

# DE-DEMOCRATISATION, GENDER+ AND THE POLITICS OF EXCLUSION IN EUROPE Baeza, Jaen, Spain, November 6-8, 2019

## PROGRAM

## DAY 1: 6<sup>th</sup> November 2019

- 10.00-10.15: Welcome and Introduction Ruth Rubio Marín Emanuela Lombardo
- 10.15-11.45: Panel Session 1: Causes of De-democratisation and Opposition to Gender+ Politics and Politics

Chair/discussant (7-10 min): Johanna Kantola (15 min presentation per paper)

Spanish gender equality policies after the rise of the far-right: Towards a new backlash? Alba Alonso, University of Santiago de Compostela Julia Espinosa, University of Cádiz

Explaining Opposition to Same-Sex Unions Martijn Mos, Leiden University

- 11.45-12.15: Coffee Break
- 12.15-14.00: Panel Session 2: New Understandings of the Concept of De-Democratisation: A Feminist Perspective

#### Chair/discussant: Mieke Verloo

What de-democratization is about when looking into the undoing of the demos from a feminist perspective *Petra Meier, University of Antwerp* 

Democracy and Demography: framing social threat intersectionally Myra Marx Ferree, University of Wisconsin-Madison

De-democratisation and Varieties of Gender Regimes Sylvia Walby, City, University of London

14.00-15-30: Lunch Break

# **15.30-17.15:** Panel Session 3: Challenging Established Theories: The intersection of Dedemocratisation and Gender

# Chair/discussant: Myra Marx Ferree

Right-wing authoritarian politics and gender. A Polanyian perspective *Birgit Sauer, University of Vienna* 

Reconfiguring state movement relations in the context of de-democratization Andrea Krizsan, Central European University Conny Roggeband, University of Amsterdam

European integration and disintegration: Feminist perspectives on democracy and de-democratization Johanna Kantola, University of Tampere Emanuela Lombardo, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

## 17.15-17.30: Coffee Break

**17.30-18.15:** World Café Debate Session on key questions of the day Facilitators: panel chairs and volunteer(s)-note-taker(s) Plan: 3 small groups matching each panel, choose one and enjoy the debate, take notes of key points to share next day

## 20.00-21.30 Dinner

# DAY 2: 7<sup>th</sup> November 2019

- **10.00-10.15: Recap from the World Café Debate Session of the Previous Day** Facilitators: panel chairs of the previous day and volunteer(s)-note-taker(s) share key points of debates (5 minutes per group)
- 10.15-12.00: Panel Session 4: The Politics of knowledge, truth and the media in current De-democratisation processes

#### Chair/discussant: Birgit Sauer

De-democratization and the politics of knowledge Mieke Verloo, Radboud University David Paternotte, Université Libre de Bruxelles

De-democratization rituals: marches, fetuses and post-secularism Ignacio Pichardo, Universidad Complutense de Madrid Mónica Cornejo, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Thinking of De-democratization, Gender+ and Contemporary Politics of Exclusion from a Media Perspective. *Claudia Padovani* 

## 12.00-12.30: Coffee Break

# 12.30-14.00: Panel Session 5: Causes of De-democratisation and Opposition to Gender+ Politics and Politics: The Role of Feminist Movements? Chair/discussant: Conny Roggeband

Silencing Feminism? The imagined nation of the Spanish far-right and its challenges to gender violence *Marta Cabezas, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid* 

Governmental attacks on "gender ideology" in Hungary – Challenges for conceptualizations of de-democratization *Eszter Kovátz, University ELTE, Budapest* 

# 14.00-15-30: Lunch Break

# 15.30-17.00: Panel Session 6: Resistance, Responses, Alliances Chair/discussant: Andrea Krizsan

The Challenge to Reframe (Gender) Equality and Social Justice: Contending with neo-nationalism *Birte Siim, Aalborg University* 

The ties that fight. The integrative power of online feminist networks *Elena Pavan, University of Trento* 

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- 20.00-21.30 Dinner
- 21.30-22-30 Night City Visit

# DAY 3: 8<sup>th</sup> November 2019

**9.00-9.15:** Recap from the World Café Debate Session of the Previous Day Facilitators: panel chairs of the previous day and volunteer(s)-note-taker(s) share key points of debates (5 minutes per group)

# 9.30-11.00: Panel Session 7: Conclusions and Ways Forwards

Facilitators of 4 parallel groups: *Ruth Rubio Marin, Emanuela Lombardo, Mieke Verloo, Birgit Sauer* 

World Café Format to discuss the following topics:

- a. Content: overarching themes discussed in the conference.
- b. Publication plans: Special Issue(s), next Conferences.
- c. Furthering the network and sources of financing
- d. Focusing on Action: Preparing for the following De-democratization and Gender+ conference; other strategies, alliances, etc.

- 11.00-11.30 Coffee Break
- **11.30-12.00** Recap from World Café Session and Concluding Words Ruth Rubio Marin Emanuela Lombardo Mieke Verloo