

International Conference on Gender Studies 2018 (Gender Studies'18)

“Gender Studies in a Global Perspective”

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TECHNICAL PROGRAM

DAY 01 - THURSDAY, 04TH OCTOBER, 2018

INAUGURATION SESSION	Thursday, 04th October 2018 08.00 to 09.40 Morakot I	
	08.00 – 09.00	Conference Registration
	09.00 – 09.10	Welcome Address by the Conference Convener Mr. Isanka P. Gamage (<i>Co-Founder & Managing Director - The International Institute of Knowledge Management (TIKM), Sri Lanka</i>)
	09.10 – 09.30	Speech by the Conference Chair Prof. Shahana Rasool (<i>University of Johannesburg, South Africa</i>)
	09.30 – 09.40	Conference Photograph
	09.40 – 10.00	Morning Refreshments

KEYNOTE FORUM	Thursday, 04th October 2018 10.00 to 10.45 Morakot I	
	10.00 – 10.45	"Gender and Development" Prof. Shahana Rasool (<i>University of Johannesburg, South Africa</i>)

TECHNICAL SESSION 01	GENDER RIGHTS IN LAW AND POLICY		
	Thursday, 04 th October 2018 10.45 to 12.15 Morakot I		
	Chaired by Dr. Rubeena Batool, (<i>University of Balochistan, Pakistan</i>)		
	10.45 – 11.15	A1	Policy Differences for Women’s Economic Empowerment in Bangladesh and Sri Lanka Sharmeen N. (<i>Independent University, Bangladesh</i>)
	11.15 – 11.45	A2	Anti-Women Practices Law in Pakistan: Current Realities, Strategies and Challenges Muneer Sania (<i>University of Lahore, Pakistan</i>)

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	11.45 – 12.15	A3	Political Participation as Social Justice: The Gendered Dimension to the Zimbabwe 2018 Elections <i>Zulu N (University of Johannesburg, South Africa)</i>
	12.15 – 13.15	Networking Lunch	

TECHNICAL SESSION 02	GENDER, POWER AND RIGHTS		
	Thursday, 04 th October 2018 13.15 to 15.45 Morakot I		
	Chaired by Dr. Nqobile Zulu (<i>University of Johannesburg, South Africa</i>)		
	13.15 – 13.45	B1	Prostitution: A Social Taboo or A Socially Nurtured Phenomenon? <i>Maheem Jiwani (The Lyceum School, Pakistan)</i>
	13.45 – 14.15	B2	Selling Sex for Survival: Rohingya Women Holding onto Strands for Life <i>Salsabeel N. (Bangladesh University of Professionals, Bangladesh)</i>
	14.15 – 14.45	B3	Queer Politics and Human Rights: A Case Study of the “Parlorista Bakla” in Iloilo City, Philippines <i>Bionat, Justin Francis, Alcoran, Leonard Francis Duya, Rejie Lyn (West Visayas State University, Iloilo City, Philippines)</i>
	14.45 – 15.15	B4	Assessment of Political Literacy among Female Students at the University of Balochistan <i>Dr. Rubeena Batool¹, Dr. Musarrat Jabeen² (¹University of Balochistany, Pakistan, ²National Defense university, Pakistan)</i>
	15.15 – 15.45	B5	Homeless Women’s Experiences and Knowledge of Safe Practices <i>Gasa N (University of Johannesburg, South Africa)</i>
15.45 – 16.05	Evening Refreshments		

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TECHNICAL SESSION 03	GENDER THEORY		
	Thursday, 04 th October 2018 16.05 to 17.05 Morakot I		
	Chaired by Dr. Gilda Gayle Gomez (<i>Ateneo De Manila University, Philippines</i>)		
	16.05 – 16.35	C1	A Critical Analysis of Westerncentric Discourse on Gender Pluralism in Malaysia, Indonesia <i>Hazim Ismail (University of Winnipeg, South Africa)</i>
	16.35 – 17.05	C2	The Peace Corps and Let Girls Learn: Foreign Government Female Empowerment Programming and Considerations for Theory and Practice <i>Gianni Bisio (Kennesaw State University, United States)</i>

