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a Seminar and Book Launch

Seminar Title

Curriculum Transformation in Higher Education in Asia and Africa: A Reality Check

by

Professor Gayatri Spivak

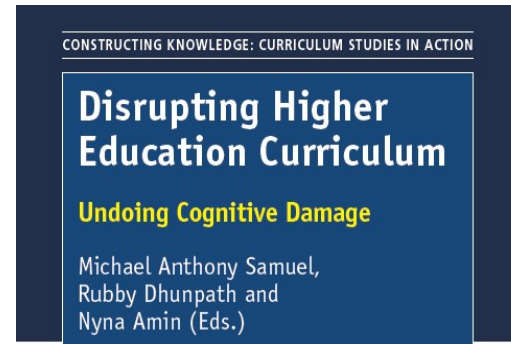


Professor Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak is an Indian intellectual, activist, and founder of the Institute for Comparative Literature and Society at Columbia University. She is deeply involved in feminism across the spectrum. She trains teachers and guides ecological agriculture in West Bengal, India. Her current projects include: consortial initiatives, continental Africa; Himalayan Studies initiatives, Kathmandu-Kolkata-Kunming; thinking globality together, French India and Senegambia. In 2012, Spivak was awarded the 8th annual Kyoto Prize in Arts and Philosophy in the field of thought and ethics. In 2013 she was awarded the Padma Bhushan, which is one of the highest civilian honours in India .

Seminar Overview

When I look as an activist at the situation among the lowest ranks of students in Africa and Asia, generalizations about higher education seem to me to be unconnected to "reality" and therefore unlikely to produce the projected expectations . I will discuss this in a general way, from the point of view of a hands-on activist.

Book Launch



Editors' Panel - Rubby Dhunpath;
Michael Samuel and Nyna Amin

Authors' Panel – Mershen Pillay; Thabo
Msibi; Langa Khumalo; Craig Blewett

Hosted by - Sarojini Nadar

Musical interludes - Chats Devroop

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Seminar & Book Launch Details

DATE: Monday, 7 August 2017

TIME: 14h30 - 17h30

VENUE: UTEL Studios, L-Block, Westville Campus

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Online at: <http://utlo.ukzn.ac.za/rsvp>

By: Tuesday, 1 August 2017