

Gender Studies Announcement March 22, 2007

Gender Studies OH! (Open House)

Where: 325 O'Shaughnessy

When: Friday, March 23, 2007 - 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

What: Stop in for FREE food from Breadsmith
Gourmet Coffee, Scones, Bearclaws, Cookies, Muffins and more.
Enjoy the company of good friends, good food and good conversation.

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#### **Dr. Tim Murphy**

Professor of Philosophy in the Biomedical Sciences at the  
University of Illinois College of Medicine

Lecture: **"When Science Looks at Sex: Biology and the Ethics of Homosexuality"**

**Thursday, March 22**

**Hesburgh Center for International Studies Auditorium, 8 pm**

Sponsored by: The Gender Studies Program, The Department of Philosophy, The  
Department of Sociology, The Gender Relations Center, The Core Council for Gay and  
Lesbian Students and Feminist Voice.

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The **Core Council for Gay and Lesbian Students** is seeking new undergraduate
student members, regardless of their sexual orientation.

Led by two Co-Chairs, an undergraduate student and a staff member from the
Office of Student Affairs, the Core Council includes eight students and
three additional staff members: from Campus Ministry, the Counseling Center,
and the Gender Relations Center. Access the Core Council website at
<http://corecouncil.nd.edu> for an application and/or a diagram of the complete structure.
Applications are also available in the Office of Student Affairs, 316 Main Building.

Applications must be turned in to Sr. Sue Dunn at 316 Main Building by 5pm
on **Friday, March 23, 2007**. Please contact Sr. Dunn (dunn.54@nd.edu) or Andy
Magee (amagee@nd.edu) with any questions.

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**FTT Talks presents:**

**Lee Young-Lan, Actress/Associate Professor**

**A Petal by Jang Sun-Woo**

**Tuesday, March 27 – 9:00 pm, Browning Cinema**

*A Petal*, Ms. Lee-Yang's first feature film, will be screened and followed by a Q&A. This  
is a free but ticketed event. Call the DPAC ticket office at (574) 631-2800 to reserve your  
tickets.

May 1980 is a month of infamy in South Korea. In Gwangju, pro-democracy citizens rallied for an end to military rule. On May 12, General Chun ordered elite Korean paratroopers to storm the city with guns ablaze. Atrocities were committed. Outraged, the citizens retook their city and held it for five days before they were overwhelmed.

Exact numbers of the dead remain elusive. Official inquiries into this tragedy did not happen until the 1990's. It is South Korea's Bloody Sunday and Tianamen. Director Jang Sun-Woo took fifteen years to locate a producer willing to address this national tragedy.

Lee Young-Lan has long been a prominent actress and director of the theatre before branching out to the cinema. She plays the role of the female protagonist's mother. For her brilliant portrayal, she was awarded the Best supporting Actress Award at the 1996 Asia-Pacific Film Festival. The film climaxes with a *ssitkkim-gut*, a shamanistic ritual designed to assuage a heartbroken spirit. It contains graphic scenes that may be disturbing to some viewers.

This event is sponsored by the Asian American Association, Center for Asian Studies, Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures, Department of Film, Television, and Theatre, Gender Studies Program, Henkels Interdisciplinary Visiting Speaker Grant, Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts, Kellogg Institute for International Studies, Korean Graduate Student Association, Korean Student Association, Learning Beyond the Classroom Grant and Office of Campus Ministry.

For more information: <http://www.nd.edu/~ft>

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The Institute for Latino Studies and the College of Science invite you to attend the distinguished lecture series on **SCIENCE, DIVERSITY, AND ACADEMIA**

All noon seminars in the Reading Room, Jordan Hall of Science (First Floor).

All 4:00 pm lectures in Room 100, Jordan hall of Science, Digital Visualization Theatre.

For titles and abstracts please see www.nd.edu/~latino or www.science.nd.edu.

March 28 – Marta Zuniga

April 4 – Elma Gonzalez

April 18- Stephen L. Mayo

Co-Sponsors: Gender Studies, John A. Kaneb Center for Teaching and Research, Office of Undergraduate Studies, College of Arts and Letters, Office of Research, Graduate Studies.

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**Professor Barbara Taylor**, University of East London

Public Lecture

***“Mary Wollstonecraft and the Solitary Self”***

**Thursday, April 12, 2007**

**7:00 p.m.**

**112-114 McKenna Hall**

Reception to follow

Barbara Taylor is Professor of Modern History in the School of Social Sciences, Media and Cultural Studies at the University of East London. Her publications include: *Eve and*

*the New Jerusalem: Socialism and Feminism in the Nineteenth Century* (London, Virago and New York, Pantheon, 1983; Harvard University Press, 1993) which won the 1983 Isaac Deutscher Memorial Prize; *Mary Wollstonecraft and the Feminist Imagination* (Cambridge University Press, 2003); and *Women, Gender and Enlightenment, 1650-1850* (co-edited with Sarah Knott, Palgrave Press, 2005); and many book chapters and journal articles. She reviews regularly for the *London Review of Books*.

Barbara Taylor is Co-Director (with John Marriott) of the Raphael Samuel History Centre at UEL. She is an editor of *History Workshop Journal*, a Fellow of the Royal Historical Society, and served on the Advisory Council of the Institute of Historical Research from 2003 to 2006. She has been Visiting Professor at the universities of Amsterdam and Indiana, Visiting Fellow at Clare Hall, Cambridge, and has lectured at universities throughout Europe and North America. She has won many research fellowships, including from the Nuffield Foundation, the British Academy, and the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation. From 1998 to 2001, she was Director of a three-year international research project, 'Feminism and Enlightenment, 1650-1850: a Comparative History', funded by the Leverhulme Trust.

