

# Gender, Sexuality, & Women's Studies Program

*An interdisciplinary academic program focusing on excellence in teaching and research relating to gender, sexuality, and women.*



## SPRING 2016 EVENTS

**Thursday, January 21, 4–5:30 p.m.**

**402 Cathedral of Learning**

Faculty and graduate student reading discussion on author Alison Kafer's book *Feminist, Queer, Crip* (2013). Moderated by Julie Beaulieu, Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies program. Text is available by e-mailing [gsws@pitt.edu](mailto:gsws@pitt.edu).

**Thursday, January 28, 4–5:15 p.m.**

**602 Cathedral of Learning**

Undergraduate lecture by GSWWS visiting scholar Patricia Ulbrich on "Hard Hatted Women and Wild Sisters: Lesbian Organizations in Pittsburgh Women's Movement Community."

**Friday, February 5, 3–4:30 p.m.**

**William Pitt Union, Lower Lounge**

General lecture by visiting professor Susan Wells, Temple University, on "In Search of the Clitoris."

**Thursday, February 18, 4–5:30 p.m.**

**401 Cathedral of Learning**

General lecture by Gabriella Lukacs, Department of Anthropology and GSWWS Faculty Fellow, on "Career Porn: Blogging and the Good Life."

**Thursday, February 25, 4–5:30 p.m.**

**1228 Cathedral of Learning**

General lecture by Sara Goodkind, University of Pittsburgh, School of Social Work, on "Are My Pants Lowering Your Test Scores?: Blaming Girls for Challenges Facing Boys."

**Monday, February 29, 6–7:30 p.m.**

**602 Cathedral of Learning**

General lecture by visiting professor Kale Fajardo, University of Minnesota, on "Queer/Asian Filipinos in Oregon: A Trans\*Colonial Approach."

**Tuesday, March 1, 6–7:15 p.m.**

**602 Cathedral of Learning**

Faculty and graduate student discussion-based colloquium with visiting professor Kale Fajardo, University of Minnesota, on his book *Filipino Crosscurrents: Oceanographies of Seafaring, Masculinities, and Globalization* (2011). Contact Todd Reeser at [reeser@pitt.edu](mailto:reeser@pitt.edu) to register.

**Monday, March 21, 4–5:30 p.m.**

**1228 Cathedral of Learning**

Undergraduate lecture by visiting professor Deborah A. Harris, Texas State University, on "Taking the Heat: Women Chefs and Gender Inequality in the Professional Kitchen."

**Thursday, March 31, 4 p.m. –**

**Saturday, April 2, 7 p.m.**

International, interdisciplinary conference:

**"Doing the Body in the 21st Century."**

See [www.body.pitt.edu](http://www.body.pitt.edu) for the schedule of events.

**Thursday, March 31, 5–7 p.m.**

**University Club Ballroom**

Faculty and graduate student lecture by visiting professor Ann Cvetkovich, University of Texas, on "The Sovereignty of the Senses." This is the opening keynote lecture for the "Doing the Body in the 21st Century" conference and is open to the University of Pittsburgh community.

**Saturday, April 2, 9 a.m.–7 p.m.**

**Undergraduate Conference on Gender and the Body.**

Visit [www.gsws.pitt.edu](http://www.gsws.pitt.edu) for details.

**Saturday, April 2, 5:30–7 p.m.**

**120 David Lawrence Hall Auditorium**

Gender and the Body Undergraduate Conference Keynote Speaker Kate Bornstein, American author, playwright, performance artist, and celebrated transgender trailblazer.

**Saturday, April 2, 5:30–7 p.m.**

**324 Cathedral of Learning**

General lecture by visiting professor Michelle Murphy, University of Toronto, on "Alterlife in the Aftermath." This lecture is part of the "Doing the Body in the 21st Century" conference and is open to the University of Pittsburgh community.

**All events are free and open to the public.  
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