“They Persisted: Feminism, Work, Activism, Resistance”

2018 Winter Meeting
January 25-28
Atlanta, Georgia

Photo Credit: SWS Member, Wendy Simonds

Sociologists for Women in Society
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Frequently Asked Questions

What is the Wi-fi Code in the Meeting Space?
Please see the SWS Registration Table. We will communicate this via the listserv as soon as we know.

Where is the Lactation Room?
Please go to the SWS Registration Table for access to the Consulate Room.

How do I submit my receipts for the SWS Travel Subsidy?
We will communicate the new website platform for submitting receipts shortly after the Winter Meeting ends. Please hold onto your receipts and do not email them to the Executive Office. We will only be processing these via a new submission system. Please anticipate to learn more about this in early to mid-February. This is the same process that all attendees will follow (Award Winners, Officers, Chairs, and all Members). Please make sure that you notify the hotel staff at check-in if you are splitting the cost of the room with others. Then, they will be able to easily issue separate receipts to you upon your checkout.

Please review the SWS Travel Subsidy Policy here: http://www.socwomen.org/sws-travel-subsidy-policy/
About the Cover:

This is a color photograph that Wendy Simonds took after the Women’s March in January 2017 of discarded signs lying on the sidewalk and leaning up against a black fence with green grass behind it. Several of the signs are professionally printed; they read:

BLACK LIVES MATTER

I STAND
WITH
PLANNED PARENTHOOD;

DON’T BELIEVE THE HYPE
TOGETHER WE ARE AN OCEAN WIELDING…
[This sign is partially obscured, and includes images of Angela Davis, Hannah Arendt, and Joe Lewis, all three with their right fists raised];

and

NO RETURN TO THE 19TH CENTURY
Hint: That’s the century where financial collapses ran riot in 1819, ’25, ’37, ’47, ’57, ’66, ’73, ’84, ’93, & 96
NO GOP THEFT OF
Healthcare
Social Security
Working Class Wages
NO GOP WELFARE FOR
Megabanks
Megafinance—
[This sign is partially obscured].

The rest of the signs are hand-lettered in bright colors; they read:

We are the ones
we’ve been waiting for.
We are the change that
we seek.
-Barack Obama;

FEMINIST
AF;

“If one man can
destroy everything
why can’t one girl change it?”
-Malala Yousafzai;

Sister,
ACT!;

FIGHT
FASCISM
[this one is partially obscured];

and

FIGHT
THE URGE
TO BE
SILENT
[this one has a piece of yellow crime-scene type tape hanging off it that has “FUCK OFF” printed on it repeat-edly].
President’s Message

Greetings SWS Members and Welcome to Atlanta!

Our theme for the 2018 Winter Meeting is “They Persisted: Feminism, Work, Activism, Resistance.” One of my goals with SWS is to use this opportunity as President to focus discussion on how we can marshal our tremendous resources in ways that speak to the multiple challenges presently facing women and/or those who support gender equality. In this current era, feminist scholarship and activism is absolutely critical. I want to use our meetings to foster explicit, frank dialogues about the perils we face at this present moment. But more importantly, I want to highlight how, as feminists, what we say, do, write, and teach is uniquely positioned to help undergird and channel the resistance to regressive policies and practices that are hostile to our shared mission of creating a more gender equitable society.

SisterSong, the auction beneficiary, is right in line with these goals. SisterSong is a reproductive rights organization that focuses specifically on women of color. This important approach emphasizes how intersections of race, gender, class, and sexuality inform women’s “ability to maintain personal bodily autonomy, have children, not have children, and parent the children we have in safe and sustainable communities.” The proceeds from the auction will go towards the critical work that they do of fighting to secure a broad spectrum of reproductive rights for minority women.

Atlanta is a city that reflects both history and progress. It also has the benefit of a vibrant arts, cultural, food, and intellectual scene, so there should be plenty for SWS’ers to do apart from the meeting. Buckhead has lots of options, but also consider visiting midtown Atlanta and Decatur, two of the many areas that have a unique feel, lots of businesses and restaurants, and are only a short taxi or Marta ride away.

Putting together a meeting takes a great deal of work by many volunteers and staff members. I am tremendously thankful for the work of the following individuals:

Staff: Barret Katuna, Executive Officer; Natasha Santana and Maggie Chernovetz, Interns; Jennifer Black, Bookkeeper
Local Arrangements: Marni Brown, Marisela Enedin Martinez-Cola
Program Committee: Anna Branch, Kris De Welde, Tristan Bridges, Kara Takasaki, Yun Ling Li, Krystale Littlejohn, Zulema Valdez, and Ranita Ray.
Auction: Ophra Leyser-Whalen

This is an incredible organization and I am both proud and humbled to serve as its next President. I am looking forward to a productive and engaging meeting.

Adia Harvey Wingfield
SWS Community Agreement:

We come together to advance our feminist social justice work, and at the same time strive to embody those values within the operation of our organization. Thus, we agree to:

1. Work to create a welcoming and inclusive climate (including cultivating relationships with new members and people we don’t already know)
2. Treat each other with respect, in our verbal as well as body language
3. Assume the best of each other
4. Agree to disagree at times
5. Encourage all members to play an active role in this organization, no matter how long they have been involved (check out the by-laws, committee descriptions, and operations manual on our website to learn more about the organization. All minutes are also available to support informed participation around ongoing issues)
6. Be willing to make mistakes
7. Strive to have patience and empathy for others
8. Focus on the point, not the person
9. Remain open minded to diverse ideas and practices
10. Be aware of who is/is not contributing to discussion and be prepared to take space/make space. Actively listen to other voices
11. Be honest, including letting others know when something makes us feel uncomfortable
12. Not pass along rumors or gossip; there are always multiple versions to every story
13. Value the service and commitment of all of our previous and current officers and chairs, as well as the many other volunteers that contribute their time and passion to SWS
14. Avoid wearing perfumes or other strong scents
15. Others?
Sociologists for Women in Society is a nonprofit professional feminist organization dedicated to:

1. Encouraging the development of sociological feminist theory and scholarship
2. Transforming the academy through feminist leadership, career development, and institutional diversity
3. Promoting social justice through local, national, and international activism
4. Supporting the publication and dissemination of cutting edge feminist social science.

