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**Writers & Scholars Speak On
Sex Culture and the Future of Intimacy After *Dobbs***

Washington, D.C - [Feminists Choosing Life of New York](#), [Christian Legal Society](#), and [Guiding Star Project](#) have joined forces to sponsor two cutting edge events on sex culture and the future of intimacy in the wake of the *Dobbs* decision overturning *Roe v. Wade*,

Reframing Agency: Feminist Perspectives

**Part I - Rights & Responsibilities in Contemporary Sex Culture
January 19, 2023, National Press Club, Washington, D.C.**

Panelists: **Erika Bachiochi**, *The Rights of Women: Reclaiming a Lost Vision*.

Christine Emba, *Rethinking Sex: A Provocation*.

Moderator: Destiny Herndon- De La Rosa, founder, [New Wave Feminists](#).

“Some time ago the patriarchy co-opted feminism and began exploiting women through our own movement. Sadly, many went along with this. From different perspectives, Christina Emba and Erika Bachiochi see so clearly through this attempt to hijack the dignity and agency of women. While others are busy **placating patriarchy**, we are here to smash it!” Destiny Herndon-De La Rosa

**Part II - The Future of Intimacy After *Dobbs*
February 11, 2023, Virtual**

Panelists: **Louise Perry**, *The Case Against the Sexual Revolution: A New Guide to Sex in the 21st Century*.

Helen Roy, *Girlboss Interrupted*, Podcast Host.

Moderator: Dr. Alisia Grace Chase, Professor, Art History and Visual Culture at SUNY Brockport.

“Relentless societal pressure upon young women (and men) to be ‘sexually liberated’ has left at least three generations **mentally stunted and emotionally fractured**. Louise Perry and Helen Roy deconstruct the myth that women’s agency is rooted in a porn-obsessed, swipe for sex culture void of consequence—and commitment. As critical thinkers and young mothers, Perry and Roy are courageously reframing agency, and revisioning what the future of a mutually beneficial intimacy might be.” Dr. Alisia Grace Chase

According to the event sponsors,

“The time is ripe for a smart discussion about casual sex culture and how it impacts everyone, especially women. There are so many questions concerning agency in the context of sex and intimacy, including whether there are better ways forward other than blind acceptance of our **mainstream hook-up culture**. Especially now that abortion rights have been significantly restricted by the U.S. Supreme Court, these discussions are relevant, poignant and potentially life-changing.”

You can register to attend both events on [Eventbrite](#)

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