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**With this newsletter we wish to inform you of relevant events, paper calls and scholarships.**

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**Kind regards,**

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## **CALLS FOR PAPERS**

- **NOV National PhD Research Day 'Doing Gender in the Netherlands: Discovering the Global in the Local' (Utrecht University, Friday 18 February 2011)**

**Theme:** This National PhD Research Day is dedicated to the cutting edge work of junior researchers in the field of Gender, Ethnicity, Sexuality and Diversity. This PhD Research Day is meant for advanced research master students and PhD's, but is also open to others.

**Submission guidelines:** Only advanced research master students and PhD students can submit an abstract. Abstracts for papers (300 words maximum) can be sent to [NOV@uu.nl](mailto:NOV@uu.nl) before Tuesday December 14, 2010. Please mention the following details: your name, university, work address, and supervisor(s). Accepted papers are due Tuesday February 1, 2011 and should be submitted to [NOV@uu.nl](mailto:NOV@uu.nl). The final paper has 4500-6000 words (excluding footnotes and references).

**Deadline:** Tuesday December 14, 2010

**More information:** <http://www.genderstudies.nl/> or [nov@uu.nl](mailto:nov@uu.nl)

- **Graduate Journal of Social Science**

**Theme:** Interdisciplinarity and the New University

**Topic:** The Graduate Journal of Social Science (GJSS) welcomes contributions for its June 2011 issue on the effects of the 'new university' structure from students and early-career scholars who are struggling with these issues today. Topics include, but are not limited to: How are shifts in funding and education policy changing the types of projects getting funded and the types of research that can be conducted?; examinations of methods and tactics taken during various student-led actions, including responses by administrations, other members of the student body, and by the media at large; and Critical reflections (or experiences) of how these new and evolving circumstances can be approached methodologically.

**Submission guidelines:** Articles should be between 5000-7000 words in length (including footnotes). The GJSS encourages the submission of work from all disciplines and geographical areas, and particularly from MSc/MA/MS, MPhil, PhD students and junior academics.

**Deadline:** Wednesday December 1, 2010

**More information:** <http://www.gjss.org/index.php?/Interdisciplinarity-and-the-New-University.html>

- **Feminisms in Transnational Perspective (23 - 27 May 2011 - Croatia)**

**Theme:** Women narrating their lives and actions

**Topic:** The Zagreb Centre for Women's Studies in collaboration with four institutions listed below are pleased to announce the fifth postgraduate course on Feminisms in Transnational Perspective.

**Submission guidelines:** Please submit a proposal consisting of a short narrative describing your interest in the topic and your CV. Put all current contact information at

the top of your CV. Send submissions by e-mail to [zenstud@zamir.net](mailto:zenstud@zamir.net). Use the subject: IUC Dubrovnik 2011.

**Deadline:** Tuesday January 20, 2011

**More information:** <http://www.zenstud.hr/>

- **Jaarboek voor Vrouwengeschiedenis – Dutch Only**

**Thema:** Gender, Materiële Cultuur, Design

**Onderwerp:** De redactie van het Jaarboek voor Vrouwengeschiedenis 31 (2011) nodigt iedereen die zich aangesproken voelt door het thema Gender, Materiële Cultuur, Design uit om een bijdrage te leveren: kunst- en designhistorici, historici, antropologen, sociologen en literatuurwetenschappers. Papers kunnen gaan over elk onderwerp vanaf de prehistorie tot heden, en elk geografisch gebied. Besproken cases kunnen genderstereotypen bevestigen, onderuit halen of op andere wijze problematiseren.

**Richtlijnen paper:** Artikelen mogen maximaal 6000 woorden lang zijn, inclusief noten en literatuurverwijzingen, en met een beperkt aantal afbeeldingen. Ze worden door vakreferenten beoordeeld. Bij de artikelen wordt een Engelse samenvatting gevraagd van 150 woorden en een auteursbiografie van 100 woorden. Graag ontvangt de redactie abstracts van maximaal 300 woorden, te versturen naar: [m.h.groot@hum.leidenuniv.nl](mailto:m.h.groot@hum.leidenuniv.nl)

