ABOUT THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE STUDY OF SEXUALITY, CULTURE AND SOCIETY (IASSCS)

The International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Culture and Society (IASSCS) was founded in 1997 in Amsterdam, with the commitment to build equity in research capacity worldwide and to develop a broad range of multidisciplinary research activities in the field of sexuality. IASSCS' mission is to strengthen both research and the capacity to conduct research, on socio-cultural dimensions of sexuality, with special attention to promoting research equity in the global south. It is committed to a broad range of research activities, including strengthening communication and promoting collaboration among researchers, policy makers, and activists/advocates. This mission is informed by the principles of social justice and human rights, with a focus on sexual rights and gender equality, as expressed in documents such as the Cairo Programme of Action, CEDAW and the UNGASS Declaration on HIV/AIDS.

IASSCS was formed in July 1997, following the hosting of its first conference in Amsterdam – “Beyond Boundaries: Sexuality across Cultures” – which was jointly hosted by the University of Amsterdam and the University of Chicago. This conference addressed a variety of research topics and issues pertaining to the social and cultural study of sexuality, and brought together scholars from the disciplines of anthropology, history, sociology, health policy and cultural and gender studies. It was noted at that time that no organization existed which provided an international forum for the interdisciplinary, social, and cross-cultural studies of sexuality. The impetus behind the creation of IASSCS was the perceived need to address and rectify the fragmentation of sexuality studies around the globe, to provide a forum for supporting the field of sexuality research and training as a legitimate area of scholarship, and in the process, to promote principles of academic freedom, social justice and human rights, with a focus on sexual rights and gender equality.

Over the past 15 years, IASSCS has hosted ten successful conferences: Amsterdam (1997), Manchester (1999), Melbourne (2001), Johannesburg (2003), San Francisco (2005), Lima (2007), Hanoi (2009), Madrid (2011), Buenos Aires (2013) and Dublin (2015). These conferences have consolidated a solid network of scholars from the disciplines of anthropology, history, sociology, health policy, and the humanities, as well as from cultural and gender studies. Further, the IASSCS network has brought together scholars, researchers, policy makers and activists, with substantial participation from the global south; its last conference in Dublin gathered over 300 participants from 47 countries. These biennial conferences serve as a significant venue in the creation and strengthening of sexuality networks and coalitions across disciplines, professions and regions.

IASSCS supports the development and dissemination of research from the global south through its post-conference trainings, the IASSCS Advanced Sexuality Studies Course program (ASSC), the IASSCS Emerging Scholars Research Fellowship Programme, its funding of special issues of Culture, Health and Sexuality and Sexualidades, and via the scholarship support provided to select conference participants. The IASSCS workshops and trainings on sexuality are increasingly in demand and competitive among junior scholars and activists, with the number of applications increasing each year.

IASSCS is an essential source of expertise on sexuality in advocacy policy debates regarding sexuality. It seeks to identify and support current sexual rights advocacy initiatives and strategies that impact state policies and programs; sustain an on-going dialogue on future action research; support campaigns advocating for
the visibility of sexual minority issues and empowerment; and position itself as a reliable, accurate source of information to those working in academic, government, research and media venues who are involved in policy and advocacy work in sexuality.

IASSCS is committed to academic freedom and to building equity in sexuality research capacity worldwide via a broad range of activities. As an international convener of conferences and research training initiatives, it is dedicated to ensuring and increasing the participation of researchers, scholars, activists and advocates in our mission to:

• Strengthen research and research capacity in socio-cultural dimensions of sexuality globally, with special attention to regions and countries where this capacity is not well-developed;
• Disseminate socio-cultural sexuality research findings via its bi-annual conference and website in order to inform state, regional, and international policies regarding sexuality;
• Provide mentoring and technical assistance to junior scholars in the development of research initiatives and preparation of grant proposals, journal articles, and conference presentations;
• Promote global networking and communication among researchers, policy makers, advocates and activists in the sexuality research field.

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INSTITUTIONAL FAIR

The Institutional Fair is an opportunity for various local and international organizations and institutions to provide informational material and exhibit their publications and projects. We will also have an additional booth for free display of brochures and other materials from any participant and institution.

