

# PREMIS

## Wednesday, 17 April 2024, 16.00-18.00 in Helikon (A202) & Zoom

## Kitchenette (Un)Building

## Rafia Zafar

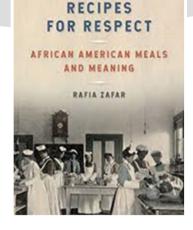
Rafia Zafar is H.W. Donner guest professor in the department of English Language and Literature during April 2024. She describes her talk as 'a riff on Gwendolyn Brooks's poem "Kitchenette Building". For further information, contact Jason Finch (jason.finch@abo.fi).

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#### **ABOUT THE SPEAKER**

Dr Rafia Zafar is Professor of English, African and African-American Studies, and American Culture Studies, Washington University in St. Louis. Her publications include *We Wear the Mask: African Americans Write American Literature, 1760-1870* (Columbia University Press, 1997) and, as editor, the Library of America volumes on Harlem Renaissance novels of the 1920s and 1930s (2011). For more information:

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