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Professor Norma Clarke, Kingston University, London

Lecture: '*Scandalous Histories*' : *Mrs. Pilkington, Mary Wollstonecraft, and the Kingsborough Family Connection*

Friday, April 13, 2007

3:00 p.m.

120 DeBartolo

Norma Clarke, as Professor of English Literature in Kingston University, has been associated with the UCLA Center for Seventeenth and Eighteenth-Century Studies and the William Andrews Clark Memorial Library. She has published 'The Rise and Fall of the Woman of Letters' (Pimlico Original, Random House, 2004), 'Dr Johnson's Women' (Hambleton & London, 2000), 'Ambitious Heights, Writing, Friendship, Love: the Jewsbury Sisters, Felicia Hemans and Jane Welsh Carlyle' (Routledge, 1990). Also co-authored with Helen Weinstein: 'Spinning with the Brain: Women's Writing in Seventeenth Century England' (1996 BBC Education pack), 'Anna Seward: Swan, Duckling or Goose?' in 'British Women's Writing in the Long Eighteenth Century: Authorship, Politics and History', eds Jennie Batchelor and Cora Kaplan, (Palgrave, 2005); also 'Bluestocking Fictions: Devotional Writings, Didactic Literature and the Imperative of Female Improvement' in 'Women, Gender and Enlightenment', eds Sarah Knott and Barbara Taylor, (Palgrave, 2005). She has recently completed a biography of Dublin-born Laetitia Pilkington (1709-1750), memoirist, literary biographer, poet and wit. It will be published by Faber & Faber.

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**ANNUAL GENDER STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE WRITING PRIZES:**  
**DEADLINE: APRIL 16**

**"GENEVIEVE D. WILLIS SENIOR THESIS PRIZE"** for the best senior thesis on a topic related to Gender Studies (\$150). This prize is named in honor of Genevieve D. Willis, whose family has provided an endowment for excellence for the Gender Studies Program.

**"PHILIP L. QUINN ESSAY PRIZE"** for the best academic essay on a topic related to Gender Studies (\$100). This prize is named in honor of Professor Philip Quinn who taught in the Notre Dame Philosophy Department for many years and was a generous supporter of the Gender Studies Program.

Any undergraduate student in the University may submit a senior thesis or an academic essay written during the 2006-07 academic year to these annual award competitions. Theses and essays should be mailed to Samara Cahill, Academic Advisor, Gender Studies Program, 325 O'Shaughnessy Hall. **The due date is April 16th.** Winners will be announced by May 1st.

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Dear Colleagues,

We invite you to take part in the conference dedicated to the gender issues of humanitarian education. Further we provide you with the detailed information on it. Hope you or your colleagues will find it interesting.

*Best wishes,
Albina Krymskaya*

St. Petersburg State University and Committee for External Relations of St. Petersburg are pleased to invite you to attend the International Conference "Humanitarian Education: Gender Aspect", which will be held on June 25-28, 2007 at the Faculty of Philosophy and Political Science, St. Petersburg State University, St. Petersburg, Russia.

During the Conference will be discussed a wide variety of interdisciplinary questions, which concern the term of the gender equality, which belong to the sphere of scholarly and practical interest of historians, philosophers, political scholars, sociologists, jurists, culturologists, anthropologists and philologists.

We will focus on the following issues:

- Prospects of Gender Comparative Law in Humanitarian Arts and Social Sciences
- Gender Aspect of Education in 20th and 21st Century

- Education as a Factor of Ensuring of Gender Equality
- Problem of “Supplementary Woman’s Rights”
- Mass Media and Gender Aspects of Education
- Gender Stereotypes in Education
- Modern Classical Education in Universities and High Schools: Gender Aspect
- Gender and confessional issues of combined and part education
- Peculiarities of Mentality: Gender Aspect
- Female Mindset («The Female Logic») – reality or myth, sustaining the gender inequality?

The list of themes, which will be discussed during the Conference, can be expanded. The Conference Organizing Committee will appreciate your proposals, concerning the widening of the following issues. The detailed Program of the Conference will be announced in additional information letter. Parallel with two working days a cultural program is planned, which includes visiting the historical places of St. Petersburg, one of the St. Petersburg’s suburbs, the acquaintance with the University, visiting one of the St. Petersburg’s theaters. The Conference will be in Russian and English.

Organizing Committee does not pay transportation and accommodation for participants. We can support you in finding hotel accommodation. The conference fee for the participants, which includes publication of paper, cultural program and dinners, is 200 euros. It is possible for the participants to be placed in the University’s hotel. The information on the other hotels and prices can be provided in addition. Visa support is provided. **Deadline for information in order to arrange a letter of invitation is April 3, 2007.** We kindly request you to send us your demands for participating in the Conference, theme submission and abstracts, which should be **no longer than 200-300 words until April 3, 2007. Deadline for contributions is May 1, 2007.** For those, who would like to participate in discussion without taking part in plenary session, it is necessary to send a demand for participating in the Conference.

If you have any questions, please, feel free to contact us:

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Albina Krymskaya: E-mail: gender2007conf@yandex.ru

Address: The Faculty of Philosophy and Political Science, St. Petersburg State University, Mendeleevskaya linii, 5, St. Petersburg, 199034, Russia

The Program Committee of the Conference:

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