PARTICIPATING INSTITUTIONS
• Taylor and Francis Journals http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals
• ARROW Asian-Pacific Resource and Research Centre for Women http://arrow.org.my
• United Nations Development Program http://www.asia-pacific.undp.org
• WAS – World Association for Sexual Health http://www.worldsexology.org
• Gender Studies Programme – Chinese University of Hong Kong http://www.gender.cuhk.edu.hk
• Thai Red Cross AIDS Research Center http://en.trcarc.org
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XI International Conference
Breaking Boundaries: Sexuality, Gender, Reproduction, Health and Rights
Bangkok, Thailand, July 12-15, 2017

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INFORMATION FOR DELEGATES

VENUE
The conference takes place on Building 2 and Building 3, College of Public Health Sciences (CPHS), Chulalongkorn University.

ON-SITE REGISTRATION AND CONFERENCE MATERIALS PICKUP
On-site registration begins on Wednesday 12th of July at 10:00 hrs in the Ground Floor, Building #3, College of Public Health Sciences, and will continue throughout the day until Thursday, July 13th at 12:00 hrs. The registration fee includes access to all the academic elements of the conference (plenary sessions and parallel sessions), social events and receptions. Delegates will be provided with badges that should be visibly worn at all times. Regular participants, scholarship recipients and special guests will have access to all conference materials.

MAP
Please see next page.

LANGUAGE
The official language of the conference is English.

WIFI/INTERNET
There is no free wifi access to Internet available on the campus area. The university will provide, for conference delegates only, two computers (one in each building) with access to internet for free.

For delegates willing to have Internet access on their personal devices, there are SIM-cards available at Telephone shops like DTAC, AIS, True (both at the airport and in the university surroundings). The prices may vary, depending on the speed (the average price is 15USD/7 days).

PRESENTERS
All presenters must arrive to their session room 10 minutes before their session begins. Presenters must bring their USB with a back up copy of their presentation. There is no Internet access in the conference rooms. There will be photographs taken during the conference. All conference rooms have air conditioner, sound equipment, lightning equipment, ecran and data projector.

CERTIFICATES
Certificates of presentation and attendance will only be available online. Certificates will be sent via email after July 15th. No printed copies will be available.

MEALS
All coffee breaks, lunches and the Saturday brunch will take place in the first floor of Building #3.
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The whole conference is taking place in the College of Public Health Sciences, in between building #2 and building #3:

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

XI International Conference
“Breaking Boundaries: Sexuality, Gender, Reproduction, Health and Rights”
June, 12 – 15, 2017
Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

DAY 1, Wednesday, 12 July 2017
09:30 – 18:00
Registration – Building #3, Ground Floor

DAY 2, Thursday, 13 July 2017
09:00 – 09:30
Welcome Ceremony – Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)
Corina Straatsma, IASSCS Interim Chair, the Netherlands
Professor Bundhit Eua-Arporn, President, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

09:30 – 11:00
Plenary Session 1: Breaking Boundaries in Thai Context
Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)
Reconstructing Gender and Sexuality: The Case of Thailand and Beyond
Amara Pongsapich, Chulalongkorn University, Former Chair of the National Human Rights Commission of Thailand, Thailand

Trans-led Integrated Hormone and Sexual Health Services in Thailand
Nittaya Phanuphak, Thai Red Cross AIDS Research Centre, Thailand

MODERATOR: Thomas Guadamuz, Mahidol University, IASSCS Member, Thailand

11:00 – 11:30
Coffee Break 1 – First Floor, Building #3

11:30 – 13:30
Parallel Sessions 1

Institutional Human Rights Violations
Code: PS 101
Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)
Session Chair: Joe Rollins, United States of America

Queer Afrikan reading of Parliamentary Debates about Transgender Refugees in South Africa
B Camminga, Institute for Humanities in Africa, South Africa

Bodies without Borders
Joe Rollins, City University of New York, United States of America

Institutions as Bodily Devices of Gender Violence: Feminist Experiences and Reflections
Flor de María Gamboa Solís, Universidad Michoacana de San Nicolás de Hidalgo, Mexico

