



Doing Gender in the Netherlands: Feminism in Transition (Activism, Institutions and Canons)

***National Research Day for PhD students in the field of Gender, Ethnicity,
Sexuality and Diversity***

Monday May 26, 2014 – University of Amsterdam

The Netherlands Research School of Gender Studies (NOG) hosts the annual National Research Day dedicated to the cutting edge work of junior researchers of Dutch universities in the field of Gender, Ethnicity, Sexuality and Diversity. The 2014 edition of the National Research Day will be located at the Amsterdam Research Center for Gender and Sexuality (ARC-GS, University of Amsterdam). Postdocs, PhD's and advanced RMA candidates are cordially invited to come and participate in this cutting edge event.

Call for Papers:

The *Doing Gender in the Netherlands Day* is open for presentations of Postdocs, PhD students and advanced research master students registered at Dutch universities.

There are several options to participate:

- as a paper presenter
- as a listener
- as a referee

Deadline for abstracts:

Abstracts for papers (300 words maximum) can be sent to NOG@uu.nl **until the extended deadline of Monday March 17, 2014**. Please mention the following details: your name, university, work address, and supervisor(s). Two weeks after the deadline we'll let you know whether you are accepted as a presenter.

Accepted papers are due **Friday May 2, 2014** and should be submitted to NOG@uu.nl. The final paper has 4500-6000 words (excluding footnotes and references).

Format of the day:

The day will start with a short state of the art opening address by NOG director Professor Rosemarie Buikema and ARC-GS director Dr. Rachel Spronk. The major part of the day will be dedicated to the discussion of work in progress by means of paper presentations. The day will be concluded by an analysis of the highlights in gender research in the Netherlands today by Dr. Liza Mügge (staff member ARC-GS).

Depending on the foci of the PhD paper proposals thematic sessions will be formed, either plenary or paralleled depending on the number of accepted papers.

Paper participants prepare a presentation of 10 minutes to allow for plenary discussion and questions. Full papers will be distributed in advance among the panel participants. Prepared feedback on the papers will be given by a senior NOG staff member. It is possible to add suggestions for preferred referees.

Language:

The language of the day is English.

Registration:

Please reply to this mail if you want to attend the National Research Day *Doing Gender in the Netherlands* as either paper presenter or listener **before Monday March 17, 2014**.

To organize this National Research Day we ask for a contribution of €15,- from every participant (listener or presenter) for tea, coffee, lunch and drinks, to be paid at the registration desk on the day.

Publications:

Members of the board of the Dutch Journal of Genderstudies (Tijdschrift voor Genderstudies) will be present to invite some of the best papers to be worked out for publication.

More information:

The Netherlands Research School of Gender Studies (NOG) at Utrecht University (The Netherlands) provides a platform for gender sensitive and postcolonial research. Since 1995, the NOG has offered a highly successful training programme and research environment for postgraduate students, PhD students and senior researchers. The NOG teaching and research staff consists of an international team of professors and senior lecturers from various universities.

The NOG is a top European programme and plays a central role in European cooperation on research and training in the area of Gender and Postcolonial studies. It has an excellent, long-standing international reputation for its pioneering work in the field of literary, cultural, philosophical, anthropological and epistemological feminist studies.

It offers one of Europe's most advanced interdisciplinary teaching and research programmes in the humanities, with a core curriculum on feminist theory, issues of difference and diversity, gender and postcolonialism.

In addition, the NOG is involved in European and international projects like the InterGender network (coordinated by Linköping University, with other Swedish partner universities and international universities such as Humboldt University and Helsinki University) and ATGENDER, to establish a European joint PhD curriculum in Gender Studies.

The NOG Board consists of Prof. Rosemarie Buikema (Utrecht University, Graduate Gender Programme and scientific chair of the NOG), Prof. Lies Wesseling (Maastricht University, Centre for Gender and Diversity), Prof. Willy Jansen (Radboud University Nijmegen, Institute for Gender Studies) and Dr. Rachel Spronk (University of Amsterdam, Research Center for Gender and Sexuality).

We are looking forward to an inspiring day, and hope to see you all the 26rd of May!

Prof. Rosemarie Buikema
Prof. Willy Jansen
Dr. Lies Wesseling
Dr. Rachel Spronk