Open Committee Meetings

We need YOU to help SWS fulfill our mission!
Every Participant is Strongly Encouraged to attend an Open Committee Meeting:

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Open Committee Missions

Awards:
overseeing the awards nomination and selection process for all SWS awards, most of which are given annually.

Career Development:
supporting the professional development of feminist sociologists at all stages of their careers.

Discrimination & Academic Justice:
guiding the organization’s response to a member’s allegations of discrimination based on gender, sexuality, race/ethnicity, disability, age and other identities within sociology or that involve SWS members and identifying structural and institutional issues in academia that are pertinent to gender, race, sexual orientation and other marginalized groups.

International:
providing the organization with direction in supporting global and transnational feminist scholarship and gender justice, including maintaining SWS’s role as a non-governmental organization member of the United Nations and our collaboration with other international feminist organizations.

Membership:
recruiting new members, helping to integrate them into the organization, and serving as liaison between the national organization and local and regional affiliates.

Sister to Sister:
guiding SWS toward becoming a fully inclusive organization, including identifying obstacles toward that goal, informing the leadership and members, and supporting networking and mentoring relationships among members across race/ethnic lines.

Social Action:
engaging SWS in projects that facilitate achieving its goal of promoting social justice through local and national activism and via members’ research, teaching and community service.

Student Caucus:
promoting the interests of students in SWS through overseeing the SWS student listserv, coordinating student functions at Summer and Winter Meetings, and undertaking projects designed to increase and maintain student membership in SWS and meet the needs of student members.
# 2018 Officers and Chairs

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**Thursday, 25 January 2018**

*Means that there will be PowerPoint capabilities at this event.  
*If you do not see an asterisk * after your meeting title, there will be no PowerPoint access*

10:00 AM–7:00 PM  Registration  
*Prefunction*

8:30 AM–4:30 PM  Pre–Conference Writing Workshop:  
**Envoy**  
*Gender, Professions, and Organizations*  
Co-organizers: Laura Kramer, Montclair State University, Shauna Morimoto, University of Arkansas, and Kathrin Zippel, Northeastern University

8:30 AM–4:30 PM  Pre–Conference Workshop:  
**The Gallery**  
*Society of Gender Professionals (SGP) Workshop*  
Co-organizers: Kristy Kelly, Drexel University & Karine Lepillez, Inclusive Societies

12:00 PM–3:00 PM  Finding Your Voice: Blog Writing as Public Sociology*  
**Salon 3-4**  
Organizer: Mindy Fried, Arbor Consulting Partners

12:15 PM–1:45 PM  Operating Budget Management I (Closed Meeting)  
**Boardroom**

2:00 PM–3:30 PM  Council I (Closed Meeting)  
**Boardroom**

3:45 PM–4:45 PM  New Member Orientation  
**Salon 3-4**

5:00 PM–6:00 PM  Meet with Hand Mentors (*Sponsor: Membership Committee*) & Professional Needs Mentoring Program Meeting (*Sponsor: Career Development Committee*) (All are welcome to attend)  
**Plaza Ballroom**

5:30 PM–7:00 PM  Welcome Reception: Cash Bar and Heavy Hors D’Oeuvres  
**Plaza Ballroom**

7:00 PM–8:15 PM  2017 SWS Distinguished Feminist Lecture*  
**Plaza Ballroom**  
Mary Osirim, Bryn Mawr College
Friday, 26 January 2018

7:45 AM–9:00 AM Breakfast  
8:00 AM–4:00 PM Registration  

7:45 AM – 9:15 AM *Gender & Society* Editorial Board Meeting (Closed)  

8:00 AM–9:00 AM  
**Hate Speech, Free Speech and Silencing: The Role of SWS**  
*Salon 3-4*  
*Organizer*: Abby Ferber, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs  
The goal of this meeting is for us to come away with plans for how SWS can be proactive in responding to attempts to silence us as faculty members, students, and applied sociologists. All are welcome to join us to learn more, review our plans and progress, and help us consider next steps.

9:00 AM–10:30 AM Breakfast with Scholars  
*Sponsor*: SWS Student Caucus  
*Note*: Please come down by 8:30 am to get something to eat for breakfast. Breakfast will stop being served by 9:00 am.