(I Can’t Get No) Satisfaction: A Case for Sexual Pleasure as a State Obligation
Clara Yee-Ling Fok, Independent consultant, Hong Kong
Queer Reproductive Choices
Code: PS 102
Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)
Session Chair: Ana Cristina Santos

Men Don’t Have It All - Discourses on Surrogacy in Portugal
Ana L. Santos, Centre for Social Studies - University of Coimbra, Portugal

What’s Sexuality Got to Do with It? Queer Motherhood in Times of Compulsory Reproduction
Ana Cristina Santos, Centre for Social Studies - University of Coimbra, Portugal

“I Used to Think That the ‘Pure’ Lesbian Couldn’t Have Children”. Breaking the Boundaries of Heteronormative Reproductive Health in Italy
Beatrice Gusmano, Centre for Social Studies - University of Coimbra, Portugal

Homoparenting and Reproductive Rights in Italy. The Case of Gay Fathers through Surrogacy
Tatiana Motterle, Centro de Estudos Sociais – CES, Portugal

The Desire to Become an LGBT Parent
Claudia Maria Perrone, Universidade Federal de Santa Maria – UFSM, Brazil

Sexual Diversity and Health Care Services
Code: PS 103
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)
Session Chair: Simone Avila, Brazil

“Trans Dialogues”: Guarantee of Access to Trans People in the Public Primary Health Care Network of Porto Alegre - Brazil
Simone Avila, Núcleo de Identidades de Gênero e Subjetividades - Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Brazil

Access and Effect of Social Protection Programs on Workers in the Informal Economy Living with HIV and their Households in Indonesia
Dewi Susilastuti, Center for Population and Policy Studies, Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia

How Can We Enhance Access to Medical Services and Livelihood Protection for TG PLHIV in Nepal?
Yam Bahadur Rana(anik), Blue Diamond Society, Nepal

Faith in Action: Discussion Papers on Faith, Sexual Diversity and Access to Health Services
Dedé Oetomo, GAYA NUSANTARA Foundation, Indonesia

Laying the Foundation: The Blueprint for the Provision of Comprehensive Care for Trans People and Trans Communities in Asia and the Pacific
Joe Wong Nicholas, Asia Pacific Transgender Network, Thailand

Transgender Woman’s Experiences with Healthcare Services in Singapore
Chua June, The T Project, Singapore
Power, Performativity and Preconceptions
Code: PS 104
Room 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)
Session Chair: Caroline Ryan, Ireland

Fracturing the Boundary of the Ideal – Deconstructing the Construction of Feminine Performance through Bodily Autonomy on the Drag and Neo-Burlesque Stage
Lindy-Lee Prince, University of Cape Town, South Africa

‘Western Sexy?’: The West, The Rest and Sexualised Media
Monique Mulholland, Flinders University, Australia

The Necessity to Incorporate Perspectives of Postgenderism in Transgender Rights Movement
Vikram Sundarraman, Nirangal, India

In the Middle, or Relocating the Queer Midwest
Thérèse Migraine-George, University of Cincinnati, United States of America

Binary Boundaries and the Violence of Othering: An Examination of Epistemological Violence within the Feminist Debate on the Realities of Female Performers in the Mainstream Pornography Industry
Caroline Ryan, Dublin City University, Ireland

LGBT Discrimination
Code: PS 105
Room 517 (Floor 5, Building #2)
Session Chair: Aumio Samya, Bangladesh

Experience of Stigma and Discrimination of LGBT Individuals with their Family and in School, Health Facilities and the Workplace in Vietnam
Doan Thanh Tung, Lighthouse, Vietnam

Project Silk Brazil: Reaching Marginalized LGBT Youth in São Paulo, Brazil
Daniel Barros, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil

The Problem of Pride: Resistance Across Borders
Jessica A. Scott, West Virginia Wesleyan College, United States of America

Denial of Rights and Identity: Living Realities of MSM People in Dhaka City
Aumio Samya, University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

