

April 21

Venue 1: Institute of International Relations and Political Science (IIRPS)
Address: Vokieciu str. 10

Venue 2: Vilnius University Main Building
Address: Universiteto str. 3

9.00-9.30 Coffee (Vilnius University Main Building, Senate Hall)
9.30-11.00 Parallel panels/workshops/meetings

Panel 10. Genderifying Economic Analysis (Chair: Marcella Corsi, Giulia Zacchia)

Vilnius University Main Building, Senate Hall

Daniela Arlia *Should She Stay or Should She Go?*
Cristina Benlloch *Women and invisible work: proposals for labor surveys*
Sara Picchi *Do personal care and domestic workers suffer from a wage penalty? The case of Italy*
Federico Gonzalez *Poverty and gender: contributions to rethink time poverty*

Panel 11. Contested Reproductive Rights (Chairs: Beatriz Revelles and Kateřina Kolářová)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room B3 (University Library)

Rebecca Smyth *Abortion and international human rights law: a comparative study of Ireland and El Salvador*
Margherita Logrillo *Conscientious Objection and Abortion in Italy: a Bioethical Perspective*
Doris Leibetseder *Contesting Reproduction: Trans and Queer People & Assisted Reproductive Technologies*

Panel 12. Anti-gender & Homophobia (Chairs: Rasa Navickaitė and Adriano J. Habed)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room B2 (University Library)

Barbara Gaweda *Anti-gender mobilizations in Eastern Europe in a comparative perspective: lessons from Poland and Russia*
Marita Zitmane *The evils of Istanbul Convention. Discourse analysis of Latvian press publications*

Panel 13. Gender mainstreaming and gender budgeting (Chair: Giovanna Vingelli)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room 238

Visnja Bacanovic *Knowledge production and gender mainstreaming practice in Serbia*
Dalia Costa, Analia Torres, Bernardo Coelho, Diana Maciel *Gender mainstreaming: from the concept to practice planning and evaluating public policies at local level*
Paula Cirujano Campano *14 years doing gender budgeting in Andalusia: commitment and innovation*
AMAZONE (Inge Van der Stighelen and Virginie Tumelaire) *Gender and open data: let's make the link!*
Helena Morais Maceira *Initial mapping of gender budgeting processes in the EU: preliminary findings*

Panel 14. Anti-discrimination & Diversity (Chair: Dovilė Jakniūnaitė)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room 239

Yên Mai *Constructing Safe Space for an Inclusive Education*
Maria Tsuroufli *Developing whole school Gender Equality Charter Marks in order to overcome gender stereotyping in education across Europe*
Athena-Maria Enderstein *Gender training and European cultures of equality*
Diana Maciel, Diana Carvalho, Anália Torres *Gender patterns in educational and occupational trajectories*

Workshop: Structural Changes Organizations can implement to provide their bisexual employees with visibility and social comfort (Organizer: Skylar Leslie)

IIRPS, Library Room "Winter Garden"

This workshop discusses issues of biphobia, bisexual erasure and micro-aggression in order to address general concerns for bisexuals. It also addresses the results from previous work in terms of opinions on biphobia versus official regulations in place, bisexual employees' opinions of their workplace and colleagues' attitudes towards their bisexuality. From this comes a discussion of avoidant behaviors resulting from negative treatment, and the measures fellow employees and managers can adopt in order to support bisexual employees.

11.00-11.45 Coffee break (IIRPS, 4th floor)
11.45-13.00 Roundtable

Female scientific careers from a glocal perspective: between policy making and academic research (Chair: Beatriz Revelles)

IIRPS, Conference Hall, 4th floor

Ana María González Ramos (GENERA)
Jolanta Reingarde (EIGE)
Alexandra Bitusikova (GenPort)

The purpose of this workshop is to assess the different scientific careers that women develop in different areas of research, covering from humanities to natural sciences. The speakers are very diverse stakeholders from different geographical regions in Europe in order to achieve a glocal perspective of this phenomenon. The roundtable will offer an analysis, a debate of contemporary female situation in academia, as well as move towards solutions to face present inequalities.