9:15 AM–10:30 AM Meeting for Departing, Current & New Officers  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM Nominations Committee Meeting (Closed)  
*Boardroom*  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM Career Development Committee Meeting (Open)  
*Plaza 3*  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM Social Action Committee Meeting (Open)  
Envoy  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM Sister to Sister Committee Meeting (Open)  
*Plaza 2*  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM Regional & Local SWS Chapter Committee Meeting (Open)  
Chargé  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM International Committee Meeting (Open)  
Founders  

10:45 AM–12:15 PM Discrimination & Academic Justice Committee Meeting (Open)  
*Plaza 1*  

12:00 PM–1:15 PM Lunch  
*Prefunction & Salon 1,2,6,7,8*
12:30 PM–2:00 PM  Business Meeting I* (Open)  Salon 1,2,6,7,8

2:15 PM–3:45 PM  Sessions and Workshops

Session: Understanding Gender-Based Violence in a Global Perspective  Plaza 1
Sponsor: International Committee
Presenter: Youngeun Nam, Purdue University
Presenter: Liz Meléndez, Centro de la Mujer Peruana Flora Tristán
Presenter: Pamela Neumann, Post-Doctoral Fellow, Tulane University
Presenter: Paulina Garcia Del-Moral, Post-Doctoral Fellow, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Workshop: Teaching About Feminist Responses to Right Wing Political and Religious Movements in Local and Global Perspectives  Plaza 2
Organizer and Facilitator: Josephine Beoku-Betts, Florida Atlantic University
Co-facilitator: Manisha Desai, University of Connecticut
Co-facilitator: Marlese Durr, Wright State University
Co-facilitator: Melanie Heath, McMaster University
Co-facilitator: Bandana Purkayastha, University of Connecticut

Workshop: Professors-in-Training: Dilemmas & Alternatives for Graduate Student Instructors  Plaza 3
Sponsor: SWS Student Caucus
Organizer: Chriss Sneed, University of Connecticut
Presenter: Kamryn Warren, University of Connecticut

Workshop: Unpalatable Feminism: Advice on Navigating Academia  Envoy
Organizer: Rhacel Parreñas, University of Southern California
Participant: Rhacel Parreñas, University of Southern California
Participant: Emmanuel David, University of Colorado, Boulder

Workshop: Strategies for Managing Privilege in the Classroom  Salon 5
Convener & Presenter: Kathleen Krueger, Anne Arundel Community College
Presenter: Anastacia Schulhoff, Appalachian State University
Presenter: Jennifer Richardson, Western Michigan University
Workshop: Constructing a Democratic Classroom: How-To & Skill Share

Co-Facilitator: Wenjie Liao, North Carolina State University
Co-Facilitator: Meghan Krausch, University of Wisconsin—Superior
Co-Facilitator: Erika Busse, Macalester College

Workshop: Intersectionality in the Classroom*

Organizer: Heather Albanesi, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Organizer: Robyn Lewis Brown, University of Kentucky
Organizer: Sarah E. Frank, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Session: Feminists in the Field

Organizer: Blake J. Martin, North Carolina State University
Presenter: Anthony Jimenez, University of Minnesota
Presenter: Mari Kate Mycek, North Carolina State University
Presenter: MC Whitlock, Georgia Southwestern State University

Session: Know your IX: Implications of the Clery Act and Title IX Policies for University Communities*

Organizer: Shelley Eriksen, California State University, Long Beach
Co-presenters: Elizabeth A. Armstrong, Lanora Johnson, and Nicole Bedera - University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
Co-presenters: Shelley Eriksen, California State University, Long Beach
Presenter: Nona Gronert, University of Wisconsin-Madison

2:15 PM–3:45 PM Investment Committee I (Closed Meeting)

4:00 PM–5:30 PM Plenary: Reclaiming our Dime: Gender and Labor in an Era of Precarious Work
Moderator: Adia Harvey Wingfield, Washington University in St. Louis
Participant: Dana Britton, Rutgers University
Participant: Kimberly Kay Hoang, University of Chicago
Participant: Lauren Rivera, Northwestern University

5:45 PM–7:15 PM SWS Global Feminist Partner: Centro Flora Tristán and Feminist Movements in Latin America
Sponsor: International Committee
Presenter: Liz Meléndez, Centro de la Mujer Peruana Flora Tristán
5:45 PM–7:15 PM  Publications Committee Meeting I (Closed Meeting)  
**Boardroom**

5:45 PM–7:15 PM  Media Relations Subcommittee Meeting (Open)  
**Envoy**

5:45 PM–7:15 PM  Personnel Committee Meeting (Closed)  
**Salon 5**

6:00 PM–6:30 PM  Student Caucus Committee Meeting (Open)  
**Plaza 1**

6:00 PM–7:00 PM  Zumba with Ruth Stamper  
**Plaza 2**

6:45 PM–7:45 PM  Student Reception (Located Off-Site, Outside of The Whitley)  
*Cook Hall – Located at W Atlanta Buckhead*  
Inside the W Hotel, go to The Attic (On 2nd Floor, Accessible via elevators)  
Address: 3377 Peachtree Road NE, Atlanta, GA

7:00 PM–9:00 PM  Hosted Dinners  
*Sign up at the Registration Table*

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**Saturday, 27 January 2018**

7:45 AM–9:00 AM  Breakfast  
**Prefunction**

8:00 AM–9:00 AM  Discussion on SWS Media: Meeting to Include:  
Publications Committee, Media Relations Subcommittee, Executive Officer, *Gender & Society* Editor, Book Review Editor, and Social Media Coordinator  
**Salon 3-4**

9:00 AM–10:30 AM  Roundtables  
**Salon 1,2,6,7,8**

**Table 1: Bodies and Embodiment**

- *Intersex Pride, Fat Shame: The Paradox of Bodily Autonomy* - **Georgiann Davis**, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- *The Gendered Body and Field Research* - **Rebecca Hanson**, University of Florida and **Patricia Richards**, University of Georgia
- “*Barbie as Cultural Compass: Representation, Embodiment, and Resistance***
- *Fatness and the Good Laboring Body* - **Amanda Levitt**, Wayne State University
- *Because You’re Worth It: Narcissism, Kim Kardashian, and Object Selfies* - **Rachel Davis**, University of Kentucky
Table 2: Choosing Labor: Race, Gender, and Sexuality at Work
- “I Prefer Black Women Because They Do Better Work”: Unpacking Race and
  Breaking the Grass Ceiling: Gender, Race, and Class in the U.S. Legal Cannabis
  Industry - Katie K. Rogers, University of Texas at Austin
- Aesthetic Curation: Capturing Value Production Beyond the Aesthetic Laborer -
  Allister Pilar Plater, University of Virginia
- Contextual Prejudice against Gay Men and Lesbians in the Labor Force: Evidence
  from a List Experiment - Emma Mischel, New York University
- The Impact of Workplace Relationships on Employee Turnover, Work Engagement
  and Well-Being: Exploring Gender Differences – Deniz Yucel, William Patterson
  University