On Being a ‘Real Boy’: Primary Schoolboys and the Construction of Heterosexual Masculinity through Homophobia, Gender Discrimination and Sexual Violence on the Playground
Emmanuel S. Mayeza, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa

Transnational Activist-Scholarship: Borders & Horizons for Reproductive & Sexual Justice Work
Code: PS 106
Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)
Session Chair: Christa Craven, United States of America

Theatre as Transnational Labor for Social Change: Teatro Travieso and the Performance of Femicide and Queer Memory
Jimmy A. Noriega, The College of Wooster, United States of America
How Self-Compassion and Sensory Processing Sensitivity Moderate the Effect of Minority Stress on Psychological Well-Being

*Steve G. Cisneros*, University of Illinois at Chicago, United States of America

Academic Borders and Public Horizons: Stories of Grief and Hope from LGBTQ Families Facing Reproductive Loss

*Christa Craven*, The College of Wooster, United States of America

13:30 – 15:00 Lunch 1 – First Floor, Building #3

15:00 – 17:00 Parallel Sessions 2

**Queer Politics**

*Code: PS 201*

*Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)*

*Session Chair: Kumud Rana, United Kingdom*

*Queer Dissidence in Times of Revolution*

*Kumud Rana*, University of Glasgow, United Kingdom

*Queering Dalit*

*Akhil Kang*, Independent Activist, India

*Living in Japan: Voices of Queer Foreigners in Japan*

*Tianqi Zhang*, Graduate School of Integrated Science for Global Society - Kyushu University, Japan

*Behind the Great Wall: Transgender and/or Gender Non-conforming Community Organizing in Mainland China*

*Ausma Bernotaite*, QHumanity CIC, the People's Republic of China

**Sexuality and the Disciplining of the Body**

*Code: PS 202*

*Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)*

*Session Chair: Thomas Guadamuz, Thailand*

*Disciplining Sexuality in the Case of Tuberculosis: Divergent Messages in Bangladesh*

*Mrriottika Barua*, Radboud University Nijmegen, the Netherlands

*Women Buying Sex in Australia: Gendered Expectations and Stigma*

*Hilary J. Caldwell*, University of New South Wales, Australia

*“Kids these Days Pretend to Be Grownups:” Sexual Control and Negotiation among Young Thai Women*

*Kunakorn Kanchawee*, Center for Health Policy Studies - Mahidol University, Thailand

*Chinese Diasporic Women’s Cross-Boundary Gender Role Practices in Taiwan*

*Szu-Nuo Chou*, Institute of Feminist and Gender Studies - University of Ottawa, Canada
International Agreements and Gendering Nations  
Code: PS 203  
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)  
Session Chair: Tesa Casal de Vela, Philippines

Impermeability of Humanitarian and Development Actors to SOGIESC Rights Discourses  
*Emily Dwyer*, Edge Effect, Australia

Breaking Logics of Recognition, Or a Case against the Gender Recognition Act 2004  
*Caterina Nirta*, Roehampton University, United Kingdom

Elite Hostility Comes out of the Closet: Nationalist and Religious Boundaries for SOGIE Rights in Indonesia  
*Douglas E. Sanders*, Mahidol University, Thailand

Towards an Enabling Policy Environment for State Inclusion of LGBT Human Rights in the Philippines  
*Tesa Casal de Vela*, Miriam College, Philippines

Alternative Research Methodologies  
Code: PS 204  
Room: 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)  
Session Chair: Jean-Philippe Imbert, Ireland

Between Spaces and Conversations: Exploring Techniques of Theatre as Research Methodology while Working with Young People around Sexuality  
*Gauri Ipsita*, Nirantar, India

Too Young, Too Old, Too Difficult: The Boundaries of Research on Childhood Sexuality  
*Stefan Lucke*, California Institute of Integral Studies, United States of America

Artivism within Reach: Community-based Participatory Research that Incorporates Artistic Methods  
*Alana Kolundzija*, Global Public Health, United States of America

Being Shafada (One who Likes to Talk about Sex)? At the Intersection of Community Based Research and Theories of Sexuality  
*Adey Mohamed*, University of British Columbia, Canada

