

May 22, Wednesday

9:00–10:00 Registration and Coffee

10:00 Opening

Welcome Remarks: Jón Atli Benediktsson, Rector of the University of Iceland

Opening Address: Katrín Jakobsdóttir, Prime Minister of Iceland

Cultural Event

Conference Overview: Irma Erlingsdóttir, Director of RIKK/GEST, and Hilde Danielsen, Chair of the Board of NORA

10:45–12:30 Keynotes

Diana Mulinari, University of Lund, Sweden

Feminist Visions in Troubled Times

Miriam Ticktin, New School for Social Research, NY, USA

Sexuality and Borders: Beyond Innocence

12:30–13:30 Lunch

13:30–15:00 Parallel Sessions

Panel 1 (Stream 1) — Convergences of Anti-Genderism and Anti-Immigration in Contemporary Right-Wing Politics: A View from Central and Eastern Europe — Pre-proposed Roundtable:

Elissa Helms (Chair), Central European University, Hungary — helmse@ceu.edu

Sabrina Paillé, Central European University, Hungary — spaille@yorku.ca

Sara Swerdlyk, Central European University, Hungary — swerdlyk_sara@phd.ceu.edu

Panel 2 (Stream 2) — Queer Border Crossings

Silja Bára Ómarsdóttir (Chair) & Alexandra D. Steinþórsdóttir, University of Iceland, Iceland

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The Desirable Refugee? Iceland's Asylum Policy from a Queer Perspective

Amandine Le Bellec, University of Trento, Italy — amandine.lebelle@unitn.it

The Ambivalence of the Protection of LGBT+ Asylum Seekers in France

Masha Beketova, Humboldt University, Germany — beketovamash@gmail.com

Post-Soviet LGBTIQ Refugees and Migrants in Berlin

Panel 3 (Stream 2) — (De)Othering Deconstructing Risk and Otherness — Pre-proposed panel

- Gaia Giuliani (Chair)**, University of Coimbra, Portugal — giuliani.gaia@gmail.com
Lampedusa: The Border Spectacle and the Postcolonial Chronotope of the Migrant Boat
- Silvia Roque**, University of Coimbra, Portugal — silvia.roque@gmail.com
Internal Others, Masculinities and Femininities: Security Discourses on Terror Threats in France
- Júlia Garraio**, University of Coimbra, Portugal — juliaga@gmail.com
Cologne and the (Un)Making of Transnational Approaches to Sexual Harassment and Violence

Panel 4 (Stream 2) — Negotiations of Masculinity

- Katarzyna Wojnicka (Chair)**, University of Gothenburg, Sweden — wojnicka@dezim-institut.de
Understanding Migrants' Negotiations of Masculinity through Intersectional Lens
- Kenneth Reinicke**, Roskilde University, Denmark — kennethr@ruc.dk
Changing Fatherhood: An Exploratory Qualitative Study with Middle East and North African Men in Denmark
- Tereza Krobová**, Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic — tereza.krobova@fsv.cuni.cz
Suck our Dicks, Not the Black Ones: The Crisis of Masculinity in Arguments about Refugee Crisis on Czech Facebook

Panel 5 (Stream 3) — The Landscapes of Artificial Ice: Theorizing the Borders of Cold Storage — Pre-proposed panel

- Charlotte Kroløkke (Chair)**, University of Southern Denmark, Denmark — charlottekro@sdu.dk
Preserving Plant Seeds, Preserving the Nordic: Feminist Critical Heritage Perspectives on Nordic Cold-Optimism and Exceptionalism
- Jennifer Hamilton**, Hampshire College USA — jahss@hampshire.edu
The Indian in the Freezer: Indigeneity, Imperial Transit, and Technologies of Cryopreservation
- Anna Sofie Bach**, University of Southern Denmark, Denmark — anso@sdu.dk
Ovaries on Ice: Fertility Preservation and the Ontology of (In)Fertility

Panel 6 (Stream 5) — Materialities of Colonialism and Conflict

- May-Britt Öhman (Chair)**, University of Technology, Sweden — may-britt.ohman@cemfor.uu.se
Land Based Knowledge and Indigenous Feminist Technoscience Promoting Actual Innovative Technical Designs
- Armina Pilav**, TU Delft, Netherlands — a.pilav@tudelft.nl
Situated Transformation of Violence in Post-Traumatic Landscape System of Neretva River and the City of Mostar

Anders Rubing, Centre for Women's and Gender Research (SKOK), University in Bergen, Norway
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Vulnerability and Political Resistance: Bodies and Infrastructure

Panel 7 (Stream 6) — Strategies of Silencing: Rape, Human Trafficking and Sex Work

Sabine Hirschauer (Chair), New Mexico State University, USA — shirscha@nmsu.edu
Whose Silence is it Anyway? Gender, State Identity, and Bordering the National Narrative

Jessica Melissa Pelaez Echeverry, University of Hull, England — meli_pelaez@hotmail.com
Human Trafficking and the Culture of Denial: Struggles and Challenges Faced by Women Victims of Trafficking in the UK

Mike Omilusi, Ekiti State University & **Asebieko Esan Raphael**, Ijero Local Governance Secretariat, Nigeria — watermike2003@yahoo.co.uk
Migration, Greener Pasture Agenda and “Consensual” Slavery: Exploring the Narrative of African Women as Commercial Sex Workers in Europe

