

**The Blanche, Edith and Irving Laurie
New Jersey Chair in Women's
Studies at Douglass College**

is pleased to announce its Global Focus in the appointments of the next two occupants of the Chair:

1991-1992 Jacqueline Pitanguy, a Brazilian teacher, social scientist and activist; former President of Brazil's National Council for Women's Rights, the first federal organization to improve women's conditions, 1986-89; founder of CEPIA (Citizenship: Studies, Information, Action), a non-profit, non-governmental organization that researches public policies in relation to women. Her most recent publications are: Women and Politics: Positive Measures to Improve her Political Participation (1989); and Women and Citizenship (1989).

Spring 1992 Seminar: *Women, Power and Social Change*

1992-1993 Molaria Ogundipe-Leslie, Nigerian writer, poet, scholar and literary critic; founding member of the International Women for a Meaningful Summit and co-founder of Association of African Women Research and Development. She is the author of Women and Critical Transformation in Africa: Collected Essays (African World Press, 1991); and co-author (with Carole Boyce Davies), Crossing Boundaries: A Critical Anthology of Essays on Women's Writing in Africa, the Caribbean and the U.S.A. (Matatu, 1991).

Spring 1993 Seminar: *Gender, Voice, Perspective:
Women, Development and Peace*

Applications are now being accepted from students, scholars, activists and practitioners who wish to participate in the Spring 1992 seminar. Deadline for submission of materials is October 15, 1991; notification of acceptance into the seminar is November 15, 1991. To receive application form and seminar description contact: Ferris Olin, Executive Officer, Laurie NJ Chair in Women's Studies at Douglass College, 27 Clifton Avenue, Box 270, New Brunswick, NJ 08903-0270 or call (908) 932-6948.



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