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Intersectional & Inclusive: A Conversation with Janet Mock

Writer, TV host, and advocate; author of *Redefining Realness* (2014) and the upcoming *Surpassing Certainty*

Interviewer: Bailey Williams

Class of 2017, Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University

Friday, April 7, 2017, 7:00 PM

Alice Millar Chapel, Northwestern University, 1870 Sheridan Rd., Evanston, IL 60208

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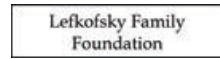


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Friday, April 7, 2017, Intersectional & Inclusive: A Conversation with Janet Mock, 7:00 PM, Alice Millar Chapel at Northwestern University, 1870 Sheridan Rd., Evanston, 60208. **NOTE: No RSVPs required, but seating is limited to 700 and is first-come, first-served.** Janet Mock is a writer, TV host, and advocate whose work has appeared in *Marie Claire*, *The New Yorker*, the *New York Times* and *Lenny*. In 2014, she released *Redefining Realness*, her path-clearing *New York Times* bestseller about her journey as a trans teenager. **bell hooks** called Janet's memoir, "a life map for transformation" and **Melissa Harris Perry** said, "You will be changed by this book."

With a master's in journalism from **New York University**, the Honolulu native worked as an editor at **People.com**, produced the **HBO** documentary "**The Trans List**," hosted a series of specials for **MSNBC**, and appeared on *Super Soul Sunday* where **Oprah Winfrey** called her a "fearless new voice" and "trailblazing leader," who "changed my way of thinking." She's been honored by the **Ms. Foundation for Women**, **Planned Parenthood**, and the **Sylvia Rivera Law Project**, spoke at the Women's March on Washington, and *Time* magazine named her one of "the most influential people on the internet." Her new memoir, *Surpassing Certainty: What My Twenties Taught Me*, will be released in June.

Ms. Mock will be interviewed by **Bailey Williams**, a senior at the **Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University**, who will receive a B.S. in Video-Broadcast Journalism, with a double major in Gender & Sexuality Studies. Since January 2017, Ms. Williams has worked as a reporter for **WBOY-TV** in Clarksburg, WV, and has previously works at **Newsday** in New York, as a video editor at *The Daily Northwestern*, and as a business and politics reporter for **Medill News Service** in Washington, DC.

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