The Syrian Cultural Caravan: Sex and Artivism  
*Jean-Philippe Imbert*, Dublin City University, Ireland

Between Rags and Quilts: LGBT Collection and Brazilian LGBT Memory in Confrontation of the HIV/ AIDS Epidemic  
*Remom M. Bortolozzi*, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil

Sex and Sexuality in Social Context  
Code: PS 205  
Room 517 (Floor 5, Building #2)  
Session Chair: Peter R. Fawson

Breaking Boundaries of Respectability: An Exploration of Indian Men’s Sexual and Gendered Practices for better Policies  
*Shannon Philip*, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Enhancing Reproductive Autonomy: Addressing Barriers to Reproductive Choice among Sexually Active University Students  
*Peter R. Fawson*, Appalachian State University, United States of America
Border-crossing as Sexual Subjects: The Interracial Dating Experiences of Young Chinese in New Zealand
Alex Y. Li, The University of Auckland, New Zealand

Experiences of Men Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse with Reference to Masculinity
Alankaar Sharma, Independent Consultant, Australia

17:00 – 17:30  Coffee Break 2 – (Floor 2, Building #2 /// Floor 10, Building #3)
17:30 – 19:30  Parallel sessions 3

Representations on Sexuality in the Media
Code: PS 301
Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)
Session Chair: Mirza Taslima Sultana, Bangladesh

Leisure-Life
Vinicios Kabral Ribeiro, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

“If You Are the One” Syndrome: The Female Discursive Right in a Suspended Period
Shanni Zhao, Harvard University, United States of America

Pacquiao vs LGBT: Discourses Surrounding the “War of Words” on Social Media and Implications to the Filipino LGBT Community
Mira Alexis Ofreneo, Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines

Business of ‘Hope’: An Analysis of the Visual and Textual Representations of IVF in Dhaka
Mirza Taslima Sultana, Jahangirnagar University, Bangladesh

Using Web Series towards Inclusive Family Planning for LGBT Couples in the Philippines
Darren Eleazar Pérez, Webster University, Thailand

Sexual and Reproductive Health Services
Code: PS 302
Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)
Session Chair: Srabasti Majumdar, India

Struggling to Survive: Constraint Getting SRHR Services for Young Gay Boys in Bangladesh
Sharif Hasan, Shahjalal University of Science & Technology, Bangladesh

Contesting Artificial Boundaries Between Sexual and Reproductive Health: The Case of HPV and cervical-cancer in Indonesia
Linda Bennett, University of Melbourne, Australia

Using a Rapid Assessment Apparatus (Rap App) to Examine and Analyse the Range of Technical and Organizational Capacity Boundaries of Community Based Organisations and their Advocacy Movements in Asia and the Pacific
Lenard Ray Rendon, APCOM, Thailand

Reviewing the Sexual & Reproductive Health & Rights Program amongst Adolescent Girls in the Light of Michel Foucault’s Concept of Bio-power and Bio-politics
Srabasti Majumdar, School of Women’s Studies - Jadavpur University, India
Does the Maternal Health Care Services Utilization Represent a Missed Opportunity for Increasing Modern Contraceptive Method Usage? A Multi-Country Study on South-East Asian Countries

S.M. Kamal, Islamic University, Bangladesh

Women’s Rights, Bodily Autonomy and Consent
Code: PS 303
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)
Session Chair: Rachana Patel, India

Negotiating Female Genital cutting in the Diasporic Imagination of ‘Kurdishness’
Ingvild Bergom Lunde, Norwegian Centre for Violence and Traumatic Stress Studies, Norway

Sexual Violence, Academic Performance and Maladjusted Behavior among Selected Female Adolescents in Southern States, Nigeria
Olusegun Grace Funmilayo, University of Ado Ekiti, Nigeria

Girls Want to be Pleased: The Sexual ‘Hustler’ Blurring the Lines of Sexual Coercion and Consent
Catriona Macleod, Rhodes University, South Africa

Effect of Gender Equitable Program to shift Attitude towards Early Marriage and Gender Based Violence among Adolescents: Results from an Impact Evaluation Study in India
Rachana Patel, MAMTA Health Institute for Mother and Child, India

