



# MODERN LANGUAGES LECTURE SERIES 2015

## *HIDDEN AND FORGOTTEN HISTORIES* CLAIRE ANDRADE-WATKINS

**Multimedia presentation by the author of the praised documentary  
*Some Kind of Funny Porto Rican? A Cape Verdean American Story* (2006)**



*“Home is where your heart is, not a specific zip code or a geographical location. Being Cape Verdean is a state of mind. Anywhere there is a port or where sea touches land, there is a Cape Verdean. We are a people of the horizon, and anywhere the sun touches our face is who we are. We are you, you are us, we are local and global citizens.”*

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Dr. Claire Andrade-Watkins is the author of:

~ *Spirit of Cape Verde* (WGBH-TV/2, Boston, 1987-1988)

~ *Some Kind of Funny Porto Rican? A Cape Verdean  
American Story* (2006)

~ *Hi, Neighbor* (2011)

~ *Serenata de Amor* (2013)

~ *Atlantic Portals* (ongoing)

~ *Nantucket Strolls* (ongoing)

Thursday, March 19, 2015

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