Panel 8 (Stream 6) — Surveillance and Security Systems

Jillian Terry (Chair), London School of Economics and Political Science, UK — j.a.terry@lse.ac.uk
Under His Eye: Feminist Readings of Real-Time and Constant Surveillance

Jennie Brandén, Umeå University, Sweden — jennie.branden@umu.se
Governing through ‘Safetization’? Care, Control and Surveillance of Public Space through the Use of Patrolling ‘Safety Guards’ in Sweden

Jaclyn Meloche, Art Gallery of Windsor, UK — jacmeloche@bell.net
Houses, Homes and the Horrors of a Suburban Identity Politic

Panel 9 (Stream 7) — Liminal Politics / Poetics

Irma Erlingsdóttir (Chair), University of Iceland, Iceland — irma@hi.is
Resisting Political Disorder through Writing

Petra Bakos, Central European University, Hungary — bakos-jarrett_petra@phd.ceu.edu
Written on the Border – The Transformative Power of Self-Exploration through Writing

Sólveig Ásta Sigurðardóttir, Rice University, USA — sas16@rice.edu
Interrogating Pleasure in Codex 1962: Affect and Narratives of DNA

15:00–15:15 Coffee Break

15:15–17:15 Parallel Sessions

Panel 1 (Stream 1) — Far-Right Projects

Josef Barla (Chair), Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany — barla@soz.uni-frankfurt.de
A Climate of Misogyny: Climate Change Denialism, Epistemic Ignorance, and Toxic Masculinities in the Post-Truth Era

Christel Stormhøj, Roskilde University, Denmark — stormhoj@ruc.dk

The Nationalization of Gender Equality/the Gender Politics of Immigration Policy in Denmark

María Sigríður Finnsdóttir, University of Toronto, Canada — maria.finnsdottir@mail.utoronto.ca

Welfare State Chauvinists? Gender, Citizenship, and Anti-Democratic Politics in the Welfare State Paradise

Emmy Papanastasiou, University of Thrace, Greece — emmypapan@gmail.com

Gender and Neo-Nazis: The Case of Golden Dawn in Greece Democritus

Sara Edenheim, Umea University, Sweden — sara.edenheim@umu.se

Resident Evil: Measuring Intolerance, Regulating Populations, Depoliticizing Identities

Panel 2 (Stream 2) — Displacements and Dispossession

Zubia Willmann Robleda (Chair), VID Specialised University, Norway —

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Re-Inventing Everyday Life in the Asylum Centre: Women's Tactical Practices, Aspirations and Identifications

Emilia Debska, Koiz Centre for Gender Studies, UK — emilia_debska@hotmail.com

Is it Possible to Develop Women-Friendly Spaces Within such a Non-Space as Refugee Camp, into an Empowerment Tool for Women? An Approach to a Case Study of a Refugee Camp in Katsikas, Greece

Menaal Safi Munshey, University of Cambridge, UK — Msm52@cam.ac.uk

The Needs and Services for Syrian and Palestinian Refugee Women in Lebanon in Cases of Sexual- and Gender-Based Violence

Farhana Rahman, University of Cambridge, UK — far25@cam.ac.uk

Sexual Violence across Borders: Migration, Gender, and Subjectivity among Rohingya Refugee Women

Jane Maree Maher, Jude McCulloch & Marie Segrave, Monash University, Australia —

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Recreating Domestic and Family Violence as Private: The Use of Internal Borders to Exclude Women from Immigrant and Refugee Communities

Panel 3 (Stream 2) Processes of Belonging /Dynamics of Migration

Lenka Formánková (Chair), Czech Academy of Sciences, Czech Republic —

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I Feel like Banana ... Yellow Outside, White Inside. Contested Belonging of the Second-Generation Young Women and Men of Vietnamese Background

Malin Jordal, Uppsala University, Sweden — malin.jordal@gender.uu.se

Transforming Bodies after Migration: Clitoral Reconstruction as a Political Project for Women with Female Genital Cutting

Sohaila, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Norway — xx@ntnu.no

In the Midst of Becoming—Other: Reflection on the Interview Situation

Alina Jung, University of Graz, Austria — alinajung@ymail.com

Eritrean Women in Israel: A Matter of Legal and Actual Access to Justice

Panel 4 (Stream 2) — Global Gender Interactions

Mika Hattori Vermeulen (Chair), Nagoya University of Foreign Studies, Japan — vmika@nufs.ac.jp

The Transition of the Image of Marriage as Depicted in Japanese Women's Magazines

Edme Dominguez R, University of Gothenburg, Sweden — edme.dominguez@gu.se

Gender Backlashes in Latin America: The Case of Brazil and Mexico

Sepideh Sadatizarrini (Rahaa), Aalto University, Finland — sepidehahaa@gmail.com

The Female Body, Identity and Representation

Brenda Lee Bohlen, the School of the Art Institute of Chicago and Spertus

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A Mitzvah in Historic Preservation: The Need for Conservation of Stone Epitaphs Dedicated to Jewish Women in Ancient Rome

Panel 5 (Stream 3) — The Politics of Representation

Dinara Podgornova (Chair), University of Bergen, Norway — dinara.podgornova@gmail.com