Sexuality, Adolescents and the Law
Madhu Mehra, Partners for Law in Development, India

Sex Workers Narratives
Code: PS 304
Room 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)
Session Chair: Ángela Santur Arreluce, Australia

“Becoming Men, Becoming Money Boy”: A Study of Male Sex Workers in Contemporary China
Chi Hang Yau, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Not Marketable Bodies Anymore? Narratives of Chinese Middle-Aged Sex Workers in Italy
Martina Bristot, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Solidarity between Female and Male Sex Workers: Mobilizing Social Networks for Health, Protection, and Profit in Mombasa, Kenya
Arjee J. Restar, School of Public Health – Brown University, United States of America

Sexual and Reproductive Health Behaviors of Female Sex Workers in Dhaka, Bangladesh
Ratana Somrongthong, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

The Empowerment of Transgender and Cisgender Sex Workers as Political Actors in Lima Centre’s City planning
Ángela Santur Arreluce, University of Queensland, Australia
**Sexuality and Ruralities**  
**Code: PS 305**  
**Room 517 (Floor 5, Building #2)**  
**Session Chair: Sukhbir Singh, India**

*Breaking (Out of) Boundaries and Breaking (Down) Boundaries - A Contemporary Perspective from Rural Indonesia*

**Ed Green**, JMC Academy, Australia

*(Trans)forming Thom Cocktail: Krathom Extract and Male Adolescent Sexuality in Southern Thailand*

**Thomas Guadamuz**, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities – Mahidol University, Thailand

*Bas Aik Wadwi Baji (Only Hundred Rupees Sister): A Thematic and Structural Analysis of Limited Survival Options for Khusra Communities in Pakistan*

**Fahd Zulfiqar**, Pakistan Institute of Development Economics, Pakistan

*Lived In Reality of Transgender People in Rural Zimbabwe*

**Gumisayi Bonzo**, TransSmart Trust, Zimbabwe

*The Kothis (MSMS) in Society: an Anthropological Exploration*

**Sukhbir Singh**, Panjab University Chandigarh, India

**DAY 3, Friday, 14 July, 2017**

9:30 – 11:30  Parallel Sessions 4

**IASSCS Special Session: Research Grants**  
**Code: PS 401**  
**Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)**  
**Session Chair: Jean-Philippe Imbert, Ireland**

*An Ethnographic Study to Explore Decision-Making Processes Regarding Sex (Re)Assignment of Intersex Children in India*

**Arpita Das**, University of Sydney, Australia

*I Don't Like to be Categorized*: Contesting or Embracing the ‘Gay International’ Label/s among Same Sex Loving People in Harare, Zimbabwe

**Nelson Muparamoto**, University of Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe

*Disputes over Abortion during the Argentinian Constitutional Reform (1994). Emerging Juridical Matrix*

**María Eugenia Monte**, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba, Argentina

*Qualitative Research on Gender-equitable Men’s Masculinities in Contemporary Urban China - Based on Life Course Theory*

**Xingcan Pi**, School of Social Development and Public Policy - Beijing Normal University, People’s Republic of China

*Queer Women in Cuba*

**Evie Browne**, University of Sussex, United Kingdom
LGBT Politics
Code: PS 402
Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)
Session Chair: Thi Huyen Linh Nguyen, Australia

Boundaries, Acronyms, and Articulating Nuances: Insights from the South African LGBTI NGO context
Taylor Riley, BIGSAS - University of Bayreuth, Germany

Homoglobalism: Global Gay Governance
Aeyal Gross, Tel Aviv University, United Kingdom

LGBT Rights in Nigeria: The Implications of Terminology
Williams Rashidi, Queer Alliance Nigeria, Nigeria

Sexual Orientation, Political Identification and Collective Action Participation in Hong Kong
Suen Yiu-Tung, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Transgenders in Vietnam: A Painful Pilgrimage Crossing Boundaries
Thi Huyen Linh Nguyen, University of Wollongong, Australia

Subjectivity in Research
Code: PS 403
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)
Session Chair: Chyng Sun, United States of America

