Constitution & Citizenship Day 2020
“The Unfinished Work of Suffrage”: a virtual conference
https://history.sfsu.edu/constitution-day-2020

Keynote: “Disabling Democracy” by Rabia Belt (Stanford Law School)
Roundtable participants: Susan Burch (Middlebury), Marc Stein (SFSU-History)

Keynote: “Surprising Facts about Suffrage” by Ellen DuBois (UCLA)
Roundtable panelists: Sue Englander (SFSU-History), Sherry Katz (SFSU-History), Judy Wu (UC-Irvine)

Interview: Katherine Marino (UCLA)
Participants: Michael Aguirre (University of Nevada-Reno)
Topic: Latin American women’s pioneering campaign for woman suffrage + human rights on an international stage

Interview: Mona Siegel (Sacramento State)
Participants: Sarah Curtis (SFSU-History)
Topic: Asian, European, Middle Eastern, and North American women demand inclusion in 1919 peace negotiations

Interview: Melissa R. Klapper (Rowan University)
Participants: Rachel Gross (SFSU-Jewish Studies)
Topic: Jewish women’s activism in the pre-WWII suffrage, birth control, and peace movements

Interview: Tracey Deutsch (University of Minnesota)
Topic: women’s demands to recognize and regulate the labor of consumerism and housework from the 1930s-60s

Interview: Gill Frank (University of Virginia) + Kacey Calahane (UC-Irvine)
Topic: women’s liberation movement & the opposition by conservative, pro-segregation evangelicals

Roundtable: Kamala Harris, VP candidacy
Participants: Mario Burrus (SFSU-History), Rebecca Eissler (SFSU-Political Science), Amanda Roberti (SFSU-Political Science), Anantha Sudhakar (SFSU-Asian American Studies)
Topic: Harris as VP in context of past freedom movements + racist, misogynist, and xenophobic attacks against her

Roundtable: gender, race + labor during the pandemic
Participants: Valerie Francisco (SFSU SOCI), Karen Hossfeld (SFSU SOCI), Julietta Hua (SFSU WGS)
Topic: disproportionate toll of the pandemic on women, specifically women of color + undocumented women