Examining the Politics of the Video—Project "Ethnic Origins of Beauty"

Asta Smedegaard Nielsen, Aalborg University, Denmark — nielsen@cgs.aau.dk

Until Death Do Us Part – and, Media Celebration Brings Us Back Together Again. The Case of the Deportation and Return of Im and Suthida Nielsen in Danish Media

Elizabeth Gould, University of Toronto & **Kevin Hobbs**, Brock University, Canada —

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Disrupted Scores: Investigating Gender and Sexuality in Indianist Music and Production

Veronika Muchitsch, Uppsala University, Sweden — veronika.muchitsch@musik.uu.se

Vocal Figurations: Politics, Feminism, and Performativity in Contemporary Pop Music

Panel 6 (Stream 4) — Bodies in Crisis: Urgency, Resistance and Creativity in Spaces of/for Change — Pre-proposed panel

Kari Anne Klovholt Drangslund (Chair), University of Bergen, Norway — kari.drangslund@uib.no

Whose Bodies Count and How?

Kari Jegerstedt, University of Bergen, Norway — kari.jegerstedt@uib.no

Writing the Effects of War through the Feminine Body

Tomas Salem, University of Bergen, Norway — tomas.salem@uib.no

Emergent Masculinities of Rio de Janeiro's Failed Police Reform

Billy Holzberg, London School of Economics, UK — b.v.holzberg@lse.ac.uk

Shaming the Nation-State: Border Politics of Affect and Ambivalence

Panel 7 (Stream 5) — Gender, Peace and Security Agendas: Limitations and Paradoxes

Maria O'Reilly (Chair), Leeds Beckett University, UK — m.f.oreilly@leedsbeckett.ac.uk

Agents of Violence or Agents of Peace? Gender, Nationalism, and Female Ex-Combatants in Bosnia & Herzegovina

Mgr. Lucie Bohdalová, Masaryk University, Czech Republic — luciebohdalova@gmail.com

Gendering Policies' Actors in NATO Missions in Afghanistan from the Policy Paradox Perspective

Carrie Reiling, Washington College, USA — creiling2@washcoll.edu

Producing Peacebuilding Knowledge through Faith in West Africa

Emma Brännlund, University of the West of England, UK — emma.brannlund@uwe.ac.uk

Borders, Boundaries and "Bad" States: Limitations of a Feminist Foreign Policy

Panel 8 (Stream 7) — Resurgences and Reconciliations

Faye Mullen (Chair), Université de Québec à Montréal, Canada — mullen.faye@gmail.com

From Wall to Land: Resurgence Through (Un)Making

Elke Krasny, Academy of Fine Arts Vienna, Austria — elke.krasny@gmail.com

On Mourning, Resistance, and Healing: Wake Work as Feminist Border Practice in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside

Anne Bettina Pedersen, Aalborg University, Denmark — abpedersen@cgs.aau.dk

(Un)Making Sylvia Likens

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Erasing Identities

19:00–21:30 Dinner and Cultural Events

May 23, Thursday

9.00–10.45 Keynotes

- Madina Tlostanova**, Linköping University, Sweden
Decoloniality, Border Thinking and Feminism in the Futureless World
- Rauna Kuokkanen**, University of Toronto, Canada
Post-State Indigenous Feminist Sovereignties

10.45–11.00 Coffee Break

11:00–12:30 Parallel Sessions

Panel 1 (Stream 1) — The Politics of White Nationalism

- Sophie Bjork-James (Chair)**, Vanderbilt University, USA — sophie.bjork-james@vanderbilt.edu
White Sexual Politics: The Gendered Politics of White Nationalism
- Brigitte Bargetz**, University of Vienna, Austria — brigitte.bargetz@univie.ac.at
A Politics of Fear: Haunting Sovereignty and the Neurotic Subject
- Susanna Areschoug**, Stockholm University, Sweden — susanna.areschoug@bu.su.se
Radical Nationalism in Present and Past

Panel 2 (Stream 1) — Technologies of Domination

- Anna Bohlin (Chair)**, Stockholm University and University of Bergen, Norway — anna.bohlin@gender.su.se, anna.bohlin@uib.no
Border Affects: Emotions, Bodies and Citizenship in Mid-Nineteenth Century Nordic Literature
- Laura Jung**, School of Global Studies, Sweden — l.jung@sussex.ac.uk
Caring for the Human, Crafting the State: A Queer-Feminist Analysis of the Psychiatric Treatment of Soldiers in late Wilhelmine and early Weimar Germany
- Sara Matthews**, Wilfrid Laurier University, UK — matthews.sara@gmail.com
Prepper Pedagogy: Pre-Emptive Warfare, the "Fruit Machine" and Queer Resistances

Panel 3 (Stream 3) — (Re)mapping the Material and Symbolic Boundaries of Newfoundland and Labrador: Indigenous and Feminist Decolonial and Postcolonial Perspectives — Pre-proposed panel

- Carol Lynne D’Arcangelis (Chair)**, University/Institute Memorial University of Newfoundland, Canada — carollynneda@mun.ca
The Space of Indigenous/Non-Indigenous Solidarity: "Step Back, but Not out"

