

## Media Release

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## **Public Lecture – Jennifer Brant on Recent Research on Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women**

Jennifer Brant will speak about missing and murdered Indigenous women in her lecture "Forever Loving, Forever Resisting: Recent Research on Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women" on Thursday, September 29 at 7 pm in the Kinsella Auditorium, McCain Hall at St. Thomas University.

Brant, co-editor of "Forever Loved: Exposing the Hidden Crisis of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls in Canada," is the recipient of a doctoral fellowship from the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council. She teaches in the Indigenous Studies Program at Brock University where she is also program coordinator for the Gidayaamin Indigenous Women's Certificate Program. Her research interests include Indigenous maternal pedagogy, Indigenous women's literature, and the advancement of ethical space for Indigenous scholarship.

Brant belongs to the Tyendinaga Mohawk Nation and has family ties to Six Nations of the Grand River Territory. She is a mother of two boys and is currently completing her PhD in educational studies at Brock University.

The event is being presented by Women's Studies and Gender Studies at St. Thomas University in collaboration with the New Brunswick Media Co-op. Other sponsors include the Department of History at UNB, the School of Education at St. Thomas University and the Canadian Law and Society Association.

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