Table 3: Contraception in Context
- Reproductive Agency and Condom Use - Alicia Hooper, University of Texas at
  Arlington
- Contraception is Effort: Navigating the Emotional Labor of Pregnancy Prevention
  in College - Abigail L. Nawrocki, Purdue University
- Choice despite constraints: Women’s response, resistance, and resourcefulness in
  an era of medicalized contraceptives across class - Jamie L. Manzer, University
  of Delaware
- The Continuum of Mom-Talk Types about Contraception and Sex -- Ophra Leyser,
  Whalen, University of Texas at El Paso and Virginia Jenkins, University of
  Texas at El Paso

Table 4: Feminist Activism in Academia
- The Personal is Political: Negotiating Feminist Scholarship and Feminist Activism
  – Josephine Kipgen, University of Kansas
- Feminist Leadership in the Academy: The Role of Mentors in Cultivating the Next
  Generation of Feminist Leaders - Kris DeWelde, College of Charleston, Marjuk-
  ka Ollilainen, Weber State University, and Catherine Richards Solomon, Quinn-
  nipiac University

Table 5: Feminism & Equity in Higher Education
- All’s Fair in Academia and War: Women’s/Gender Studies and Besiegement Theory
  - Abigail Jorgensen, University of Notre Dame
- A Feminist Science Studies Analysis of the Biosocial Turn in Criminology - Jessica
  Herling, Virginia Tech
- Praxis-Oriented Feminism as Course Development Framework - Jodi A.
  Henderson-Ross, The University of Akron
- Justice and Status Processes in the Classroom and their impact on Students’
  Identities and Aspirations - Jennifer L. Hayward, Emory University

Table 6: Fertility Processes
- Feminist Procreative Kinnovation – Kristin J. Wilson, Cabrillo College
- Course-based Undergraduate Research Experiences (CUREs) through the Birth Lens –
  Adelle Dora Montebianco, University of Texas at El Paso and Ophra
  Leyser-Whalen, University of Texas at El Paso
Table 7: Gender-Based Violence in the #MeToo Era
- Isn’t That The Cycle?: The Normalization of Intergenerational Domestic Violence Among Low-Income Women - Marisa Cervantes, Washington State University and Jennifer Sherman, Washington State University
- Dreams and Nightmares: Online Violence and the “Third World” Technological Woman - Firuzeh Shokooh Valle, Clark University
- A Spatial Analysis of Rape Culture News Events on Twitter - Megan Stubbs-Richardson, Mississippi State University, Sierra L. Nelson, Mississippi State University, Colleen Harris, Mississippi State University, Stacy H. Haynes, Mississippi State University, Josh Richardson, Mississippi State University and Arthur G. Cosby, Mississippi State University
- Antiviolence Organizations in Sweden and the Reproduction of Gender Regimes - Caitlin Carroll, University of Texas at Austin
- Gender-based Violence and Violence Against Women: Exploring the Language of Prevention and Response in International Development – Nancy J. Martin, California State University, Long Beach

Table 8: Gender, Feminism and Education
- Women and What?: Factors Affecting Enrollment in Women and Gender Programs - Walker Lee, Valdosta State University
- STEM doctorates’ career trajectories: Interactive processes of inequalities by gender, race, internationality and field - Yun Kyung Cho, University of Wisconsin
- Changing Minds or Transforming Social Worlds? Re-envisioning Media Literacy Education as Feminist Arts-Activism - Margaret McGladrey, University of Kentucky
- Justice and Status Processes in the Classroom and their impact on Students’ Identities and Aspirations – Jennifer L. Hayward, Emory University
- Gender Essentialism in the Sex Education Classroom – Izzy Pellegrine, Mississippi State University

Table 9: Gender and Religion
- Religious Persecution, Gender, and Response Strategies - Naghme Morlock, Gonzaga University
- Evangelical Feminism and the Imagined Secular - Sarah Diefendorf, University of Washington

Table 10: Gender, Sexual Identity, and the Life Course
- Marital Status, Gender, and Employment Discrimination - Christin Munsch, University of Connecticut
- Who’s Your Mama?: Lesbian Mothers’ Passing Strategies - Amanda A. Gochanour, Mississippi State University and Kimberly Kelly, Mississippi State University
- Her House: Single Women's Homeownership and Home Buying Patterns in the United States - Sarah Catherine Billups, University of Minnesota

Table 11: Gender Theory: Inclusions and Exclusions
- Why Do Women Reproduce Gender Inequality? - Elizabeth A. Armstrong, University of Michigan, Laura T. Hamilton, University of California, Merced, and Elizabeth M. Armstrong, University of Maine
• *Gender Opinion Gaps: Complicating the Linear Assumption* - Libby Trudeau, University of Notre Dame

• *Beyond Intersectionality? An Argument for Context-Driven Analyses* - Ashleigh McKinzie, Middle Tennessee State University and Patricia Richards, University of Georgia

