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# Nervous Conditions

A Novel

# Tsitsi Dangarembga

## Creative Story Making Workshop

### Interactive Workshop

Please join us for an interactive workshop focused on creative storytelling, facilitated by the esteemed Zimbabwean filmmaker, novelist, playwright, and social activist, Tsitsi Dangarembga. As the recipient of the 2024 Alice and Clifford Spendlove Prize in Social Justice, Diplomacy, and Tolerance, Dangarembga brings a wealth of expertise to this intimate workshop, specifically designed for advanced undergraduate and graduate students. This immersive session presents a unique opportunity to engage directly with Dangarembga's creative methodology and perspectives. Following a discussion regarding her creative process, workshop participants will undertake their own projects, receiving tailored feedback from Dangarembga and UC Merced faculty member Dr. Nicosia Shakes. Lunch will be provided. Space is limited. Please RSVP here:

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12:00 - 2:00PM

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