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## A New Chicago Cultural Plan

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**3 - 4:30pm**

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Julie Burros will discuss the City of Chicago's efforts to create a new cultural plan for the city. The city's first cultural plan was completed in 1986 and proved to be enormously influential. Mayor Rahm Emanuel's transition plan cites creating a new cultural plan for Chicago as a key goal in his first year in office. Initial info about the plan and the City's progress can be found at [www.chicagoculturalplan2012.org](http://www.chicagoculturalplan2012.org).



Julie Burros has served as Director of Cultural Planning for the City of Chicago since 2000. Previously, she worked in the City of Chicago's Department of Planning and Development as a Coordinating Planner and a Senior Associate at Economic Research Associates. She studied Urban Planning at Columbia University and Sociology at the University of Chicago.