Vicki S. Hallett, Memorial University, Canada — vshallett@mun.ca

(Re)Mapping Labrador: How the Story of a Magazine became the Story of a Place

Joanne Harris, Memorial University, Canada — jharris.nfld@gmail.com

The Promise of Gladue in Ktaqamkuk: Restorative Justice Practices through an Indigenous Feminist Lens

Panel 4 (Stream 3) — Auto/Biographies of “Indigenization”: Reclaiming Home — Pre-proposed panel

Lori Campbell (Chair), University of Toronto, Canada — l9campbe@uwaterloo.ca

Indigeneity, Indigenous Feminisms, and Indigenization

Julie Kate Seirlis, St Paul’s University College and the University of Waterloo, Canada —

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Child of Empire: The Quest for New Constitutions

Karen Sunabacka, University of Waterloo, Canada — karen.sunabacka@uwaterloo.ca

Reclaiming the Voices of Métis Women in Mama’s Painting: Louis Riel’s ‘Dream’

Panel 5 (Stream 5) — Nordic Perspectives on Gender, Work and Security — Pre-proposed panel

Beate Sløk-Andersen (Chair), University of Copenhagen, the SAXO Institute, Denmark —

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A Soldier is a Soldier First and Foremost: An Ethnographic Study of the Silenced Barriers to Equality in the Danish Military

Ulla-Britt Lilleaas, University of Oslo, Norway — u.b.lilleaas@stk.uio.no

How Strong Male-Bastions Survive Inside a rather Gender-Balanced Organization. A Case-study from the Norwegian Police

Dag Ellingsen, Oslo Metropolitan University, Norway — dag.ellingsen@oslomet.no

Mixed Rooms in the Army – Mixed Patrols in the Police: Two Sides to the Same Story?

Panel 6 (Stream 5) — Social Media Movements: From Resilience to Resistance

Laura Schelenz (Chair), International Centre for Ethics in the Sciences and Humanities, Germany

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Resilience through Tweeting? #MeToo and the Well-being of Survivors of Sexual Violence

Solange Martinez Demarco, International Centre for Ethics in the Sciences and Humanities,

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#Niunamemos: Resistance against Gender Violence

Almudena Cabezas-Gonzalez, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain — macabeza@ucm.es

Feminist Mobilization from #NiUnaMenos to International Women Strike: (Des)Bordering Latin American and Europe

Panel 7 (Stream 6) — Transnational Researcher Positionalities, Cross-Border Knowledge Regimes and Practices of Resistance — Pre-proposed panel

Yan Zhao (Chair), Nord University, Norway & **Marie Lovrod**, University of Saskatchewan, Canada
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Looking through Western/Eastern Eyes: Co-positioning in Transnational Feminist Knowledge Production

Magdalena Nowicka, DeZIM e.V. Germany, Germany — magdalena.nowicka@hu-berlin.de
Transnational (Un)Making of Class and Diversity: Possibilities of Epistemological Disobedience from the 'East of Europe'

Linda Lapina, Roskilde University & **Mante Vertelyte**, Aalborg University, Denmark —
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'Eastern European', Yes, but How? Embodied Intersectional Experiences in Autoethnographic Research

Panel 8 (Stream 7) — Feminist Fantastical Futurescapes — Pre-proposed panel

Giti Chandra (Chair), University of Iceland, Iceland — gc@hi.is
Monstrous Regiments: How Fantasy Knox on Future's Door

Nikkita Hamar Patterson, University of Iceland, Iceland — [nikkitahamar@gmail.com](mailto:nikkita hamar@gmail.com)
The Irreversible Body of Rape

Ingvil Hellstrand, University of Stavanger, Norway — ingvil.f.hellstrand@uis.no
Unstable Bodies, Persistent Selves? Reparation and Resistance in Contemporary Science Fiction Series 'Orphan Black'

12:30–13:30 Lunch

Poster Presentations

The Nora Journal – Meet the editors of NORA. Moderator: **Tiina Suopajarvi** (TAU) —
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Swedish KvinnSam – National Resource Library for Gender Studies. Moderator: **Linda Börjesson**,
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Nordics.Info (<http://nordics.info>) and **RENEW** (An Excellence Hub in Research, Education and Public Outreach). Moderator: **Nicola Witcombe**, Aarhus University — nwitcombe@cas.au.dk

13:30–15:00 Parallel Sessions

Panel 1 (Stream 2) — Bodies Across Borders

Yuliya Hilevych (Chair), University of Cambridge, England — yh410@cam.ac.uk
Bodies of Borders and Alternatives to (Biological) Reproduction: Advice on Unresolved Infertility before the Era of Assisted Reproductive Technologies in Britain

Lieve Gies, University of Leicester, UK — lg149@le.ac.uk

Precious Cargo: Human Rights, Nation and Reproductive Tourism in France and Ireland

Maheshvari Naidu, University of KwaZulu–Natal, South Africa — naiduu@ukzn.ac.za

Bodies across Borders: Of Breasts, Uterus and Hands

Panel 2 (Stream 2) — Selection Mechanisms and Border Control

Kristina Wejstål (Chair), University of Gothenburg, Sweden — kristina.wejstal@law.gu.se

