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## LIGHT IN HER EYES WHILE & BOYLES

A FILM ABOUT WOMEN AND ISLAMIC EDUCATION A WOMAN IS A SCHOOL. TEACH HER AND YOU TEACH A GENERATION.

> **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2012 ROBERT S. KERR AUDITORIUM** SAM NOBLE MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY

6:00 pm Refreshments and Conversation

6:30 pm Film Screening

7:30 pm Discussion with the Director Julia Meltzer

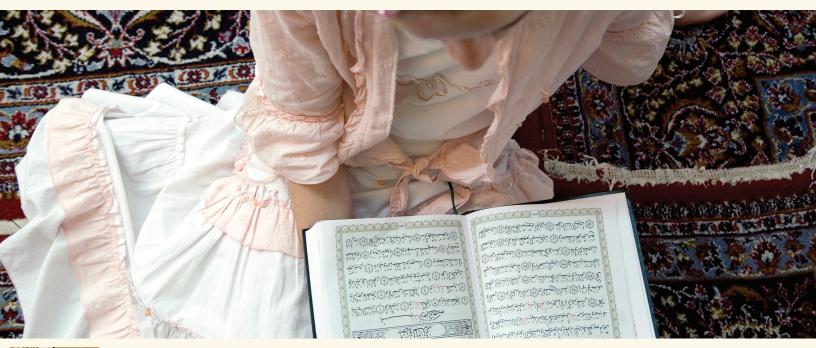
Houda al-Habash, a conservative Muslim preacher, founded a Qur'an school for girls in Damascus, Syria, 30 years ago. Every summer, her female students immerse themselves in a rigorous study of Islam. A surprising cultural shift is underway — women are claiming space within the mosque. Shot right before the uprising in Syria erupted, The Light in Her Eyes offers an extraordinary portrait of a leader who challenges the women of her community to live according to Islam, without giving up their dreams. An Official Selection of the 2011 International Documentary Film Festival Amsterdam. Produced in association with American Documentary | POV.

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