13.00-13.30 Closing ceremony (IIRPS, Conference Hall, 4th floor)
13.30-15.00 Lunch (take-out)
15.00-17.00 Social activities (upon registration)

ATGENDER Spring Conference

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April 19

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13.00-18.00 Registration (entrance) and coffee (4th floor)
14.00-14.30 Opening ceremony. Words by institutional representatives and conference organizers: **ATGENDER, EIGE** and **VU**
14.30-15.30 **Keynote speech by Caroline Ausserer** + Q&A
15.30-16.00 Coffee break
16.00-17.00 **Keynote speech by Agnès Hubért** + Q&A
17.00-18.00 Roundtable

Bridging gender research and policy-makers to tackle the new and emerging challenges the European Union is facing?

Agnès Hubért (PRESAGE/Sciencepo/OFCE)
Gill Allwood (Nottingham Trent University)
Mari-Liis Sepper (Transgender Europe)
Tamás Heizer EIGE's Management Board
Virginija Langbakk (EIGE)

The European Union has faced several challenges during the past years; ranging from the economic and bank crisis, migration flows and BREXIT to the rise of populist and anti-equality movements. Academia has a strong role in understanding these issues in depth. In this roundtable we look at how the academic research on gender could better inform policy-making institutions, intergovernmental bodies and international organisations to take stock at the research findings.

18.00-18.15 Coffee break
18.15-18.45 Book launch

ATGENDER Teaching Series new book: *Teaching Gender: Feminist pedagogy and responsibility in times of political crisis* (Chair: Daša Duhaček)

Ana María González Ramos, Beatriz Revelles (co-editors).
Jessie Bustillos (contributor)

Inspired by bell hooks' "transgressive school" and Donna Haraway's "responsibility", this collection promotes a politics of care within the classroom through new forms of organizational practices. It engages with the challenges and possibilities of teaching students about women and gender by examining the multiple pedagogical, theoretical, and political dimensions of feminist learning. The book revisits how we can reconfigure a feminist politics of responsibility that is able to respond to or engage with contemporary crises. It also conceptualizes crisis and explains how it is transforming contemporary societies and affecting individual vulnerabilities and institutional structures. Finally, it offers practical cases from different European locations, in which crisis and responsibility have served to reformulate contemporary feminist pedagogies, altering curriculums, reframing institutions, and affecting the process of teaching and learning.

19.30-21.00 Conference Dinner (Vilnius University's cafe, Universiteto str. 7)

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April 20

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Venue 3: European Institute of Gender Equality (EIGE)
Address: Gedimino pr. 16

9.00-9.30 Coffee/registration (Vilnius University Main Building, Senate Hall)

9.30-11.00 Parallel panels/workshops/meetings

Panel 1. Gender, Politics, Policies (Chairs: Sierra Kane and Ana María González Ramos)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room 238

Cornelia Hippmann *Career chances of female politicians from East-Germany in the time of change 1989/1990. A biographical Approach*
Kristin Papcunova *Typology of women's attitudes to feminism and the concept of private feminism in Czech context*
Suzy Morrissey *Policy making as problem solving. The 'problems' behind paid parental leave in New Zealand and Norway*
Larissa Gomes *Where there is a will, there isn't always a way*

Panel 2. Gender based Violence (Chairs: Sveva Magaraggia and Giulia Garofalo-Geymonat)

Vilnius University Main Building, Senate Hall

Theresa Murphy *Administrative data on rape and intimate partner violence in the EU*
Petroula M. Mavrikiou *A quantitative approach of the current situation in Cyprus on gender violence and the invisibility of intersectionality*
Tanvi Jayaraman *Dietrologia: A Mixed Methods Analysis of Intimate Partner Violence Survivor Experiences and Support in Calabria, Italy*
Bailey Gerrits *"Contre Les Violences": A Social-Semiotic Analysis of the 2014 French Anti-Domestic Violence PSAs*

Panel 3. Men and masculinities (Chairs: Christine Quinan and Biljana Kašić)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room 239

