



Our Knowledge

Our Power

**Making Big Broadband
Work for All of Us**

Free Community Workshop

Saturday, September 15, 10-noon

Douglass Library Meeting Room

Douglass Branch Library, 504 East Grove Street, Champaign

**With Virginia Eubanks
and Christine Nealon**

This Popular Technology Workshop will energize participants to take charge of information and communication technologies and organize in their communities for better health care, education, housing and wages. Framed within a national anti-poverty movement and a campaign for economic human rights, this workshop enables participants to collect and share testimonies of survival and resistance from people on the margins. No technological skills are necessary to participate. Come share your story!

While there is no charge, please register by Sept. 14 so we can plan ahead.

Virginia Eubanks & Christine Nealon are members of **Our Knowledge, Our Power (OKOP)**, a grassroots anti-poverty and welfare rights organization in the Capital Region of New York state, and trainers for the Popular Technology Workshops. For more information, see <http://www.populartechnology.org>. Virginia Eubanks' book, *Digital Dead End: Fighting for Social Justice in the Information Age*, was published in 2011.

Other events:

- Listen to WILL-AM (580) Monday, September 10, 10-11am for an on-air phone interview with Virginia Eubanks
- Also join us at NOON, Thursday, September 13, Inclusions and Exclusions Reading Group, Room 341 Library and Information Science Building, 501 E. Daniel St., Champaign

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