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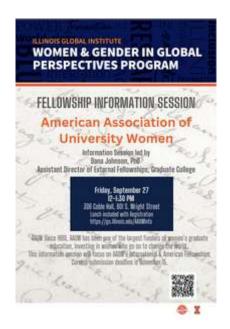
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### **WGGP Events**



#### **AAUW Information Session**

**Speakers:** Dana Johnson, PhD, Assistant Director of External Fellowships, Graduate College

Lecture Description: AAUW Since 1888, AAUW has been one of the largest funders of women's graduate education, investing in women who go on to change the world. This information session will focus on AAUW's International & American Fellowship.

September 27th | 12 - 1:30PM | 306 Coble Hall

Lunch provided with RSVP

Click for more info and RSVP



# Community Engagement, Rural Edition: Navigating Local Power and Conquering the Fear Factor

About Speaker: Annie Contractor is the Policy Director at RuralProgress and RuralOrganizing.org. Annie is bridging the gap between community organizing and community development by resourcing rural civic leaders with legislation and advocacy tools. Wins include the writing and introduction of the Rural Prosperity Act, passage of the Postal Reform Act, and passage and rural reach of the Recompete Pilot Program.

October 2 | 12pm | 306 Coble Hall and via Zoom

Lunch provided for in-person attendees with RSVP

Click for more info and RSVP



# Egalitarian Workplaces: Organizational Patterns of Gender Wage Inequality in High Income Countries

**About Speaker:** Eunmi Mun pursues research in the areas of gender, work, and organizations. She is particularly interested in understanding how companies respond to social demands for gender equality and which corporate practices help address gender equality.

October 11<sup>th</sup> | 12pm

306 Coble Hall and virtual via Zoom

Click for more info and RSVP

## **WGGP Co-sponsored Events**



## Friday Forum + Conversation Café

This Friday September 20<sup>th</sup>

**Speaker:** New American Welcome Center

**Program Information:** Champaign County Welcoming Plan in Action

Please join the University YMCA and <u>Diversity & Social Justice Education</u> for our Fall 2024 Friday Forum + Conversation Café series. We will hear from community leaders tackling our most pressing public concerns through an unwavering pursuit of social justice. We are excited to focus the fall series on Democracy. Follow this <u>link</u> for more information!

Fridays at 12 PM in Latzer Hall at the University YMCA.

https://www.universityymca.org/what-we-offer/programs/friday-forum-conversation-cafe

## **Campus Events**



#### **Disasters and Social Change**

In this talk, Jordan Pascoe draws on the resources of feminist philosophy to explore how disasters trigger social change- in both progressive and authoritarian ways. By examining how people learn from one another in disaster contexts, and how this learning can shift longstanding practices of collective knowing, she explores how and why disasters generate social change, and how disaster policy can shape that social change.

September 17 | 3:00 pm | Levis Faculty Center, Room 210, 919 W. Illinois Street, Urbana

#### Food For Thought



#### The Health Burden of Wildfire Smoke in the United States

11:00am-11:45am: David Molitor, CAS Associate 2023-24, Finance

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Pregnancy, Interrupted: The New Science of Miscarriage

Noon -12:45pm: Kathryn Clancy, WGGP Faculty Affiliate & CAS Associate 2023-24, Anthropology

Time & Location for both events: Monday, September 23, 2024 | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM | Levis Faculty Center, Room 210

# HRI Faculty & Graduate Student Fellowship 2025-2026 APPLICATION PORTAL OPEN

HRI campus fellowships enable faculty and graduate students to develop research projects related to the yearly theme and to participate in the yearlong interdisciplinary Fellows Seminar and related programming. Faculty fellows receive a two-course release and \$3K in research funds. Graduate fellows receive a stipend and a tuition and partial fee waiver.

HRI welcomes applications from all disciplines and departments with an interest in humanities and humanities-inflected research. The institute is especially interested in fostering interdisciplinary work, both within the humanistic disciplines, and between the humanities and the arts.

Deadline: 5:00 p.m. Central on Friday, December 6, 2024

Link for more information: <a href="https://hri.illinois.edu/campus-fellowships/graduate-fellowship-awards-application-guidelines">https://hri.illinois.edu/campus-fellowships/graduate-fellowship-awards-application-guidelines</a>

### **Announcements**

The Program Coordinator for the Illinois Scholars at Risk (ISAR)

Working with the ISAR program to help scholars in danger from abroad by bringing them to the university for temporary hosting. Key responsibilities include:

- **1. Program Coordination:** Develop and manage an annual cohort of ISAR scholars, collaborate with host units and partners, oversee visa and fellowship processes, and maintain program statistics and reports.
  - **2. Administration & Financial Management: Assist** in budget development, track expenses, handle administrative tasks related to funding and housing, and ensure accurate scholar appointment records.
  - **3.Communication & Marketing:** Manage communication efforts, update the ISAR handbook, and coordinate with internal and external stakeholders to promote the program.

#### Qualifications

**Required:** Bachelor's degree, one year of relevant experience, and event or program management skills.

**Preferred:** Master's degree, experience with at-risk scholars, higher education experience, and familiarity with university procedures.

#### **Details**

Position: Full-time Civil Service, 12-month appointment.

Salary Range: \$46,000 - \$67,378.

Hybrid work schedule available.

Application Deadline: September 25, 2024.

Click for more information and application link

**Social Media** 



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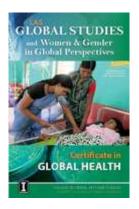
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## **WGGP Programs**

#### **WGGP Gender Relations in International Development Graduate Minors**

WGGP offers a graduate minor in Gender Relations in International Development (GRID). The GRID interdisciplinary minor is designed to give students the analytical and empirical skills needed to address and critically evaluate human development issues in research and policy analysis, as well as in daily life. As of 2023, GRID Alumni have come from 41 departments across campus and 52 different countries.

To learn more about the GRID minor, please contact Anita Kaiser at <a href="mailto:arkaiser@illinois.edu">arkaiser@illinois.edu</a> or by phone at 333-6221.



Certificate in Global Health

#### **Undergraduate Certificate in Global Health**

Joint with WGGP and LAS Global Studies

LAS Global Studies, in conjunction with Women and Gender in Global Perspectives (WGGP), is offering a Certificate in Global Health. This certificate is open to all undergraduate majors at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Click for more information on Undergraduate Certificate



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