Gerlinde Mauerer *Paternal Leave and Part-Time Work: Challenges and Future Perspectives*
Eleonore Komai *Reshaping masculinities through parental leave policy: transformation and challenges*
Katrien De Graeve *(Re)production of masculine sexualities in the context of non-monogamous internet-mediated dating*

Panel 4. Gender and media (Chairs: Aino-Maja Hiltunen and Jessie Bustillos)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room B3 (University Library)

Maya Schwartz, Dorit Zimand *LGBT Mainstreamism Visibility and Representation in Israeli Television Commercials*
Nevena Dakovic *Towards Gender Equality in Serbian Cinema: from analysis to strategies*
Virginija Šidlauskienė *The provocative sculpture weep in city. Public debate around visual image of girl*

Intersectional Research: How to Do It? Workshop (Organizers: Sabrina Marchetti and Daniela Cherubini)

IIRPS, Library Room "Winter Garden"

Giovanna Vingelli (University of Calabria)
Hana Hašková, Alena Křížková, Kristyna Šeflová (Czech Academy of Science)
Hedvika Janeckova (EIGE)
Sabrina Marchetti, Daniela Cherubini (University Ca' Foscari of Venice)

Since the resurgence of the debate around 'intersectionality', and more recently with its popularisation in European academia and policy-making, several scholars from different fields have declared their adherence to the tenets of this approach, by emphasising the importance of intersections and co-dependence between the many axes of difference that affect people's experiences and narratives. However, great work still needs to be done when it comes to how to proceed with the making of an 'intersectional research': what are the best ways to gather empirical data, analyse and interpret them for this purpose? How does an 'intersectional data-set' look like? How do we address 'intersectionally' the people we interview? And how can the results be interpreted and circulated without losing the 'intersectional' character of the collection moment? Such dilemmas typically accompany the many researchers working hands-on with qualitative and quantitative data. This workshop wants to offer the opportunity to share open questions, solutions and ideas amongst feminist scholars that are working along the lines of intersectionality on various topics and different disciplines, with a balance between quantitative and qualitative research approaches.

"Connecting European Gender Research" Meeting (Organizer: Beate Kuehnert)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room B2 (University Library)

This meeting is an invitation for representatives of European regional/national networks to come together and introduce and exchange visions about future connections and possible cooperations. It is following the prior workshop in Rovaniemi, which was the start for the informal network of European regional and national networks in the realm of Gender Studies. In order to expand this networking of networks, it is plan to find out where more networks in Europe exist and think about how to invite representatives of European gender networks to contact them. If your network is interested in being in touch with other networks – no matter, if you can come to the annual meeting or not –, please contact Beate Kuehnert (bkuehne@uni-goettingen.de).

11.00-11.30 Coffee break (Vilnius University's cafe, Universiteto str. 7, 2nd floor)

11.30-13.00 Parallel panels/workshops/meetings

Panel 5. Genderifying Economic Analysis (Chairs: Giulia Zacchia, Marcella Corsi)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room B3 (University Library)

Cecilia De Luca *Global crisis and the emergence of the women voices*
Magdalena Pokrzywa *Feminization of poverty – social assistance female clients in Poland*
Larissa Gomes, Tatiana Goulart *Gender Differences in Local Executive: Public Policy and Tax Transfers*
Antonella Magliocco *Gender biases in banking senior management. The Italian case*
Helena Morais Maceira *Economic benefits of gender equality in the EU*

Panel 6. Men and masculinities (Chairs: Christine Quinan and Biljana Kašić)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room 238

Marina Sola García *Challenging Violence and Victimisation Discourses in International Relations. The experiences of Men and Women during the Rwandan Genocide*
Lucy Mears *It's a Man!': Re-Gendering Queer Subjects in Cambodia and Thailand for International HIV/AIDS Policy Reform*
Merel van Mansom *"I am a normal man who looks for normal seks." Reflections of Swedish and Dutch clients on masculinities and recent anti-trafficking campaigns*
Custodio Delgado Valbuena *Care, gender, masculinities and social class in Spain*

Panel 7. Prostitution, sex work, trafficking (Chairs: Edyta Just and Tarah Stéfié Paul)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room 239