DAY 02 – FRIDAY, 05TH OCTOBER, 2018

TECHNICAL SESSION 04	GENDER VIOLENCE (I)		
	Friday, 05 th October 2018 09.00 to 10.30 Morakot I		
	Chaired by Prof. Maria Frahm-Arp (<i>University of Warwick, United Kingdom</i>)		
	09.00 – 09.30	D1	Narrative Voices of Filipino Women who Experienced Spousal Abuse and their Process of Self-Empowerment <i>Gilda Gayle A. Gomez (Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines)</i>
	09.30– 10.00	D2	Gender Based Violence: An Analysis of the Gender Dynamics among Adolescents in South African Schools <i>Maphosa N (University of Johannesburg, South Africa)</i>
	10.00– 10.30	D3	“These Women are making a Statement against Rape and yet the only thing Y'all can Focus on is 'Eww They're Naked": Exploring Rape Culture in Social Media Posts related to the #Endrapeculture Campaign in South Africa <i>Zaida Orth (University of the Western Cape, South Africa)</i>
10.30 – 10.50	Morning Refreshments		

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KEYNOTE FORUM	Friday, 05th October 2018 10.50 to 11.35 Morakot I	
	10.50 – 11.35	Prof. Sarah Bradshaw (<i>Middlesex University London, United Kingdom</i>)

TECHNICAL SESSION 05	GENDER VIOLENCE (II)		
	Friday, 05 th October 2018 11.35 to 13.05 Morakot I		
	Chaired by Prof. Maria Frahm-Arp (<i>University of Warwick, United Kingdom</i>)		
	11.35 – 12.05	D4	Gendered Public Spaces and the Geography of Fear in Greater Cairo Slums Salma Nasser, Rasha Hassan (<i>Population council, Egypt</i>)
	12.05 – 12.35	D5	Gender Constructions in Africa: A Systematic Review of Research Findings from the Informal Support Networks of Abused Women Mwatsiya I. (<i>University of Johannesburg, South Africa</i>)
	12.35 – 13.05	D6	State of Protection of Women Against Violence in Tabuk City Ignacio, M.G.B. M. (<i>Kalinga State University, Philippines</i>)
13.05 – 14.05	Networking Lunch		

TECHNICAL SESSION 06	RELIGION, CULTURE AND GENDER RELATIONS		
	Friday, 05 th October 2018 14.05 to 16.35 Morakot I		
	Chaired by Dr. Rubeena Batool (<i>University of Balochistan, Pakistan</i>)		
	14.05 – 14.35	E1	Role of Religion in Gender Inequality in India Chitra Anand , Kritika Chopra (<i>Ambedkar University, India</i>)
	14.35 – 15.05	E2	“Fire” - A Film Challenging Marriage, Morality and Gender Binaries in India Priyam Sinha (<i>Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, India</i>)
	15.05 – 15.35	E3	‘I Am Anti-Feminism – I Am a Christian’: Why Young Women in Pentecostal Charismatic Evangelical Churches in South Africa are Anti Feminism Frahm-Arp K.M. (<i>University of Johannesburg, South Africa</i>)

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	15.35 – 16.05	E4	Understanding Stigma: Love, Lust and Female Sexuality among Garment Workers in Gazipur, Bangladesh <i>Runa Laila (Research fellow, VU Amsterdam, the Netherlands)</i>
	16.05 – 16.35	E5	Same Sex Marriage - A Critical Analysis of A Song “Robert” by Sereetsi & The Natives <i>Batsalelwang K.P.J (University of Botswana, Botswana)</i>
	16.35 – 16.55	Evening Refreshments	

CHAIR WORKSHOP	Friday, 05th October 2018 16.55 to 17.25 Morakot I		
	16.55 – 17.25	Prof. Shahana Rasool (<i>University of Johannesburg, South Africa</i>)	

CONFERENCE CLOSURE	Friday, 05th October 2018 17.25 to 17.55 Morakot 1		
	17.25 – 17.45	Conference Concluding and Awarding Ceremony	
	17.45 – 17.55	Vote of Thanks	

Saturday, 06th October 2018 | Post Conference Tour (Optional)

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