

# SHINING A LIGHT: AFRICAN WOMEN IN FILM

In honor of Women's History Month, the African Studies Center, in collaboration with the Center for Gender in a Global Context, presents four films which shine a light on women in Africa and the African Diaspora.

This film series bring a critical eye to issues impacting women on a day-to-day basis, including **leadership**, **justice**, and **perseverance**. By combining these films with critical analysis by experts within and beyond the MSU community, we hope to expand understandings of women throughout the Diaspora.

Sponsored by the African Studies Center, the Center for Gender in a Global Context, the History Department, and African American and African Studies.

## TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2019

7:00-9:00 p.m., RCAH Theatre

**Winnie (2017)**

\*\*Panel discussion to immediately follow\*\*

## THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2019

7:00-9:00 p.m., ComArtSci 147

**Des étoiles /Under the Starry Sky (2013)**

\*\*Commentary to follow by Emilie Diouf (English, Brandeis University)\*\*

## THURSDAY, MARCH 21 2019

7:00-9:00 p.m. , ComArtSci 147

**Vibrancy of Silence (2017)**

\*\*Commentary to follow by director, Freida Ekotto (University of Michigan)\*\*

## TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2019

7:00-9:00 p.m., RCAH Theatre

**Iron Ladies of Liberia (2009)**

\*\*Panel discussion to immediately follow\*\*