**Deadline:** Woensdag 1 december 2010

**Meer informatie:** Marjan Groot (gastredacteur): [m.h.groot@hum.leidenuniv.nl](mailto:m.h.groot@hum.leidenuniv.nl).

- **Culture, Management and Feminist perspectives 7th Critical Management Studies conference (11 - 13 July, 2011 - Naples, Italy)**

**Theme:** A call for feminist analysis informing cross-cultural management discourses and practices

**Topic:** Stream organized by Laurence Romani, Pia Höök, Charlotte Holgersson and Janne Tienari. We invite submission of papers' abstracts-synopsis on topics addressing the lack of feminist perspectives in international management and cross-cultural management. Empirical and theoretical contributions are welcome on the following (but not limited to) topics: Feminist/power analysis of international management, international business and cross-cultural management; To what extent are the concepts, tools and recommendations used in cross-cultural management developed with an implicit masculine norm?; Example of intersectional investigations in international or cross-cultural management, and their contributions; Feminist/power analysis of international or cross-cultural management education; Theoretical frameworks enabling feminist/power perspectives for cross-cultural management analyses.

**Submission guidelines:** Please send your abstract (max 1,500 words) to [Laurence.Romani@hhs.se](mailto:Laurence.Romani@hhs.se).

**Deadline:** Tuesday November 30, 2010

**More information:** <http://www.organizzazione.unina.it/cms7/index.php>

- **Does your scholarly work focus on lesbians and gays in formal politics? Building up a LGBTQ network**

**Theme:** We would like to get connected with other scholars in social sciences who share our enthusiasm to explore the topic of lesbian and gay politics and politicians, gay and lesbian issues in institutionalized politics and state policies, as well as research on the heteronormativity of (formal) democratic processes from interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary perspectives.

**Topic:** Again, while a lot of research has been focusing on normalizing developments within the LGBTQ-movements, hardly any European based research can be found on the shifts in institutionalized politics and formal democratic process. These questions rise not only from the contradictory empirical developments, but are also one of the effects of queer theory, and these are only some of the issues we want to explore together. Would you like to join us in doing that? We'll collect all the replies we have received by, put them together and return them to all those who have responded to this call. After that, we'll see what kind of interests and connections will emerge!

**Submission guidelines:** Please send a 150 words description of your research interest to [tuula.juvonen@helsinki.fi](mailto:tuula.juvonen@helsinki.fi). Please include information about your affiliation/s and contact addresses, and a website address, if applicable.

**Deadline:** November 31, 2010

**More information:** [tuula.juvonen@helsinki.fi](mailto:tuula.juvonen@helsinki.fi)

- **Theorizing Age: Challenging the Disciplines (6 - 9 October 2011, Maastricht University)**

**When:** 7th International Symposium on Cultural Gerontology

Inaugural Conference of the European Network in Aging Studies (ENAS)

**What:** This conference aims to discuss the challenges that inter- and multidisciplinary research on aging and later life faces. Not only do disciplines such as gerontology, sociology, history, philosophy, and the arts vary in the way they question age-related matters and implement various methodologies to provide answers to these questions. They also use different sets of concepts and terminologies, or use the same concepts but define them differently. Therefore, discipline-challenging dialogues will be generated at this conference along three paradigm shifts in the cross-disciplinary study of aging.

**Submission guidelines:** We welcome proposals for individual papers and full panels.

Proposals for papers should include the title of the paper, an abstract of 300 words, a 5-line bio of the presenter, and contact details. Proposals for panels of 4 papers should include the title of the panel, an abstract of 750 words referring to the 4 papers, a 5-line bio of the panel's chair and the other panelists, and the contact details of the chair.

Proposals can be sent to [elena.fronk@maastrichtuniversity.nl](mailto:elena.fronk@maastrichtuniversity.nl) until 15th March, 2011.

**More information:** <http://call-for-papers.sas.upenn.edu/node/39194>

## **CONFERENCES**

- **NOV National PhD Research Day 'Doing Gender in the Netherlands: Discovering the Global in the Local' (Utrecht University)**

**Date:** Friday 18 February 2011

**Location:** Utrecht, the Netherlands. Location will be announced later.

**Theme:** To celebrate the recognition of the Netherlands Research School of Women's Studies (NOV) as the national platform for gender research within the new plan for the 'Duurzame Geesteswetenschappen' ('Sustainable Humanities'), this National Research PhD Day is dedicated to the cutting edge work of junior researchers in the field of Gender, Ethnicity, Sexuality and Diversity. Open to PhD's and advanced research master students to present their work and open to everybody who would like to listen.