Gendered Dimensions of Accessing Asylum in the European Union

Sofie Jeholm, University of Copenhagen, Denmark — jbr916@hum.ku.dk

Documenting Attachment: Affective Border Control in Application for Family Reunification

Ortrun Merkle, Maastricht Graduate School of Governance, **Jennifer Kling & Emily Skop**,

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The Line of Neutrality in Refugee Studies

Panel 3 (Stream 2) — LGBT+ Refugees and Migrants

B Camminga (Chair), University of Witwaterstrand, South Africa — cammingab@gmail.com

Digital Borders, Diasporic Flows and the Nigerian Transgender Beauty Queen who would not be denied

Linda Sólveigar–Guðmundsdóttir, University of Iceland, Iceland — lig14@hi.is

LGBTQ+ Border Crossings and Experiences of (Un)Belonging

Tina Dixon, Australian National University, Australia — tina.n.dixon@gmail.com

“I am not like those People and People from Here. I am in Between. I Am Everything”: On the Construction of Narratives about Queer Refugee Women and Biopolitical Governance

Panel 4 (Stream 4) — The Politics of Matter: Affect, Materiality and an Ethics of Care — Pre-proposed panel

Susan Meriläinen (Chair), University of Lapland, Finland & **Rebecca Lund**, Tampere University,

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Political Poetics of Mycelium: Fungus, the Naked Expression and Surpassing Identity?

Veera Kinnunen, University of Lapland, Finland — veera.kinnunen@ulapland.fi

Making Kin with Waste

Anu Valtonen, University of Lapland, Finland & **Alison Pullen**, Macquarie University, Australia —

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Affected by Rocks

Panel 5 (Stream 4) — The Politics of Ex/Inclusion

- Azille Coetzee (Chair)**, South African Research Chair in Gender Politics, South Africa — azille@sun.ac.za
Gender, Time and the Incommunicability of African worlds: Understanding the Role of Gender Norms in the Colonial Denial of Coevalness
- Islah Jad**, Birzeit University, Palestine — ijad@birzeit.edu
When Settler Colonialism meets Universal Women's Rights: The Case of Palestine
- Mark Griffiths**, Northumbria University, UK — mark.griffiths@northumbria.ac.uk
Checkpoints beyond the Checkpoint: The Implications for Women Left at Home

Panel 6 (Stream 5) — Gendered Performance and Uncertainties

- Sif Lehman Jensen (Chair)**, Aalborg University, Denmark — lehman@cgs.aau
Women's Everyday Manoeuvring of Gender Relations and Insurgency Politics in the Context of Muslim Separatism in the Philippines
- Betty M. Serame**, University of South Africa, South Africa — serammb@unisa.ac.za
Moving Along the Borders: The Dilemma of Girls as Heads of Households (CHHS) in South Africa
- Katerina Pia Gunter**, Uppsala University, Sweden — katerina.gunter@gender.uu.se
Who is a Biologist? Exploring students' Identity Formation in Higher Biology Education

Panel 7 (Stream 6) — Affective Nets and Alliances

- Deirdre Byrne (Chair)**, University of South Africa, South Africa — byrnedc@unisa.ac.za
Troubling Sisterhood: Intercultural Feminisms in the Global South
- Marie Wuth**, University of Aberdeen, UK — marie.wuth@abdn.ac.uk
Affective Nets: Alliances and Participation Beyond Borders
- Kim Ringmar Sylwander**, Stockholm University, Sweden — kim.ringmar.sylwander@buv.su.se
The Affective Politics of National Self-Identification among Young Racialized Girls on a Social Media Platform

Panel 8 (Stream 7) — Between Materiality and Vision

- Jan Büssers (Chair)**, TU Braunschweig, Germany — j.buessers@tu-bs.de
Queer Futurity and Utopia: Imagining a Non-Place for Change
- Mathias Klitgård**, University of Stavanger, Norway — mathiasklits@gmail.com
Queer Materialism: Approaches from New and Historical Materialisms
- Marie-Andrée Godin**, Aalto University, Finland — marie.andree.godin@gmail.com
WWW³ (World Wide Web / Wild Women Witches / World without Work) – Magic, Future and Postcapitalism

Panel 9 — NORA Journal — Production and Negotiation of Borders in Nordic Gender Studies Journals — Pre-proposed Roundtable.

Karin S. Lindelöf (Chair), Uppsala University, Sweden, Editor, *Tidskrift för Genusvetenskap* — karin.lindelof@gender.uu.se

15:00–15:15: Coffee Break

Parallel Sessions 15.15–17.15

Panel 1 (Stream 1) — Control Strategies and Bodily Mobility

Sofia Strid (Chair), Örebro University, Sweden — sofia.strid@oru.se

Honor as a Border Regime: Enclosure and Mobility as Mechanisms of Honor-Based Violence in Swedish Metropolitan Areas

Dana M. Olwan, Syracuse University, USA — dmolwan@syr.edu

Violence and Racial Terror in U.S. ‘Honor Crime’ Discourses

Mathilda Åkerlund & Johanna Bergstrom, Umeå University, Sweden —

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Discourses of the Female Body: How Swedish Nationalist Facebook Groups Use Images of Women to Further their Political Agendas

Alexandra Fanghanel, University of Greenwich, UK — a.n.d.fanghanel@greenwich.ac.uk