Rafaela Pascoal *The use of the migration policies by the Nigerian criminal networks working on human trafficking for sexual purposes*
Mihaela Tomita, Adina Schwartz *Sexually exploited women, victims of human trafficking and the influence of drug use upon them*
Giorgia Serughetti *Rethinking force and consent, victimisation and agency: a feminist approach to prostitution policy*
Marco Bacio *Male sex workers. A comparative study of a fringe phenomenon in Italy and Sweden*

Panel 8. Gender and Migration (Chairs: Sara de Jong and Marianne Schmidbaur)

Vilnius University Main Building, Senate Hall

Dilek Cindoglu *Gender, Intimacy and Syrian Civil War*
Claudia Morini *Mapping Love: Ethnography of migrant women squatters in Florence, Italy*
Eglė Kačkutė *Educated Expatriate Mothers in Geneva*
Rica Unico *The Regulation of Homosexual Identities in the Netherlands: The Regular Queer Dutch Subjects versus The Irregular Queer Filipino Population*

Panel 9. Gender based Violence (Chairs: Sveva Magaraggia and Giulia Garofalo-Geymonat)

IIRPS, Library Room "Winter Garden"

Elena Chernyak *Is a beating man indeed a loving man? Risk and protective factors for intimate partner violence in post-Soviet societies*
Analia Torres, Dalia Costa, Helena Sant'Ana, Bernardo Coelho, Isabel Sousa *Sexual harassment and bullying in the workplace: what gender got to do with it?*
Anikó Gregor *Turning research into practice: exploration of and policy-making against sexism and gender-based violence at a Hungarian university*

Gender Studies Careers: A Cross-Generational Workshop (Organizer: Bertheke Waaldijk)

EIGE, Conference Room

In this workshop, students (BA/MA/PhD) and teacher-researchers (junior, mid-career, senior) will exchange experiences and the challenges of building a gender studies career. The participants will reflect on the ways in which gender programmes can strengthen the preparation and enjoyment of academic professions and other jobs that require academic training in gender studies. A structured exchange will allow all participants to ask 'everything you always wanted to know about gender studies careers, but were afraid to ask'. How to acquire, how to enjoy and how to finish your dream job? What to do with your feminism? What can insiders learn from outsiders and vice versa?

Maximum participants: 14, both 'starters' and 'those who seem to have made it' are cordially invited to join this exploration. Participants need to have registered beforehand.

WINE Meeting (Organizer: Karin Aleksander)

Vilnius University Main Building, Room B2 (University Library)

The meeting of the Women Information Network Europe (WINE) is open for all participants of the Spring Conference who are interested in cataloging, digitization and preservation of materials concerning women's movements and gender theory. WINE will inform about contemporary projects of our archives and libraries and serve all information needs.

13.00-14.30 Lunch (Vilnius University's cafe, Universiteto str. 7, 2nd floor)

14.30-15.45 Roundtable

Feminism and Gender Studies in Central Eastern Europe and Policy Influence (Chair: Dovilė Jaknūnaitė, Vilnius University)

IIRPS, Conference Hall, 4th floor

Almira Ousmanova (European Humanities University)
Biljana Kašić (University of Zadar; Centre for Women's Studies, Zagreb)
Daša Duhaček (University of Belgrade)
Kateřina Kolářová (Charles University Prague)
Margarita Jankauskaitė (Center for Equality Advancement)

Feminist ideas to Central and Eastern European countries came in different stages and through different paths: some had strong feminist social movements, some are still in waiting for feminist ideas to be acknowledged in local academic discourses or/and gender politics to become the part of policy debates. The goal of this roundtable is to share and compare a variety of experiences developing gender studies and implementing gender policies in Central Eastern European (CEE) countries during the last twenty years. Some issues/questions to be discussed: role of gender studies in the region/particular states, what kind of impact if any they have on policy, what issues have been publicly debated and what tendencies about the societies in CEE they indicate.

15.45-16.00 Coffee break

16.00-18.00 **ATGENDER General Assembly** (IIRPS, Conference Hall, 4th floor)

18.00-20.00 Social activities (upon registration)

From 20.30: Drinks (location tba)