• *Rethinking Cis* - Megan Nanney, Virginia Tech

Table 12: Health and Medicine

• “Moralizing Effects on People Who Inject Drugs: Negative Consequences for HIV Prevention.” - Suzan Walters, Stony Brook University

• Self-Acceptance as a Mediator for Sense of Belonging and Social Support to Depressive Symptoms in LGB Youth - Emma Finken, University of Nebraska

• Aging and Interacting: A Longitudinal Analysis of Older Adults with Physical Disabilities Social Interaction by Sex. - Raeda Anderson, University of Nebraska

• Ixtab’s path: Suicide, emotions, and mourning in the lives of U.S. women of Mexican descent - Angie Mejia, Syracuse University

• Feminism and activism - Nasra Abubakar, Kent State University

Table 13: Intersectionality: Theories and Methods

• A Jewish refugee sociologist and the study of black migrants to London, 1950s & 60s - Abby Gondek, Florida International University

• Intersectionality in Conversational Interactions - Amelia Hill, University of California, Los Angeles

• The Familiar Stranger: Identity, Memory and Slavery on the Swahili Coast - Erica Hill-Yates, Delaware County Community College

• The Political Consciousness of Latinas – Fátima Suárez, University of California, Santa Barbara

Table 14: Masculinities and Social Inequalities

• Racialized Masculinities: How Work Shapes the Lives of Asian American Men - Kara Takasaki, University of Texas at Austin

• Wash, brush, touch: how Latino barbers are redefining what it means to be “macho” in Los Angeles - Mary E. Robbins, University of California, Los Angeles

• “No Seat at the Party”: Mobilizing White Masculinity in the Men’s Rights Movement - Emily K. Carian, Stanford University

Table 15: Media and Intersectional Inequalities

• “bloody mary hairy!” a DIY (gaga)-feminist didactics cock*tail tale - Daniela Jauk, Institute for Gender and Masculinity Research, Graz, Austria, Sol Haring,

• “Aren’t We All Just Mens in Wigs?”: Gender Legibility and Hegemonic Masculinity in Drag Queen Music Videos - Michael Patrick Vaughn, Emory University

Table 16: Mothering, Motherhood, and Resisting Imposed Definitions

• Environmental Degradation as an Obstacle to Mothering - Ashley Kim, Vanderbilt University
• *I Am Not Like Those Other Girls, I’m a Mother: An Analysis of the Use of Motherhood Identity to Dispel Abortion Stigma* - Andréa Becker, Vanderbilt University

• *Nurturing with Nature* - Meagan Sanders, University of Texas at Arlington

• *Border Crossing Menopause: Exploring the intersection of race, class, and sexual identity in the negotiation of social support and health care treatment* - Tracey Lewis-Elligan, DePaul University

• *Single Mothers’ Experiences as College Students* - Ashley Vowels, University of Kentucky

**Table 17: Politicizing Anti-feminism and Misogyny**

• *Not With Her: Misogyny and the 2016 Presidential Election* - Kristen Erichsen, Florida State University

• *The Front Stage of the Internet: Men's Rights Activist Group Recruitment on Reddit* - Benjamin Parenteau, Wayne State University

• *When Being a Woman Isn’t Enough: Evaluating the Political Promise of Hillary Clinton and Bernie Sanders Through an Intersectional Lens* - Jaime Hartless, University of Virginia

**Table 18: Problematizing Responses to Campus Sexual Violence in the #MeToo Era**

• *“The Administration of Consent – An examination of how the culture of consent is shaped in higher education. A case study.”* - Francesca Degiuli, Fairleigh Dickinson University and Jordan Nowotny, Farleigh Dickinson University

• *Saying No to Yes Means Yes: Popular Opinion and the Myth of Sex* - Sophia Boutilier, Stony Brook University

• *Social Networks Partitioning and College Campus Sexual Assault* - Margaret Campe, University of Kentucky

• *Constructions of Justice: Using Restorative Justice for Sexual Assault Cases on College Campuses* - Abigail Barefoot, University of Kansas

**Table 19: Race, Class, Gender, and Intimate Relationships**

• *“They Want a Certain Demographic of Women”: A Relational Examination of Intersectional Inequality in Sugar Arrangements* - Carmen Rowe, Boston University

• *The Contemporary Natural Hair Movement and the Myth of “Good Hair”* - Carol-Armelle Ze-Noah, University of Texas at Austin

• *The Relationship Dynamics of Polyamorous Triads: Resisting and Reproducing Inequality* - Jessica Goldstein-Kral, University of Texas at Austin

• *Sexuality, Deviance, and Gender Roles* - Felicia Brown, Middle Tennessee State University

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• *Using the Race Card: Constructing Reverse-Racism Within the Anti-Immigration Debate* - Karen Martinez, Kent State University

• *“Descolorido” vs. “Looking Mexican”: Illegality & Citizenship among Latino/a/x Immigrant* - Andrea Gómez Cervantes, University of Kansas

• *Media Elites’ Racialized Construction of the "Good Immigrant" in a Color-Blind Éra* - Emily Cabaniss, Sam Houston State University, and Emily Estrada, High Point University
Table 21: Racism and the Black Experience

- Racial Formation in Regional America - Alana M. Berry, University of North Georgia, Gainesville
- Women Traveling in Color - Fatema Zohara, Loyola University Chicago
- School-to-Prison Pipeline: Using Critical Race Theory to Examine School Disciplinary Policies - Jacqueline Coffey, Kent State University
- Stigma, Pride, and Shame in the Welfare-to-Work Program – Brianna Turgeon, Kent State University at Kent, Tiffany Taylor, Kent State University at Kent, and Kaitlyn Root, University of Akron

