

READING AND CONVERSATION

FEATURING **KARLA CORNEJO
VILLAVICENCIO**

OCT. 21st, 6:00PM

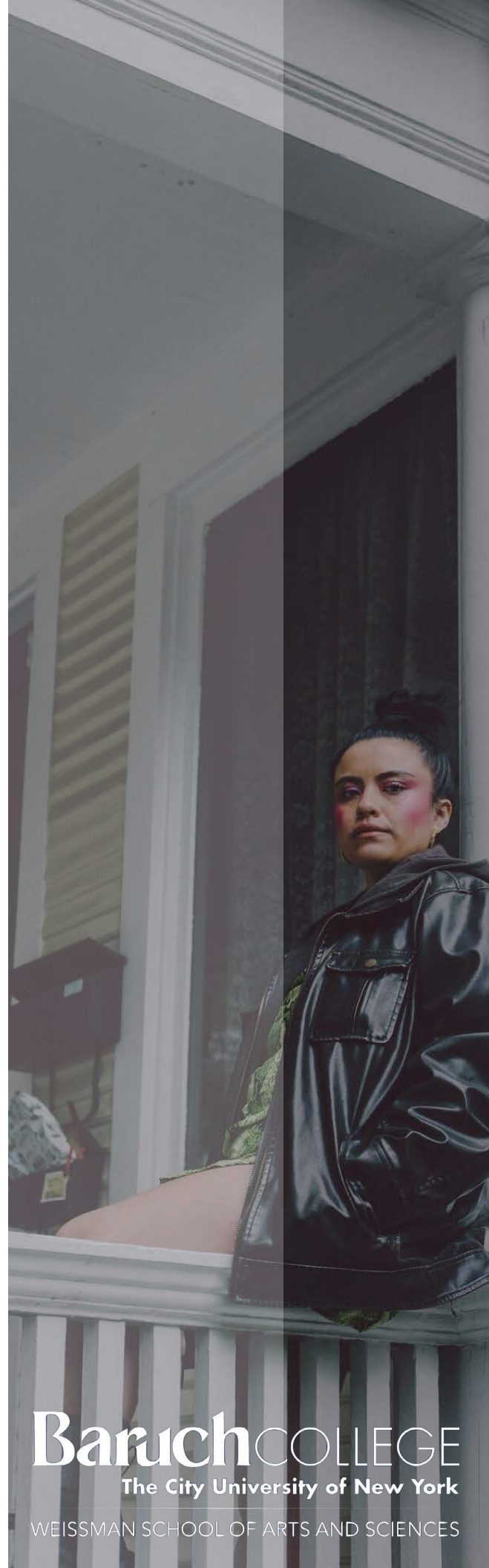
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Come join our Fall 2021 Sidney Harman Writer-In-Residence Karla Cornejo Villavicencio for a reading and conversation in-person at the Baruch Campus. The event will be hosted by the Harman Program as well as by *Latinx Visions*, a podcast exploring Latinx media and culture, run by Profs. Rojo Robles Mejías and Rebecca Salois. For those who cannot attend in person, the event will be recorded and released as a podcast on *Latinx Visions*' Spotify channel.

Introducing Cornejo Villavicencio will be Graciela Mochkofsky, director of the Bilingual Journalism Program at the Craig Newmark Graduate School of Journalism at CUNY, who has authored numerous books and whose work has appeared in *The New Yorker* and other publications.

A multi-faceted writer featured prominently in *The New York Times*, *The Atlantic* and *Vogue*, Cornejo Villavicencio covers a range of topics; from music to mental illness, from beauty to immigration. Her literary debut, *The Undocumented Americans* (2020), part essay-collection, part memoir, illuminates the lives of the undocumented in the United States. It was listed among Barack Obama's favorite books of the year and was a finalist for the National Book Award. She is the first undocumented writer ever to have been a National Book Award Finalist.



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