A Conversation with

Zainab Bangura

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and

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12:45-2:00 pm, 132 Boalt Hall
(lunch will be served)

The UN Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict serves as the United Nation’s spokesperson and political advocate on conflict-related sexual violence and is chair of the network UN Action Against Sexual Violence in Conflict.

Ms. Bangura has over 20 years of policy, diplomatic and practical experience in the field of governance, conflict resolution and reconciliation. In her home country of Sierra Leone, she has been instrumental in developing national programs on affordable health, advocating for the elimination of genital mutilation, managing the country’s Peace Building Commission, and contributing to the multilateral and bilateral relations with the international community. She has deep experience engaging with State and non-State actors on issues relevant to sexual violence, including engaging with rebel groups.