Table 22: Reproductive Health and Justice

- Gender Differences in Initiating HPV Vaccine Uptake - Kim-Phuong Truong-Vu, University of Colorado Boulder
- Can Intersectionality Help us to Understand the Maternal Health Crisis in the United States? - Cathleen Appelt, Duquesne University and Jessica A. Devido, Duquesne University

Table 23: Ethnography and Feminist Reflexivity

- Applying Feminist Reflexivity to An Ethical Dilemma Encountered During Fieldwork - Devparna Roy, Nazareth College of Rochester
- Navigating Risqué Ethnography as a Junior Scholar - Monica Liu, University of South Florida and Julia Meszaros, Lebanon Valley College
- In(car) nation of The Self: An Ethnography of The Las Vegas Street Car Scene - Celine Ayala, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- Intimately Estranged Labor: Ethnography of an African Braiding and Weaving Salon - Nicole Jenkins, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Table 24: Sex Work

- “So what if I was a stripper” : Stigma management among recreational pole dancers in San Diego - Elizabeta Shifrin, City University of New York, The Graduate Center
- Potentials and Pitfalls of ‘Worker Involved’ Businesses: Investigating the Regulation of Sex Work - Emily Coombes, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- Survivor Activism in the Anti-Sex Trafficking Movement - Lillian Taylor Jungleib, University of California Santa Barbara

Table 25: Social Movements and Activism

- How We March: Instagram Posts about the Women’s March - Rachel Einwohner, Purdue University and Elle Rochford, Purdue University
- To March or Not to March: Motivations for and Barriers to Participation in the January 2017 Women’s March - Danielle Currier, Randolph College
- Pathways to Liberation: Poetry and Political Consciousness - Deanna Waldron, Westminster College
- Saving People. ‘Scrubbing’ Social Media: Fandom-based Volunteerism as Disaster Response - Tanya Cook, Community College of Aurora
- Gendered Labor & The Construction of Civil Society Subjects - Mary-Collier Wilks, University of Virginia
Table 26: Teaching in the Era of Trump and in a Diverse Political Climate

- Organizers and Participants: Raeda Anderson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Laura Simon, Mercer University, Patricia L. Maddox, University of St. Thomas, Katherine E. Ayers, Virginia Tech

Table 27: Theorizing Queer Gender Projects, Practices, and Policing

- “I never liked pink”: Queer Analysis of the Trans Teen Narrative Project - Jax J. Gonzalez, University of Colorado Boulder and Sabra L. Katz-Wise, Harvard Medical School
- Bioqueens and Beauty Queens: Theorizing Embodied Femininities - Andrea P. Herrera, University of Oregon
- Queer Pathways to Offending - Meredith Conover-Williams, Humboldt State University and Joice Chang, Humboldt State University

Table 28: They Persisted, Narrating Resistance

- Protesting While Contended: An Analysis of Leftist Outrage and the Backlash on Marginalized Populations - LJ Matasker, Montclair State University
- They Persisted: How Tradeswomen and Their Advocates Are Working to Diversify the Construction Trades in Oregon - Maura Kelly, Portland State University
- Local Food Systems as Incremental Utopianism: Dissecting Access and Assimilation - Ruth Stamper, University of Kansas
- “‘They Persisted:’ How Women Survivors of State Terrorism Narrate Embodied Resistance and Social Change” - Barbara Sutton, University at Albany, The State University of New York

Table 29: Trans and Queer Identity & Boundary Work

- Navigating Gender and Sexual Identity in a "Straight" World: A Study of how LGBTQ+ College Students Talk about Romantic Relationships - Naghme Morlock, Gonzaga University
- “It Depends Where I Am”: Strategies for Negotiating Rural Queer and Trans Living - Amanda A. Stewart, University of Illinois at Chicago
- Uncovering Disclosures: How and When Disclosure Becomes a Salient Action for Transgender Men - Tristen Kade, Portland State University
- What now: A discussion of domestic abuse within the trans-identified community and how feminist sociology might help to address it - Brian Tesch, Mississippi State University

Table 30: Work and Occupations: Interrogating the Role of Gender, Race, and Skill

- Doing Gender, Doing Networks: Exploring Relational Inequalities in High-Tech - Ethel L. Mickey, Northeastern University
- The Salience of Race and Gender for Indian Women Professionals in the High-Skilled Workplace in the United States - Sonali Jain, University of North Carolina at Pembroke
- Avoiding the leaky pipeline: An intersectional approach to understanding social and cultural capital in the workplace - Amanda Hendrix, Portland State University
- Keeping men’s work for men: Gendered perceptions of working conditions in engineering and technology jobs - Christianne Corbett, Stanford University
• Feminist Cosmetic Surgeons? Role of Surgeons’ Social Identities in Clinical Interactions - Alka Menon, Northwestern University

Table 31: Working in the Informal Economy

• Better than First Time days, but no Paradise: Locals women’s perceptions of the tourist economy and culture change in the South Caribbean, Costa Rica. - Erin Adamson, University of Kansas

• Precarity in Everyday Lives of Central Asian Domestic and Care Workers in Istanbul - Marhabo Saparova, Northeastern University

• From Textile Mill Town to iPhone City: Gender, Class, and the Politics of Care in an Industrializing China (1949-present) - Yige Dong, Johns Hopkins University

• From Labor Union to Elite NGO: SEWA and Documenting India’s Informal Economy - Natascia Boeri, Bloomfield College

Table 32: Work and Organizations

• Organizational Supports and Barriers to Teacher Workforce Diversity - Johanna S. Quinn, Montclair State University

