticity</p> <p>Congresswoman Katie Porter '96 <i>with Masu Haque-Khan '95</i></p>
2:55 pm - 3:00 pm	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p>Weili Cheng '77 Executive Director, Yale Alumni Association</p>

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