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AUTHOR, HISTORIAN TO DELIVER WOMEN'S HISTORY LECTURE MISSOULA –

Author and historian Ricky Solinger deliver the 11th annual Maxine Van de Wetering American Women Making History Lecture on Monday, March 15, at The University of Montana.

Solinger's lecture, "Nine Ways to Look at a Poor Woman," will take place at 7 p.m. in Urey Lecture Hall. A reception will follow in the Davidson Honors College.

The lecture is scheduled in conjunction with Women's History Month and is sponsored by UM's Women's Studies Program.

Solinger is a well-known advocate for reproductive and economic justice for women. She has written several books, including "Wake Up Little Susie: Single Pregnancy and Race Before Roe v. Wade" and "Beggars and Choosers: How the Politics of Choice Shapes Adoption, Abortion and Welfare in the United States."

For more information, call the UM Women's Studies Program at (406) 243-2584.

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