January 25, 2017, Wed (3-4 pm)  
Student Center Theatre  

University Hour Talk

Uncommon people: Digital technology and the struggle for community

Dr. Jessa Lingel is a social scientist and digital activist who studies the use of digital technologies in eclectic counterculture communities, including body modification enthusiasts, New Jersey’s punk music scene, and Brooklyn’s booming drag community. This talk examines the capacity of digital technologies to support countercultural communities, with the goal of exposing the multi-faceted nature of online life and the wider implications of how internet technologies are reshaping social interactions.

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Invited by Dr. Suki Grandhi  
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