Rape Culture, Nation–Building and the Struggle for Social Justice

Stacy Banwell, University of Greenwich, UK — bs80@gre.ac.uk

“When She Decides ... the World is Better, Stronger, Safer.” Reviewing the Impact of President Trump’s Revised Gag Order on Females’ Access to Safe Abortion in Crisis, Emergency and Humanitarian Settings

Panel 2 (Stream 2) — Exceptional Migrations and the Politics of Displacement

Lene Myong, University of Stavanger & **Ingvill Stuvøy (Chair)**, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Norway — lene.myong@uis.no & ingvill.stuvoy@ntnu.no

(Re)Producing the Scandinavian Welfare State through Exceptional Migrations

Kim Park Nelson, Minnesota State University at Moorhead, USA & **Eleana Kim**, University of California, USA — parknelson@mnstate.edu & eleana.kim@uci.edu

“Natural Born Aliens:” Transnational American Adoptees and Citizenship

Daisy Deomampo, Fordham University, USA — ddeomampo@fordham.edu

Egg Donors around the Globe: Reproductive Mobility and Stratified Reproduction

Rikke Andreassen, Roskilde University, Denmark — rikkean@ruc.dk

Queer Kinship, Online Sperm Banks and Race as a Commodity

Panel 3 (Stream 2) — Female Migrant Workers

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Violence against Migrant Female Workers in the Icelandic Economy

Heidi Lehtovaara, University of Helsinki, Finland — heidi.lehtovaara@gmail.com

Invisibility and Discrimination: Skilled Migrant Women in the Finnish Labour Market

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Solidarity Work as Care Work: Migrants' and Solidarity Networks in Malmö

Sara Fürstenau, Universität Hamburg, Germany — sara.fuerstenau@uni-hamburg.de

Are Educational Aspirations a Reason to Migrate for Socially Underprivileged Young Women from Brazil? Case Study of a Transnational Social Network of Young Care Workers

Panel 4 (Stream 3) — Migration Experiences and the Access to Justice

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Women in Scandinavian Migration to Utah – 19th Century

Ioana Țișteanu, Faculty of Education, University of Tampere, Finland — ioana.tistea@tuni.fi

Re-reading the History of Migrant 'Integration' in Finland through Border Thinking and Dis-Identification, from both a Post-Colonial and a Post-Socialist Perspective

Johanna Hjertquist, University of Oslo, Norway — j.m.hjertquist@stk.uio.no

What does it take to be Part of Nordic Nation States? Integration Policy and Practices in a Gendered Perspective

Eva Midden, Utrecht University, Netherlands — e.midden@uu.nl

Negotiating Different Belongings: Religion, National Identity and Gender after Conversion to Islam

Panel 5 (Stream 2) — Feminist Perspectives on the Economy within Transforming Nordic Welfare

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U-Turn of Gender Equality Policy? Government Gender Equality Action Plans as a Technique of Governance

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Articulations of Gender Equality in Negotiations of the Competitiveness Pact in Finland

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Shaking Institutional Pillars: Outsider-Driven Deinstitutionalization of a Gendered Labour Market Practice - Paula Koskinen Sandberg

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New Public Management: Constructing (Destructive) Borders for Gender Mainstreaming

Panel 6 (Stream 3) — Settler Colonialism: Impact and Resistance

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Colonization and Changing Gender Relations in Forest Sámi Society

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The De/Mobilization of Organized Sámi Women 1988 – 2014

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Corporeal Colonialism and Its Resistance

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Indigenizing Traumatic Topographies: Place, Affect, Sovereignty, and Cherokee Two-Spirit Poetries

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Reading Lappskaletland in the Borderland of Sami Belonging

Panel 7 (Stream 4) — Cross-Border Resistances and Political Organizing

Erika Svedberg (Chair), Global Political Studies at Malmö University, Sweden — erika.svedberg@mau.se
Night-time Volunteer Patrolling in Swedish Suburbs in 2018: Women's Organizing, Respectability and the Political Subject

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Expanding the Borders of Icelandic Politics: The Role of the Women's Alliance 1983–1999

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Developing a Crowdsourced Digital Queer Archive: Challenging Knowledge Hegemonies and Hierarchies of Normative Archival Practices

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Food Sovereignty: An Intersectional Struggle

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Creating Space for Immigrant Voices in a Landscape of Gatekeepers

Panel 8 (Stream 6) — Negotiating Borders in Gender Research

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Good Will Feminism: A Critical Analysis of a Paradigm

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Queer Feminist, Post/Decolonial and Post-Secular Epistemology and Strategy for the Establishment of Radical Democratic Societies

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Epistemic (Des)Authorisation and Feminist Knowledge: A Look into the Cartography of Peripheries

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Crossing and Constructing Borders through Researcher Mobility

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On Rethinking the Political for our Troubled Times

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9:00–10:00 Keynote

Kim TallBear, University of Alberta, Canada

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10:00–10:15 Coffee Break

10:15–12:15 Parallel Sessions

Panel 1 (Stream 1) — Gender and Nationalism

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Feminisation of National Sacrum

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Nationalism — Between Women and Animals. Critical Perspective on the Reduction of Reproductive Rights and the Extension of Hunting Regulations in Poland

