Assessing the Impacts of Income Boosts and Gender Rights Training on Incident Partner Violence against Women: A Randomized Trial with Farmer Associations in Displaced Communities in Colombia

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Dr. Yount is Asa Griggs Candler Chair of Global Health, Professor of Global Health and Sociology, and affiliated faculty with Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies and Behavioral Sciences at Emory. Dr. Yount conducts research on women's and children's health, focusing on the measurement, determinants, and health effects of women's empowerment and exposure to partner violence. With sustained funding, she has conducted research in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the Middle East, and has more than 120 articles published in top venues in Public Health and the Social Sciences. In this seminar, Dr. Yount will discuss a new randomized control trial she is leading with the World Food Program in displaced communities in three departments in Colombia to assess the impact of an income boost in farmer associations, alone and in combination with gender rights training, on women's incident risk of partner violence.