• The Successes and Shortcomings of Fair Trade in Combating Gender Inequality: Coffee in Central America - Isabel Araceli Geisler, Northeastern University

• From Passengers to Drivers: Educational Expansion and Redefining Female Achievement - Eunsil Oh, Harvard University

• Long-Term Effects of Part-time Teenage Work on the Pay Gap - Yasemin Besen-Cassino, Montclair State University

• ‘It was my Calling’: Gendered Pathways to Funeral Directing - Sarah Donley, Jacksonville State University

Table 33: Youth and Identity

• Youth Identity Formation and Participation in High School Marching Band - Jessica L. Fasano, University of Nevada, Las Vegas

• Emerging Sexualities: Girls’ Sexual Agency and the State - Jamie O’Quinn, University of Texas at Austin

• Beyond the Dreamer Narrative: Undocumented Youth Activism and the Contestation of Citizenship - Kevin Zevallos, University of Connecticut

Table 34: Work and Family

• First-generation Immigrant Women Faculty’s Work and Family Conflicts: Examples from China and Taiwan - Yun Ling Li, University of Massachusetts Lowell

• Feminism and Gender Equality in the Global South - Ande Reisman, University of Washington

• “Good Ol’ Boys Club”: Female Farm Operators Navigating the Male-Dominated Agricultural Field - Rebecca Shisler, Colorado State University

• Opportunity, Vulnerability, and Duty: Women's Experiences as Elected Lay Judges on Rwanda's Gacaca Courts - Chris Uggen, University of Minnesota

Table 35: Feminist Resistance in a Red State

• Feminist Resistance in a Red State - Sela Harcey, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Alice Miller MacPhee, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Eliza Thor, University of Nebraska-Lincoln and Mishala Lewis, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
10:45 AM–12:00 PM  Plenary: Academic Feminism: Remaking the Ivory Tower  

Moderator: Adia Harvey Wingfield, Washington University in St. Louis  
Participant: Bandana Purkayastha, University of Connecticut  
Participant: Beverly Guy-Sheftall, Spelman College  
Participant: Mignon R. Moore, Barnard College

12:00 PM–1:00 PM  Lunch on your own

1:00 PM–2:15 PM  Sessions and Workshops

Workshop: Campus Sexual Assault Response Policies: Possibilities for Social Change  
Organizer: Cynthia Deitch, The George Washington University  
Organizer: Ivy Ken, The George Washington University  
Presenter: Shelley Eriksen, California State University, Long Beach  
Presenter: Marla Kohlman, Kenyon College  
Presenter: Chelsea Ullman, The George Washington University  
Presenter: Joan Hermsen, University of Missouri, Columbia  
Presenter: Danielle Currier, Randolph College

Session: Feminist Ethnographies: Dilemmas from the Field*  
Discussant: Christine Williams, University of Texas at Austin  
Panelist: Shannon Malone, University of Texas at Austin  
Panelist: Vrinda Marwah, University of Texas at Austin  
Panelist: Ruijie Peng, University of Texas at Austin  
Panelist: Beth Prosnitz, University of Texas at Austin  
Panelist: Katie Rogers, University of Texas at Austin

Session: Being a Feminist Administrator in the Deep South*  
Organizer: Leslie Hossfeld - Mississippi State University  
Panelist: Kirsten Dellinger - Department Chair, University of Mississippi  
Panelist: Leslie Hossfeld - Head of Department, Mississippi State University  
Panelist: Kimberly Kelly - Director Gender Studies, Mississippi State University

Workshop: The How Tos and Benefits of Feminist Reviewing  
Sponsor: Gender & Society Editors  
Facilitator: Yasemin Besen-Cassino – Montclair State University, Gender & Society Book Review Editor
Facilitator: Jo Reger, Oakland University, *Gender & Society* Editor

**Workshop: Feminist sociology and ageism**  
*Salon 5*  
Organizer: Laura Kramer, Montclair State University  
Organizer: Wendy Simonds, Georgia State University  
Organizer: Elisabeth Burgess, Georgia State University

**Workshop: Surviving and Thriving Throughout the Academic Life Course: Advice from Feminist and Anti-Racist Scholars**  
*The Gallery*  
*Sponsor: Sister to Sister Committee*  
Organizer: Ranita Ray, University of Nevada, Las Vegas  
Organizer: Corinne Castro, Texas Lutheran University  
Panelist: Bandana Purkayastha, University of Connecticut  
Panelist: Ronni Tichenor, SUNY Polytechnic Institute  
Panelist: Kris De Welde, College of Charleston  
Panelist: Katie Acosta, Georgia State University

**Session: Mentorship, Cooperation, and Support in Academia**  
*Salon 3-4*  
Discussant: Amy Stone, Trinity University  
Panelist: Shelley Correll, Stanford University  
Panelist: D’Lane Compton, University of New Orleans  
Panelist: Kimberly Hoang, University of Chicago  
Panelist: Tristan Bridges, University of California, Santa Barbara

**Session: Dialogues on Feminism and the Sociology of Religion**  
*Attaché-Chargé*  
Organizer: Kelsy Burke – University of Nebraska – Lincoln  
Co-presenters: Amy McDowell, University of Mississippi, Kelsy Burke, University of Nebraska – Lincoln, & Eliza Thor, University of Nebraska – Lincoln  
Presenter: Courtney Irby, Illinois Wesleyan University  
Presenter: Melanie Heath, McMaster University  
Presenter: Andres Lazaro Lopez, Oregon State University

1:00 PM–2:15 PM  
**Investment Committee Meeting II (Closed Meeting)**  
*Boardroom*

