

NOG



Netherlands Research School of Gender Studies

NOG Research Day

Hosted by the Amsterdam Research Centre for Gender and Sexuality

Gender in Trouble, Gender in Transformation

Gender and sexuality are intensely intertwined with a range of crises of our time: as sites of moral panics, as terrains of social and political transformation, as symptoms of contemporary crises. The intense and distinct roles that gender and sexuality play within contemporary societies worldwide raises many questions: from “Who’s afraid of Gender?” to what kinds of transformations are taking place in the name of gender and sexuality; from how questions of gender and sexuality are reshaping our societies to what is happening with our understanding and conceptualization of sex and gender along the way; from a discursive focus on gender and sexuality, to the entrenched ways in which these are also crises and transformations of class, race, ability, citizenship regimes, and other markers of inequality and difference.

The 2024 NOG Research Day is animated by these questions and focuses on the presentations of work in progress by PhD students working on questions of gender and sexuality.

Time

October 19, 2024

Location

Doelenzaal
University Library
Singel 425
1012 WP Amsterdam

Registration

If you want to attend the NOG Day, please send an email to NOG@uu.nl

Time-schedule

- 9:30 Doors open and coffee/tea
10:00 Welcome
10:10 Opening Panel **Navigating Anti-Gender Trouble**
11:15 Coffee Break
11:30 Session 1 **Sex Panics and (New?) Normativities**
13:00 Lunch
14:00 Session 2 **Reconfigurations of Sex, Intimacy & Love**
15:30 Coffee Break
15:45 Session 3 **Reclaiming Gender & Reconceptualizing Agency**
17:30 Closing + drinks

Detailed Programme

Welcome

Prof. dr. Annemie Halsema (VU), Chair of The NOG Board

Dr. Julie McBrien (UvA), Director of the Amsterdam Research Centre for Gender and Sexuality

Opening Panel **Navigating Anti-Gender Trouble**

Moderated by Prof. dr. Sarah Bracke (UvA)

Speakers: Dr. Willemijn Krebbekx (UvA)

 Dr. Susanne Täuber (UvA)

 Dr. Adriano Habed (UU)

Panel 1 **Sex Panics and (New?) Normativities**

Chair and respondent: Prof. dr. Eliza Steinbock (Maastricht University)

Exploring Layers of Violence and Harassment – Sexism on the Campaign Trail

Julia van Zijl (Maastricht University & University of Exeter)

The Sexual Life of Dutch Consent Law: On Pedophilia Panics and Child Sex Dolls

Marco Borkent (Utrecht University)

Deda Didn't Raise No Agent: Reflections on Gender, Sexuality, and Russia's Lasting Influence in the South Caucasus

Ninutsa Nadirashvili (Utrecht University)

Neoconservative Homonormativity: The False Alternative Between Assimilation or Exclusion

Michele Bertoni (Utrecht University)

En/gendered fictions: reflections on the narrative discourse around race and gender

Graziana Marziliano (Utrecht University / University of Piemonte Orientale)

Panel 2 Reconfigurations of Sex, Intimacy & Love

Chair and respondent: Dr. Katrine Smiet (Radboud University)

The Right to Sex: Nationalism, Race, and Sexuality in Contemporary French Discourse

Lou Mousset (University of Amsterdam)

The Politics of Diversity: Enacting Sexual Difference in the Execution of a Gay Sex Club's Door Policy

Yicun Jin (University of Amsterdam)

Tracing Gen Z Desire: Narratives of Sexual Subjectivity in the Digital Age

Marina Taraskina (University of Amsterdam)

Practicing Care-Full-Ness: Loving Beyond and Within the Couple(s)

Chiara Bassan (University of Amsterdam)

Exploring Gender(ed) Dynamics in Long-term Romantic Relationships in Midlife

Jasmine Bruce-Rogers and Avery Franken (University of Amsterdam)

Panel 3 Reclaiming Gender & Reconceptualizing Agency

Chair and respondent: Dr. Liesbeth Minnaard (Leiden University) / Dr. Looi van Kessel (Leiden University)

Reclaiming Epistemic Agency: Trans Activism Navigating Anti-Trans Epistemic Violence Rylan Verlooy (University of Antwerp)

Beyond an Exclusionary Focus on Gender: Literature and the Decolonial Reconceptualization of Femi(ni)cide

Sofia Forchieri (Radboud University)

Gender in Motion: Evolving Gender Expectations Amongst Somali and Eritrean refugees in the Netherlands

Sharon Anyango (Maastricht University)

Reclaiming Agency Beyond Exoticism: Gender Politics Challenged by Contemporary Iranian Woman Artists

Delaram Housseinioun (Utrecht University)

Beyond Binary: The Use of (Non)Violence in Derrida's Ontology of Violence and Butler's Gender Performativity

Emerence Kapteijn (Radboud University)