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Hazel Carby, professor and chair of African and African American Studies at Yale University, will give the annual Robert C. Elliott Memorial Lecture at 7 p.m. Nov. 20 in Warren Lecture Hall at the University of California, San Diego. Her topic is *Body and Soul: Paul Robeson and the Modernist Aesthetic*. A reception will follow.

Carby is one of the nation's leading cultural critics and black intellectuals. She is the author of *Reconstructing Womanhood: The Emergence of the Afro-American Woman Novelist* (Oxford University Press, 1987) which has made a landmark contribution to analyses of the writings of such authors as Harriet Jacobs, Frances Ellen Watkins Harper, Anna Julia Cooper, and Nella Larsen. Carby's book, *Racemen: The Body and Soul of Race Nation and Manhood*, is forthcoming from Harvard University Press in the fall of 1998.

The Elliott Memorial Lecture is presented annually by the UCSD Department of Literature with support from the Robert C. Elliott Memorial Fund. The fund was established at the time of Professor Elliott's death in 1981. Elliott was a founding member of the department and author of *The Power of Satire* (1968), *The Shape of Utopia* (1970), and *The Literary Persona* (1982). For further information, call 534-4618.

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