2:30 PM–4:00 PM  
**Sessions and Workshops**
Session: It is Our Duty to Fight for Our Freedom: *Founders*
Black Transwomen and Black Women’s Organizing and Activism*
Sponsor: Sister to Sister Committee
Organizer: Chaniqua D. Simpson, North Carolina State University
Panelist: Chriss Sneed, University of Connecticut
Panelist: Kayla Reed, M4BL Electoral Justice Project, St. Louis Action Council & Wash U

Session: Choosing Applied Sociology: Panel Presentation *Envoy*
and Discussion
Moderator: Mindy Fried, Arbor Consulting Partners
Panelist: Kali-Ahset Amen, Emory University
Panelist: Renée Skeete, Georgia State University
Panelist: Andres Lazaro Lopez, Oregon State University

Workshop: Preparing for the academic job market* Plaza 2
Organizer: Gina Marie Longo, University of Wisconsin-Madison
Organizer: Abby Gondek, Florida International University

Panel: How Does Privilege and Intersectional Collaboration Plaza 3
Work in Activism and Research in the U.S. and Abroad?*
Presenter: Andrea S. Boyles, Lindenwood University, Belleville
Presenter: Kathrin Zippel, Northeastern University

Session: State, Stage, Social Media and Beyond: Salon 5
Frontiers of Feminist Movements in Contemporary China*
Organizer: Yige Dong, John Hopkins University
Discussant: Rui Shen, Morehouse College
Presenter: Jiling Duan, Indiana University Bloomington
Presenter: Di Wang, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Workshop: Building a Bystander First Responder Salon 3-4
Pipeline: Focusing on the Experiences of Women of
Color in University Leadership Roles
Co-facilitator: Bandana Purkayastha, University of Connecticut
Co-facilitator: Afshan Jafar, Connecticut College
Co-Facilitator: Mary Osirim, Bryn Mawr College
Co-Facilitator: Shweta Adur, California State University, Los Angeles
Session: NSF ADVANCE Program – What We Have Learned and What Can Be Done in the Future

Organizer: Yun Ling Li, University of Massachusetts Lowell
Co-presenters: Marcia T. Segal, Indiana University Southeast, Vicky Demos, University of Minnesota Morris, Catherine White Berheide, Skidmore College
Presenter: Joya Misra, University of Massachusetts Amherst
Co-presenters: Laura Kramer, Montclair State University & Alice Hogan, Alice Hogan, Independent higher education consultant
Presenter: Julia McQuillan, University of Nebraska Lincoln
Presenter: Yun Ling Li, University of Massachusetts Lowell

Workshop: Promising Practices: An Interactive Workshop on Developing and Sustaining Feminist Working Groups in the Academy*
Organizer: Carla A. Pfeffer, University of South Carolina
Participant: Laura E. Hirshfield, University of Illinois College of Medicine at Chicago
Participant: Emily Kazyak, University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Participant: Zakiya Luna, University of California, Santa Barbara and Center on Reproductive Rights and Justice at Berkeley Law
Participant: Carla A. Pfeffer, University of South Carolina
Participant: Kristin S. Scherrer, Metropolitan State University of Denver

2:30 PM–4:00 PM  Publications Committee Meeting II (Closed Meeting)  Boardroom

2:30 PM–4:00 PM  Awards Committee Meeting (Open)  Salon 6, 7, 8

2:30 PM–4:00 PM  Membership Committee Meeting (Open)  Plaza 1

4:30 PM–6:00 PM  Plenary: Whose Lives Matter? Race, Gender, and Feminist Activism  Plaza Ballroom
Moderator: Adia Harvey Wingfield, Washington University in St. Louis
Participant: Brittney Cooper, Rutgers University
Participant: Kayla Reed, M4BL Electoral Justice Project, St. Louis Action Council & Wash U
Participant: Tressie McMillan Cottom, Virginia Commonwealth University and Harvard University's Berkman Klein Center for Internet & Society
Participant: Zakiya Luna, University of California, Santa Barbara and Center on Reproductive Rights and Justice at Berkeley Law
6:00 PM–6:30 PM  Book Signing with Brittney Cooper

6:30 PM–11:00 PM  Dinner, Auction & Dancing

Note: The 2018 SWS Auction Beneficiary is SisterSong.

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7:45 AM–9:00 AM  Breakfast

9:00 AM–10:30 AM  Business Meeting II (Open)

10:45 AM–11:45 AM  Operating Budget Management II (Closed)

12:00 PM–1:30 PM  Council II (Closed)

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Joseline Tlacomulco (Left) was born in Tlaxcala, Mexico, and migrated to New Haven, CT at 8 months of age with her parents. Her story as a baby carried across borders and desserts has inspired her to become involved and passionate about issues regarding immigration as it affects her life as an undocumented woman of color. Currently, she is an undergraduate attending the University of Connecticut double majoring in Political Science and Human Rights. In addition to being an undergraduate student, she is also an activist and community organizer for CT Students for a Dream, a statewide organization led by undocumented youth to advocate for undocumented students and their families. Joseline organizes primarily at the UConn-Storrs campus by working with the administration and students to further develop resources to aid undocumented students.

Rachel Litchman (Right) is an undergraduate at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. An alumnus of The Voices and Faces Project The Stories We Tell workshop, she believes stories have the ability to dismantle controlling images. Her current project is a collection of cross-genre work on the topic of childhood trauma and sexual violence. Select essays and poetry from this manuscript can be found in Colorado Review, Anomaly, and online at Columbia College Chicago Young Authors Blog. In the Spring of 2018, an interactive art project titled "Complex Trauma: A Memoir" will be displayed at the Chicago-area art gallery The Awakenings Foundation.
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