



## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

*One Billion Rising For Justice Announces Speakers, Community Partners, and Program, Including InTENTion, Hacktivism and Dance! Drum! Rally! Rise!*

**What: ONE BILLION RISING FOR JUSTICE MIAMI**

**When: FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2014**

**4:00pm-5:00pm STOP TRAFFICKING RALLY**

**5:00pm-7:00pm PROGRAM & CELEBRATION**

**Where: MIAMI DADE COLLEGE'S DOWNTOWN WOLFSON CAMPUS -  
KYRIAKIDES PLAZA, NE 4<sup>th</sup> Street between NE 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.**

### **About One Billion Rising:**

**This Valentine's Day**, ONE BILLION women and men in 184 countries (and counting!) will come together as one global movement led by local activists addressing the themes of justice through art, indomitable presence, direct demands and global solidarity as we RISE and bring about revolutionary justice.

The campaign began as a call to action based on the staggering UN statistic that 1 in 3 women on the planet will be beaten or raped during her lifetime. Imagine One Billion women and the people who love them, dancing, releasing their stories and demanding justice until the violence stops. The earth will surely move and violence against women and girls will surely end, because it can. One Billion people gathering across the globe cannot be ignored. We need **YOU**, your friends, your **ORGANIZATIONS** to come and **BE COUNTED. South Florida Will Rise!**

Presenters to include **State Attorney for Miami, Katherine Fernandez Rundle**; Trafficking Survivor and Author, **Kateriina Rosenblatt**; Trauma Specialist and Author, Latina **Dr. Elizabeth King**; accomplished Physician, Surgeon and Domestic Violence Survivor, **Dr. Lanalee Araba Sam**; Haitian Activist, **Marleine Bastien, MSW, LCSW**, counselor and former top model, **Susan Miner, MA, Mina Shah, Suzan McDowell, Jorge Veitia** and more. Messages from **Robert Redford, Tracy Mourning, Rosario Dawson, Jane Fonda** and Sundance-selected short film by Tony Award-winner **Tony Stroebel** and **Eve Ensler**.

Program to include audience participation in **Stop Trafficking Rally, Hacktivism** internet sex trafficking slowdown, **InTENTion** and **Burning Bowl**, flash mob "**Break The Chain**" dance, **Drumming Circle** and more.

**Community Partners will be on site providing resources and insight:**

CARE

Casa Valentina

Family Counseling Services

FANM, Haitian Women Of Miami

Florida Immigrant Coalition and the Florida New Americans program

Honey Shine

Institute for Civic Engagement & Democracy

International Rescue Committee

Lotus House

Miami Chapter US National Committee for UN Women

Miami Dade College West Institute for Civic Engagement & Democracy

Miami-Dade County's Victim Assistance Center

Mission Freedom

Stop The Sale of Our Children Of Our Children For Sex

PACE Center for Girls, Miami

Planned Parenthood of South Florida

Soroptimist International

Switchboard Of Miami

The Center for Independent Living of South Florida Inc

The Guardian ad Litem Program

The Millennials Project

The National Organization for Women @ FIU

There Is Hope For Me

U.S. National Committee of United Nations Women

Urgent, Inc.

Women's Fund

Word and Action, Inc

WSSA Women Studies Student Association, FIU

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