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Populism and the New Borders of Exclusionism in Democracy: The Dance for Gender Equality in PRRs' Policies on Institutional Representatives and Party Leadership

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"Our Family" – Populist Demarcations in Hungary

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Weak Resistance of Residual Nationalistic Imagery: Black Protest in Poland in 2016

Panel 2 (Stream 1) — The Art/Act of Witnessing

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Artistic Interventions in Post-National War Narratives: Rethinking Gender and Nation

Elisaveta Dvorakk, Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany — info@elisavetadvorakk.de

Journalistic Photography and Material Visual Knowledge Production: Aesthetics of the Documentary and Discourses on the Nation State from Annemarie Schwarzenbach to Annie Leibovitz

Candis Callison & Mary Lynn Young, University of British Columbia, Canada —

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What is your Obligation to Non-Humans and Humans? Indigenous Feminisms and Journalism Epistemologies

Ulla Angkjær Jørgensen, Norwegian University of Science and Technology & **Sigrun Åsebø**, University of Bergen, Norway — ulla.jorgensen@ntnu.no & sigrun.asebo@uib.no
Indigenous, Feminist and Queer Perspectives Risk Eternal Invisibility in the Art Museum in Spite of Current Visibility: A few Norwegian Examples

Panel 3 (Stream 2) — Border Control Technologies

Michelle Pfeifer (Chair), New York University, USA — michelle.pfeifer@nyu.edu
Your Voice is (Not) Your Passport, Technologies of Sound and Race in Germany

Disa Helander, Umea University, Sweden — disa.helander@umu.se
The Use of DNA-tests in Migration Control: A Racialized/ing Practice?

Cristina Jo Pérez, University of Michigan, USA — cjperez@umich.edu
The Rise of the Border Industrial Candidate

Alex Farley, WoMena, Uganda — a.farley103@gmail.com
Refugee Legislation in South Africa: A Feminist Foreign Policy Analysis

Panel 4 (Stream 2) — Experiencing Migration: Transnational Perspectives

Hólmfríður Garðarsdóttir (Chair), University of Iceland, Iceland — holmfr@hi.is
Masquerading as “the Other” to Thrive and Survive

Miriam Trzeciak, Brandenburg University of Technology Cottbus–Senftenberg, Germany — trzeciak@b-tu.de
What does Migration Mean for the Community? Social Worlds of Leaving and Staying in the Borderland Chiapas

Diana Marre, Autonomous University of Barcelona, Spain — diana.marre@uab.es
Cross-border Mobilities in Contemporary Spain

Elisabeth Stubberud & Priscilla Ringrose, Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Norway — elisabeth.stubberud@ntnu.no & priscilla.ringrose@ntnu.no
Fantasies of Homogeneity, Realities of Assimilation: An Analysis of Documentary Films about Kvens and Norwegian–Pakistanis

Panel 5 (Stream 3) — Indigenous Alternatives

Stine H. Bang Svendsen (Chair), Norwegian University of Science and Technology, Norway — stine.helena.svendsen@ntnu.no
Resisting the White Possessive: Elsa Laula and Karin Stenbergs Contributions to Theorising Nordic Racism

Begoña Dorrnsoro, University of Coimbra, Portugal — begonadorrnsoro@ces.uc.pt
Dismantling the Modern Nation–State: On Matrias, Nations without State, and Indigenous Struggles in Dialogue

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White Settler Revisionism as if Métis Women Matter

Vladislava Vladimirova, Uppsala University, Sweden — vladislava.vladimirova@ires.uu.se

Indigenous Feminist Studies as Lens for Critical Analysis of Ethnographic Representations of Indigenous Women in Russia

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Panel 6 (Stream 3) — Indigenous Women, territoriality and decolonization in Canada — Pre-proposed panel

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The Role of Urban Indigenous Women in the Emergence of an Indigenous Civil Society in Québec

Suzy Basile, Université du Québec en Abitibi-Témiscamingue, Canada — Suzy.Basile@uqat.ca

Indigenous Women and their Connection to the Territory Leads to a Research Laboratory

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Métis Women and the Stewardship of the Land

Cyndy Wylde, Université du Québec en Abitibi-Témiscamingue, Canada — cyndy.wylde@uqat.ca

Incarceration: Indigenous Women Up Against the Wall!

Panel 7 (Stream 4) — Theories of Feminist Knowledge Production

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Woman Conflicted

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The Ruling Relations of Feminist Knowledge Production: Between Integration and Resistance

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Striking from the Margins

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Contextualizing Gender Studies Research and Teaching - Epistemic Questions in Practice

Panel 8 (Stream 4) — Dichotomies of Asylum and Citizenship

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Temporary Foreign Workers in Sweden: Various Stages of Rights or Rightlessness – Vietnamese Manicure Workers and Uzbek Men in Construction

Iryna Sofinska, National University "Lviv Polytechnic", Ukraine — sofinska@gmail.com

Trajectory of Citizenship: From Right to Privilege

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Settlement Experiences in Toronto, Canada: Perspectives of Syrian Newcomer Women

Barbara Stein, The Arctic University of Norway — Barbara.s.stein@uit.no

Engaging Women in Integration: Exploring Relations between Integration, Gender Equality, and Voluntary Work

Biljana Maslovarić & Danijela Vuković-Čalasan, University of Montenegro, Montenegro —