**More information:** <http://www.genderstudies.nl/> or [nov@uu.nl](mailto:nov@uu.nl)

- **Jubileumcongres Aletta 'Oral History' (Amsterdam) – Dutch Only**

**Datum:** Vrijdag 3 december 2010.

**Tijd:** Programma tussen 10 uur en 17 uur (afsluitend met een borrel).

**Wat:** In december 2010 bestaat Aletta, instituut voor vrouwengeschiedenis, 75 jaar. Op ons jubileumcongres zullen experts op het gebied van oral history en andere methodes om een eigen bronnencollectie op te bouwen hun ervaringen presenteren.

**Locatie:** U bent vanaf 10 uur van harte welkom in ons gebouw, de voormalige Gerardus Majella kerk, aan het Obioplein 4 in Amsterdam

**Aanmelding:** Aanmelden voor vrijdag 26 november via: [secre@aletta.nu](mailto:secre@aletta.nu). Wij vragen een bijdrage van €10 voor de kosten van koffie, thee, lunch en borrel.

- **Lecture Marlene van Niekerk (Utrecht University)**

**Theme:** 'The life and times of the outsider in South-Africa: notes on Michael K. (J. M. Coetzee) as a conceptual persona'. Response: Prof. Rosemarie Buikema. Organised by The Postcolonial Studies Initiative, Utrecht University.

**Date:** Tuesday 7 December 2010

**Time:** 16.00 hrs - 18.00 hrs

**Location:** Drift 21 (room 0.05), Utrecht, The Netherlands

**Registration:** [cfh@uu.nl](mailto:cfh@uu.nl)

- **Call for Applications for the School of Critical Theory 2011, Intensive Programme: G-local Cosmopolitanism: the Social responsibility of the Academic, the Artist, and the Media (January 17 – February 4, 2011 - Utrecht University)**

**What:** a three week interdisciplinary and trans-national programme of intense lectures, debates and cultural exchange. The School of Critical Theory will run from January 17 - February 4, 2011. The overall theme of this three weeks intensive course is focused on cosmopolitanism and diversity in a European context. In 2011 this theme is expressed in the three clusters on the social responsibility of the artist, the academic and the media. The school offers lectures by a wide range of distinguished scholars, notably Prof. Joanna Bourke (Birkbeck), Prof. Christina Slade (City University London), Dr. Effie Yiannoupoulou (University Of Thessaloniki) and Prof. Rosi Braidotti (Utrecht University). The School also warmly welcomes exciting professional documentary-makers and artists affiliated with the International Cities of Refuge Network (ICORN).

**Submission guidelines:** The School invites PhD students, postgraduates and advanced Research Master students to apply. Please send the online application form (to be found at

[www.uu.nl/faculty/humanities/EN/centreforthehumanities/themes/socialsustainability/intensiveprogramme](http://www.uu.nl/faculty/humanities/EN/centreforthehumanities/themes/socialsustainability/intensiveprogramme)) to the Centre for the Humanities at Utrecht University before December 1, 2010.

**More information:**

<http://www.uu.nl/faculty/humanities/EN/centreforthehumanities/themes/social-sustainability/intensiveprogramme/Pages/default.aspx>

## **FELLOWSHIPS**

- **Erasmus Mundus Scholarships for Third Country and European Students for 2011-2013 now available**

**What:** The Research Centre for Women's Studies at the University of Granada is pleased to inform that the application period for Erasmus Mundus scholarships is now open for Third Country and European students and Third Country (non-European) scholars to take part in the fifth edition (2011-2013) GEMMA.

*1. Erasmus Mundus scholarships for students, Category A (Third Country students) and B (European students):*

The GEMMA Consortium selects eligible students on the basis of CVs, study and academic merits, motivation, recommendations, language skills, etc. The European Commission confirms this selection and officially assigns the grants.

Students should be in possession of at least a University Bachelor degree (or its equivalent: 180 ECTS, minimum 3 years of study) and should have proven knowledge of the languages of instruction of the universities in which they wish to complete their studies.

The scholarship covers: the tuition fees, medical insurance, installation costs (€4.000 per year, only for Cat. A), living expenses (€1.000 per month for Cat. A and €500 per month for Cat. B) during the two years of the master.

