



# THE ARAB SPRING AND ITS AFTERMATH

Friday, March 21, 2014  
8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Freeman Center • Gaines Theatre  
Christopher Newport University

The popular uprisings that have swept the Arab world since 2011 — collectively termed the Arab Spring — have dramatically transformed the region's political map. In its third year, the Arab Spring is still unfolding, and the region's future is far from set.

Join us for a multidisciplinary examination of the causes, dynamics and geopolitical consequences of the uprisings on local, regional and international levels.

## CONFERENCE TO INCLUDE:

### KEYNOTE

Elizabeth Thompson  
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### PANEL DISCUSSIONS

Arab Revolutions: Diverse  
Narratives and Contexts

Gender, Ideology and Religion

Healthcare, Digital Culture and  
Social Movements

### RECEPTION AND LUNCH

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