Despair and Optimism: My Experience of Researching and Publishing Sexuality in Ethiopia
Getnet T. Tefera, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia

Transcending Boundaries in Sexuality Research: A Brief Note on Researcher's Subjectivity vs. Research on Subjectivities in Bangladesh
Sayed Imtiaz Saikh, Department of Women and Gender Studies – University of Dhaka, Bangladesh

The Challenge of Investigating the Global Impact of Sexually Explicit Materials
Chyng Sun, New York University, United States of America

Australian Young Women's Experience of Pornography in Relationships
Sarah Ashton, Monash University, Australia

Where are People with Disabilities in Global Health Research?
Oliver Mutanga, Institute of Health & Global Health, Norway

LGBT Well-being and Stigma
Code: PS 404
Room 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)
Session Chair: Diana Kwok, Hong Kong

Sexual Prejudice in Social Services - Voices of Chinese Social Workers
Diana Kwok, The Education University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Creation of 'Community Squad' to Address Violence against FSWs
Salima Sultana, Save the Children, Bangladesh

Clinical Depression and Disclosure of Sexual Orientation among Young Men who have Sex with Men in Provincial Thailand
Pimnara Peerawaranun, Center for Health Policy Studies, Thailand
Well-Being Among LGBQ Individuals: The Importance of Outness, Homophobia, and Community Connectedness Within a Predominately Non-White Sample
Ashley Taylor, Iowa State University, United States of America

Internalized Homonegativity among LGBT Youth in Thailand
Manash Shrestha, Center for Health Policy Studies, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities - Mahidol University, Thailand

Migration and Labor
Code: PS 405
Room 517 (Floor 5, Building #2)
Session Chair: Denise L. Spitzer, Canada

Migration from Worker to Victim: Anti-Trafficking Measures, Sex Work and Foreign Hostesses in Palau
Karen McMillan, University of New South Wales, Australia

Whose Bodies? Whose Boundaries? Gendered Performances and Migrant Beer Sellers in Southeast Asia
Denise L. Spitzer, University of Ottawa, Canada

Turning a Trick: The State and the Articulation of Table Dancers as Victims in Mexico City’s Erotic Dance Clubs
Juan J. Rojo, Lafayette College, United States of America

“Am I a Crime to Somebody?” - ‘Gender Refugees’ and the Imagined South Africa
B Camminga, Institute for Humanities in Africa, South Africa

Ruralities and Sexual Diversity
Code: PS 406
Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)
Session Chair: Oludamilola A. Adejumo, Nigeria

Deliberately Creating Boundaries - A Recent Perspective from Rural Australia
Ed Green, JMC Academy, Australia

Formation of Identity and Sexual Orientation of Young Filipino Bisexuals: An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis
Kristian Ed Geonanga, De La Salle University – Dasmariñas, Philippines

Implementation of Women’s Reproductive Rights in Nigeria: Religious, Cultural and other Constraints
Oludamilola A. Adejumo, University of Medical Sciences - Ondo Nigeria, Nigeria

Gender Ascriptions and Budding Maternal Mortality in Nigeria
Adebusuyi Adeniran, Obafemi Awolowo University, Nigeria

The Difficulty of Being LGBT in the Strongly Heteronormative Environment in Indonesia
Sri Purwatiningsih, Center for Population and Policy Studies - Gadjah Mada University, Indonesia

11:30 – 12:00 Coffee break 3 – First Floor, Building #3
12:00 - 13:30  Plenary Session 2: Breaking Boundaries in Research and Scholarship
Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)

Stuck behind the Door: An Experimental Study of Discrimination in Employment and Hiring against Trans People
Cianán B. Russell, Advocacy Officer, Asia Pacific Transgender Network

LGBTI People's Experiences of the Workplace in Asia: Implications for Policy and Practice
Suen Yiu Tung, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Media as a Tool for Change: Enhancing Positive Media Engagement and Advocacy on Issues Relating to Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity/Expression (SOGIE) and Sex Characteristics
Kangwan Fongkaew, Burapha University, Thailand

