

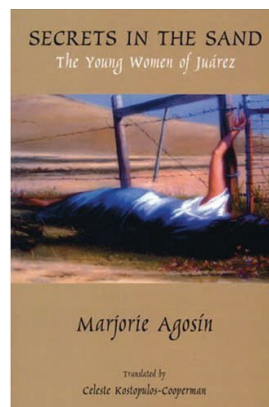
Over the past decade, more than 400 women around the city of Juarez, Mexico have been raped and murdered.

The remains of these brutalized young women continue to be found scattered in the parched desert, vacant city lots, and roadside ditches. Others are never found.

Join us for a lecture by

Dr. Marjorie Agosin

**Monday, November 19th at 5:00 pm in Engleman C-112
RECEPTION AND BOOK SIGNING TO FOLLOW**



Dr. Marjorie Agosin, professor of Spanish at Wellesley College and internationally recognized poet will present a lecture on her most recent book, *Secrets in the Sand*. A native of Chile, Dr. Agosin received the United Nations Human Rights Award in 1998. In her latest work, she examines the serial murders of over 400 women in the bordertown of Juarez where young women come to work in the *maquiladoras* (off-shore industrial plants). Her other books include *Toward the Splendid City*, *Scraps of Life: Chilean Arpilleras* and *A Cross and A Star*.

Sponsored by the Caribbean Speaker's Series, the Department of Anthropology, SCSU Amnesty International, the Women's Center, International Programs, and Triota.

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