

66th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights
17th Annual Human Rights Potluck Dinner & Program
In Memory of Emma Byrne

Violence at the Border: The Human Costs of Immigration

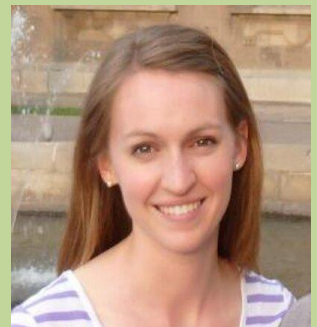
Saturday, November 15, 2014, East Columbia 50+ Center, 6600 Cradlerock Way, Columbia, MD, 21045
6 PM Potluck – Please bring a main dish to share

6.45-9 PM Program
with Special Guest Performance by the



Recently tens of thousands of unaccompanied children, as well as families, have entered the U.S., primarily fleeing violence in El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras. This crisis has turned public attention to flawed U.S. border policies and the inhumane treatment of these immigrants.

Emma Buckhout works for the *Justice for Mexico and the Borderlands* program at the Latin America Working Group, one of the nation's longest-standing coalitions dedicated to foreign policy. She will share the work being done to promote policy solutions that protect and advance the human rights of migrants.



Todd Miller has worked on immigration and border issues from both sides of the U.S. Mexico divide for organizations such as BorderLinks, Witness for Peace, and NACLA. His new book: *Border Patrol Nation. Dispatches from the Front Lines of Homeland Security*, exposes how a vast and booming industry for high-end technology, weapons, surveillance, and prisons has transformed the U.S. border. While politicians and corporations reap substantial profits, *Border Patrol Nation* details the experiences of millions of men, women, and children and the staggering humanitarian consequences of border patrol. Signed copies of the book will be available for purchase.

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