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COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES

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WGGP Fall Reception



WGGP Fall Reception

Thursday, September 5 | 4:00-5:30 pm |

**YMCA Latzer Hall
1001 S. Wright Street, Champaign**

Remarks at 4:20 pm

RSVP Appreciated

WGGP Events



Public Rename Hearing

The Senate Committee on Educational Policy is collecting information regarding a Proposal to Rename the Center for Women & Gender in Global Perspectives to the Center for Global Gender Equity. Follow [this link](#) for more information, RSVP to the hearing, or provide written comments.

September 9, 2024 | 2 p.m. |

English Building, Room 232

[Click to RSVP](#)

Please visit our website for a full list of hosted and co-sponsored events

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WGGP Co-sponsored Events



Friday Forum + Conversation Café

Please join the University YMCA and [Diversity & Social Justice Education](#) 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 towards

Democracy. Follow this [link](#) 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

HRI Graduate Student Social

Graduate students in the humanities, arts and related fields: you are cordially invited to join us for a casual, relaxed happy hour gathering on the first floor of Levis Faculty Center! Come and meet fellow students while enjoying light food, drinks, and convivial conversation.

October 4, 2024 | 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Levis Faculty Center, 1st Floor Lobby



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

Women's Resources Center

You'll still find the WRC in the same building above McDonald's at 616 E. Green St., Champaign, but we now in a larger space just down the hall in Suite 213. We can't wait for you to come check it out!



Dinner & (Professional) Development: Imposter Syndrome

Dinner & Development is a free professional development series focused on addressing the concerns that women-identified students and other gender minorities commonly face entering the workforce.

September 4, 2024 | 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Women's Resources Center

616 E. Green Street, Suite 213

Courses of Interest

Elective Fall course for GRID with Prof. Miraftab

UP 423 Community Development in the Global South

Department of Urban and Regional Planning.

(4 credit hours) | CRN 58200

Instructor: Faranak Miraftab | faranak@illinois.edu

When: Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9:30-10:50 AM

Course description

Are you interested in grassroots movements, gender, community development and global justice, then this course is for you. About what: we focus on grassroots practices of development and critically engage with practices and policies of “development experts”. Satisfies BAUSP’s Global Cities concentration (upper division undergrads); GRID graduate minor (for its gender focus), as well as FLAS regional focus courses (for its drawing on cases from Africa, Latin America, Middle East and South Asia).

ANTH 515: Feminist Science syllabus

Kate Clancy | kclancy@illinois.edu | 244-1509

T/Th 12:30-1:50pm, 109A Davenport Hall

Office: 386C Davenport Hall (third floor of the south wing)**Office hours:** T/Th 2-3pm and by appointment**Course description**

This course is a bridge between science and technology studies, anthropology, and scientific methodologies typically associated with STEM. We ask broadly what historical and cultural forces produced science as it stands today. But we also specifically ask: how have masculinity contests, toxic workplaces, unjustified hierarchies, and colonizing values around individualism and discovery led to the production of, frankly, crappy science? Using theory as an entry point into a number of methodological and empirical debates, we will think about what it will take to produce feminist science.

Announcements

SGA YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES

BREAK THE SILENCE, STOP THE VIOLENCE!

Using an evidence-informed curriculum, this prevention program will describe what gender-based violence is and provide participants with the knowledge and skills to eliminate gender-based violence from their communities.

By creating a judgement-free space, participants will discuss:

- Consent
- Gender and gender identity
- Healthy boundaries/communication
- Teen dating violence
- Bystander intervention skills
- Power and privilege
- Dangers of social media
- Sexual assault
- Signs of human trafficking

Connecting participants to community resources that provide assistance to youth is a key program component.

Available in English and Spanish

Open to residents in the communities of:

BRIGHTON PARK CAGE PARK ARCHER HEIGHTS
SOUTH LAWDALE BULLMAN ROSELAND

Questions? Scan here for a brief interest survey.

Contact: Nicole Chavez
Gender-Based Violence Education Specialist
nchavez@sga-youth.org
(773) 321-9232 sga-youth.org

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Scan QR code for interest survey! or

Click to apply for program

Introducing Our New Library Liaison for WGGP

Here's how Cindy can assist you!

- **Library Instruction:** I can provide library instruction either in-person or via Zoom. If scheduling is challenging, feel free to include my contact details in your syllabus:
Cindy Ingold
101E SSHEL, Main Library, First Floor
cingold@illinois.edu
217-333-7998
- **Resource Requests:** For any requests related to books, journals, or other materials, please email me directly at cingold@illinois.edu.
- **Research Assistance:** I'm available to help with your research needs through in-person meetings, Zoom, or email.

Email is the best way to reach me, so don't hesitate to contact me with any questions or requests.

Looking forward to working with you!

Best regards,
Cindy Ingold

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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 arkaiser@illinois.edu or by phone at 333-6221.



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.**

Certificate in Global Health

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