



## **The Woman King: History, Myth, Fantasy?**

Friday, February 3, 2023

Rutgers Academic Building East 1180

**What could be better than Pizza, a Movie, and Great Conversation on a Friday night to celebrate Black History Month?**

Join us for a showing of Gina Prince-Bythewood's film *The Woman King*, starring the incomparable Viola Davis as General Nanisca, leader of the intrepid female warriors defending the Kingdom of Dahomey. We will offer some context for the film over pizza, describe a new summer study abroad program *History, Memory and Culture in Benin*, and remain afterwards for further discussion after the showing for those who can linger.

6:30 Pizza and discussion

7:15 Film showing of *The Woman King*

9:45 Discussion

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