



in association with the **Kurdish Student Society** and  
**Peace in Kurdistan – Women Alliance**

invite you to a

# Human Rights Lecture

**Tuesday 7th June 2016**

## Women's revolution in Rojava

**6.30pm** in the **SOAS**  
Brunei Gallery Building,  
Room B111, Thornhaugh St,  
London WC1H- 0XG

**FREE** We regret that CPD points are not currently available. For more details and updated information, see [www.haldane.org](http://www.haldane.org)

### Speakers:

**Rahila Gupta**, writer and journalist  
**Jo Magpie**, activist and writer

Both women have recently returned from a women's delegation to Rojava, the autonomous region of northern Syria which has through conflict and subsequent social revolution seen the establishment of a new society based on gender equality, direct democracy and sustainability. Rahila and Jo will share their first-hand experiences of how the Kurds have put women's equality at the foundation of a successful, free society.

**Margaret Owen**, UK barrister and human rights activist

Margaret has also travelled to the region. She will discuss the newly evolving legal system in Rojava and approaches to violence against women.