

## The Sexualization of Youth and Eating Disorder Crossroads Presented by Monte Nido and Affiliates in Collaboration with Portland State University Featuring a Free Screening of America the Beautiful 3

Beneath the glossy, perfect images presented in pop culture there are more desperate stakes at hand. Who is at fault for perpetuating such a harmful culture? Is it corporate greed in advertising? Is it the media that projects these images? Could it even be the parents?

Award-winning director **Darryl Roberts** along with industry experts **Jean Kilbourne**, **Carolyn Costin**, **Steven Genarro** and **Gail Dines** tackle the complicated answers to these questions, revealing the treacherous effects this has on not just children, but society as a whole. The assault of images portraying the perfect sexy body is inescapable and inappropriate, contributing to a national physical and mental health crisis.

America the Beautiful Part 3 not just about the dangers of spray tans and babies in bikinis, it is a look into the impacts of an **unquestioned culture** and the psyche of **society's most threatening perpetrators** who may not consider themselves to be part of the problem.



Date: May 21 Time: 5-8pm Reception to Follow

Location: University Pointe at College Station 1955 SW Fifth Avenue Portland, Oregon 97201

## **Question and Answer Panel Featuring:**

Carolyn Costin, M.A., M.Ed, MFT, FAED, CEDS, Founder & Chief Clinical Officer at Monte Nido Kari Anne McDonald, Women's Resource Center Marcy Hunt PhD, Director of Counseling Servies

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