*2. Erasmus Mundus grants for scholars:*

Third Country scholars can apply for research visits at one or various GEMMA European partner institutions. These visits can last between 2 weeks and 3 months and the grant is calculated on the basis of 1.200 Euros per week.

**Application deadlines:** for the fifth edition of the programme 2011-2013

- 10th of January 2011 for Third Country and European students who apply for Erasmus Mundus grants

- between March 1, 2011 until April 30, 2011 for Third Country and European students who do not wish to apply for an Erasmus Mundus grant



- 30th of April 2011 for Third Country scholars

**More information:** <http://www.ugr.es/~gemma/>

- **NWO Subsidie voor talentvolle allochtone studenten – Dutch Only (Website in English)**

**Wat:** Met dit programma kunnen talentvolle allochtone studenten een subsidie voor een volledige promotieplaats aanvragen bij NWO. De universiteit biedt kandidaten een intern coachingstraject aan bestaande uit feedback van een wetenschapsbrede universitaire commissie voorafgaand aan het indienen bij NWO.

**Richtlijnen:** Studenten die hieraan mee willen doen moeten hun conceptvoorstel op NWO-formulier (zie [www.nwo.nl/mozaiek](http://www.nwo.nl/mozaiek)) uiterlijk donderdag 2 december sturen aan [mozaiek@uu.nl](mailto:mozaiek@uu.nl). In de bijlage treft u de Nederlandse en Engelstalige interne werkwijze en de brochure en het indienformulier van NWO, die volgende week ook schriftelijk verstuurd wordt aan de decanen en de Boards of Studies van Graduate schools.

**Deadline:** 11 januari 2011

**Meer informatie:** [http://www.nwo.nl/nwohome.nsf/pages/NWOP\\_5RNBJK](http://www.nwo.nl/nwohome.nsf/pages/NWOP_5RNBJK)

- **Four Rosalind Franklin Fellowships (Groningen University)**

**What:** The fellowships will be awarded to outstanding women scholars from any country and from any of the disciplines of the Faculty of Arts.

**Submission guidelines:** Successful candidates will set up their own research project(s) in the area of their choice, including funds to support a PhD project, and will be expected to attract external funding. They will also contribute to the (international) teaching programmes within the Faculty. The fellowship, of at most five years, comprises a salary in the range of a university lecturer, and a holiday allowance of 8%, as well as an end of year allowance. The salary and the duration of the fellowship depend on experience and qualifications. Following a favorable evaluation after at most five years, the fellow will be awarded tenure and promotion to the rank of Associate Professor, including after three more years the ius promovendi (junior professorship). After a further four to seven years another evaluation will take place and if this proves favorable, a full professorship will be awarded. The period after which tenure and full professorship will be awarded is at most five and seven years, but may be influenced by academic results of the fellow before and during the fellowship. Applications only by email: [rff-let@rug.nl](mailto:rff-let@rug.nl)

**Deadline for applications:** Friday January 7, 2011

**More information:** <http://www.rug.nl/let/onderzoek/rff/index>

- **Aanmelden voor Johanna Naberprijs (Aletta) – Dutch Only**

**Wat:** De prijs is bedoeld voor Nederlandse afstudeerscripties op het gebied van vrouwen- en/of gendergeschiedenis (op doctoraal of master niveau). Iedereen die aan **Aanmeldingsvoorwaarden:** Studenten van een Nederlandse of Vlaamse universiteit komen in aanmerking. De Johanna Naber scriptieprijs heeft als doel het onderzoek naar vrouwengeschiedenis te bevorderen. De organisatie van de prijs, Aletta, instituut voor vrouwengeschiedenis en de Vereniging voor Vrouwengeschiedenis (VVG) willen de prijs bij deze graag onder uw aandacht brengen. De uitreiking vindt plaats bij Aletta in Amsterdam. Inzendingen maken kans op 500 euro.

**Deadline:** 2 januari 2011

**Meer informatie:**

[http://www.aletta.nu/aletta/nl/nieuws/\\_pid/column2\\_1/\\_rp\\_column2\\_1\\_elementId/1\\_8469](http://www.aletta.nu/aletta/nl/nieuws/_pid/column2_1/_rp_column2_1_elementId/1_8469)