

Gender & Sexuality
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8th Edition : Global Congress on

Gender and Sexuality Studies

September 08 - 09, 2025

PROGRAM

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Program Day - 1
8th September, 2025

08:45 AM - 09:15 AM Registration & Networking Breakfast

Keynote Presentation

09:15 AM - 10:00 AM Human Rights of the Third Gender in India: Beyond the Binary

Dr. Lopamudra Sengupta-Bangabasi College, University of Calcutta, India

Oral Presentations

10:00 AM - 10:20 AM Women in China to Rejuvenate the Nation by Reproducing More: Is “Mom’s Job” the Answer?

Usha Chandran- Jawaharlal Nehru University, India

10:20 AM - 10:40 AM Exploring the Accessibility of Sexual and Reproductive Health Services for Persons with Disabilities in South Africa

Zimkitha Mahlangu- Durban University of Technology, South Africa

Keynote Presentation

10:40 AM - 11:15 AM How Breast Cancer Glitched my Body, my Self, and my Work as an Academic

Dorothy Woodman University of Alberta, Canada

11:15 AM - 11:45 AM Challenges and Opportunities from Past to Present. Exemplary Case Studies of the Roman de Silence and Mauritius von Craûn

Albrecht Classen University of Arizona, United States

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Oral Presentation

- 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM** **Ahead of the Curve Documentary Film**
*Julie Sandler (Jen Rainin)- Director & Co-Producer,
United States*

Keynote Presentations

- 12:15 PM - 12:45 PM** **Standing Up to Yale University's Silencing of Women, and Title IX Civil Rights Non-Compliance Contributed to Two Preventable Campus Murders**
Susan Daria Landino- Director, Allies Reaching for Equality (A.R.E.), United States

Oral Presentation

- 12:45 PM - 13:05 PM** **Betrayal and Gendered Security in African Digital Cinema:A Reading of Maudite Infidélité by Blaise Ntedju**
*J. Ariane Ngabeu- Howard University School of Arts,
United States*
- 13:05 PM - 13:25 PM** **The rise of transphobia and the targeting of trans youth in conservative political discourse in Canada and the US and the implications for trans youth of restoring biological sexual binaries as "supposed reality"**
Mirela Violeta David- University of Saskatchewan, Canada
- 13:25 PM - 13:45 PM** **French Development Aid Matrix: Decolonizing Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights Representations**
Ange Meralli - Ballou HIV - UNAIDS Regional, Senegal

Poster Presentation

- 13:45 PM - 14:05 PM** **Urban Dominance in GSA/LGBTQ+ Student Organizations Compared to Rural Spaces.**
Jack Hanson- Independent Researcher, United States

Closure for Day 1

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Program Day - 2
9th September, 2025

Oral Presentations

09:00 AM - 09:20 AM	Female Friendship at the Medici Court of Vittoria della Rovere <i>Adelina Modesti- University of Melbourne, Australia</i>
09:20 AM - 09:40 AM	Single men and gender relations <i>Ketaki Chowkhani - Manipal Academy of Higher Education, India</i>
09:40 AM- 10:00 AM	Exploring the Intersections of Gender and Sexuality: Rushed marriages during COVID – 19 and beyond <i>Kanchan Mathur- Institute of Development Studies, India</i>
10:00 AM- 10:20 AM	Fatherhood 2.0: Exploring the Masculinity of stay-at-home fathers in Urban India <i>Suvangee Gupta - Manipal Centre for Humanities, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, India</i>
10:20 AM - 10:40 AM	Hybrid Identities in Homeland Elegies (2020) by Ayad Akhtar and The Parisian (2019) by Isabella Hammad <i>Walid Abdallah- Rezk Suez University, Egypt</i>

Poster Presentations

10:40 AM- 11:00 AM	Situational Analysis of Gender and Power Barriers Affecting Pregnant Women's Access to Malaria Control Interventions in Ivory Coast <i>Ekassi Eloundou- Save the Children, Ivory Coast</i>
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Oral Presentations

- 11:00 AM - 11:20 AM** **Gendered Harms in the Digital Era: AI and Algorithms as Fuel for Sexual Violence against Women**
Catia Pontedeira- University of Maia (CIEG/ISCSP) & University of Minho, Portugal
- 11:20 AM - 11:40 AM** **Beyond Boundaries: Unveiling the Intersectional Challenges of Arab Women in UK Academia**
Noor Tazka - University of Warwick, United Kingdom
- 11:40 AM - 12:00 PM** **A Qualitative Scoping Review of the Relationship Between female Child Labourers and Foundational Skills, particularly Reading in developing countries.**
Farkhanda Ijaz University of Brighton, United Kingdom
- 12:00 PM - 12:20 PM** **Victorian Illusions: The Morality of Pornography and the American Character 1925 - 2015**
Glen Anthony Harris- University of North Carolina Wilmington, United States

Keynote Presentations

- 12:20 PM - 13:00 PM** **Sportscrit: Disrupting The Field - Reframing Gender, Race, And Power In Athletic**
Gyasmine George Williams- Cal Poly Pomona, United States

Oral Presentations

- 13:00 PM - 13:20 PM** **Gender studies, ancient society and roman law: an overview**
Arnaud Paturet- CNRS, Center for Theory and Analysis of Law École Normale Supérieure, France

Keynote Presentations

13:20 PM - 14:00 PM

Preservation of Socio-Cultural Capital and Patriarchal Bargaining: An Analysis of Sexuality Control of young women through Biradari Systems in Pakistan.

Saima Khan - Global Studies Department, GCU Lahore, Pakistan

Thanks giving & Conference Closure