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Integration of Roma People in Montenegro – Problems and Challenges

12:15–13:15 Lunch

13:15–15:15 Parallel Sessions

Panel 1 (Stream 1) — Gendered Revisitations of the Outré

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The Monster, Lingerie Models and Unsuspicious, Beautiful Angels: Racialized Gender Orders, U.S. Border Security, and the Political Economy of Illicit Drug Trafficking in the Americas

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Cosmetic Convivialities and Cosmopolitan Beginnings

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"That Disgusting Guy who Copulates with Christ": Sex, Censorship and Homosociality in the Polish Contemporary Performance Art

Mara Mattoscio, "ISIA Pescara – Design", Pescara, Italy — mara.mattoscio@gmail.com

"Violent Conclusions" versus "Hopeful Returns". Zadie Smith's The Embassy of Cambodia and the Political Performativity of the Narrative Voice

Panel 2 (Stream 2) — Transnational Migrant/Refugee Experiences

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The Gendered Ecosystem of Migration and the Multiplicity of Discourses and Narratives on Migrants

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Retrieving Migration Experience: Crossing Borders as a Gendered Practice

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Feeling the Real: The 'Non-Nomadic' Subject of Feminism

Lan Kieu, Umeå University, Sweden — lan.kieu@umu.se

Gratitude's Compulsion

Panel 3 (Stream 2) — Women in the Arctic: Investigating the Politics of Gender History, Coloniality, Decoloniality and Indigeneity in the Greenlandic Archive — Pre-proposed panel

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Women in the Arctic: Gendering Coloniality in Travel Narratives from the Far North, 1907-1930

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Kakiuineq - a(n Indigenous) Heritage Practice Revitalised

Eva Luusi M.-Mølgaard, University of Greenland, Greenland — evaluusi@live.dk

Constructing/perceiving Gender in Greenland's first newspaper Atuagagdliutit, 1861-1901

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Decolonising Greenlandic Art

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Historical Sources, Coloniality of Power and Gender in Greenland: New Data and Persistent Issues

Panel 4 (Stream 3) — Decolonial/Feminist/Queer Imaginaries: (Re)making Knowledge on Gender and Sexual Justice in Contemporary South Africa — Pre-proposed panel

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New Imaginaries for Gender and Sexual Justice in Contemporary South African Contexts: Decolonial, Feminist and Queer Engagements in Higher Education

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Ruins of the Decolonial projects: Exploiting Imaginations and Possibilities

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Re-Envisioning Intervention Practices for Domestically Violent Men in the Global South through Decolonial Feminist Praxes: A South African Perspective

Wanelisa Xaba, University of Cape Town, South Africa — wanelisa.sayf@gmail.com

Exploring Black Students Experiences of Blackness within Continuities of Colonialist, Patriarchal and Heteronormative Contexts of SA Higher Education

Panel 5 (Stream 3) — Responses and Reconceptualizations

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(De)Colonial Bodies: African-Norwegian Responses to Everyday Racism

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Reconceptualizing Gender: Decolonial Reflections Based on Fieldwork in Greenland and Mozambique

Kerstin Schopp, International Centre for Ethics in the Sciences and Humanities, Tübingen, Germany — kerstin.schopp@uni-tuebingen.de
Loss and New Opportunities: An Investigation of Gendered Coping Strategies after Resettlement in Cameroon

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Contesting Decolonial Colonialism

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Decentralization, Decommodification, Decolonization: Black Womyn and the Possibilities for Uncolonized Geographies in European Cities

Panel 6 (Stream 4) — Exploring Intersectionality and Border Regimes

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Knowing, Doing and Undoing: Exploring the Interplay between Three Modes of Engagement with Intersectionality

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Fragmentized Intersectionality? A Tool to Build Transcultural Feminist Solidarity

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Intersectionality as Identity and Practice among Feminist Activists in Stockholm

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The Ever-Hybrid Researchers: Critical Feminist Approaches in Studying Migrant Integration

Panel 7 (Stream 5) — Gender-Based Violence— An International Perspective

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How Universal is Conflict–Related Sexual Violence? Insights from Colombia

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Gender–Based Violence in International Criminal Law: A Feminist Analysis of the Reconciliation Process in Post–Conflict Sri Lanka

Caitlin Carroll, University of Texas at Austin, USA — caitlin.carroll@gender.uu.se
Kvinnofrid and Consent: Rape Law in "Gender–Equal" Sweden

Margunn Bjørnholt & Hannah Hespeth, University of Oslo, Norway — margunn.bjornholt@nkvt.no & hannahhespeth@gmail.com
Chock, Fear and Rape in Intimate Relations, Gendered Power Dynamics

Hannah Stahl, Faculty of Community Services–Ryerson University, Canada — hannah.stahl@ryerson.ca
Multi–Level Stakeholder Consultation towards Addressing Violence against Women in Brazil: Focus on Feminist Grounds and Citizen Entrepreneurship

Panel 8 (Stream 7) — Creativity, Resistance, and Change in Times of Crises: Who is the Subject Speaking? — Pre-proposed Roundtable

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15:15–15:30 Coffee Break

15:30–17:00 Plenary Session

Closing remarks

Cultural Event

17:00 – 19:00 Reception