Multi Country Legal and Policy Review on Legal Gender Recognition in Asia Pacific in the Context of Human Rights
Atty Kristie Jazz Tamayo, Philippines

Reaching out: Preventing and Addressing SOGIE-related School Violence in Viet Nam
Bui Thanh Xuan, Head of Research Division for General Issues of Non-formal Education, Research Centre for Non-form, Vietnam

MODERATOR: Edmund Settle, Regional Policy Advisor on HIV, Human Rights, Law and Sexual Diversity, UNDP, Thailand

13:30 – 15:00  Lunch 2 – First Floor, Building #3

15:00 – 17:00  Parallel Sessions 5

Abortion Politics in the Global South
Code: PS 501
Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)
Session Chair: Susana Rostagnol, Uruguay
Session Special Discussant: Corina Straatsma, the Netherlands

Feminist Disputes over Abortion Regulation in Argentina: The Supreme Court Decision on F., A.L.
Maria Eugenia Monte, Universidad Nacional de Córdoba, Argentina

Economic Impact of Omitting Safe Abortion in Mexico, 2003-2014
Belkis Aracena, Instituto Nacional de Salud Pública, Mexico

Victoria Keller, Federal Health Ministry, Argentina

The IVE (Voluntary Interruption of Pregnancy) Act and its Shortcomings
Susana Rostagnol, Universidad de la República, Uruguay
Teen Pregnancy and Sexual Education
Code: PS 502
Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)
Session Chair: Flor de María Gamboa, Mexico

The Broken Vases
Flor de María Gamboa, Universidad Michoacana de San Nicolás de Hidalgo, Mexico

Gendered Boundaries, Recognition, and Desire: A Pilot Sexuality Intervention with South African High School Learners
Nicola Jearey-Graham, Rhodes University, South Africa

Sexual Diversities of Male Thai Secondary School Students in 2016: Implications for Sexual Health
Nattharat Samoh, Center for Health Policy Studies - Mahidol University, Thailand

Planned, Not Planned or A Little Bit of Both: Teen Pregnancy, Parenting and Prevention
Andrea Rothenberg, Mount Sinai Hospital, United States of America

Impacts of the Transgender Education Curriculum on Undergraduates’ Beliefs in Taiwan
Te-Sheng Chang, National Dong Hwa University, Republic of China (Taiwan)

Islamic Approach in Understanding the Sexual Education in Quetta, Pakistan
Hameed Ul Mehdi, Community Development & Entrepreneurship Foundation, Pakistan

Troubling Compulsory Heterosexuality and Heteronomativity in Education in International Contexts
Code: PS 503
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)
Session Chair: Jukka Lehtonen, Finland

Troubling the Visibility and Invisibility of Gender and Sexuality Diversity in South Africa
Dennis Francis, Stellenbosch University, South Africa

Teaching about Sexuality Diversity and Heteronormativity in Sex Education in Austria
Marion Thuswald, Institute for Education in the Arts - Academy of Fine Arts Vienna, Austria

“To Correct, Punish and Praise”: LRC Leaders’ Experiences and Expressions of Non-Heterosexuality in Namibian Schools
Anthony Brown, University of Johannesburg, Namibia

Rethinking Current Approaches to Challenging Heteronormativity, Heterosexism and Homophobia in South African Schools
Tamara Shefer, University of Western Cape, South Africa

Troubling Normativities? Constructing Sexual and Gender Diversity in the Educational Work of Finnish LGBTI Human Rights Association Seta
Jukka Lehtonen, University of Helsinki, Finland

International Transits and Rumors and their Local Effects: The Sexual Exploitation of Children and Sex Trafficking in Brazil
Code: PS 504
Room 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)
Session Chair: Adriana Piscitelli, Brazil

Child Sex Slaves, Megaevents and the Slut-Shaming of Brazil: An Analysis of the International Treatment of the Sexual Exploitation of Minors during the 2016 Olympic Games
Thaddeus Blanchette, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Migrants, Dams and Whores: The Expansion of Anti-Trafficking Regimes in Brazil
Adriana Piscitelli, Universidade Estatal do Campinas, Brazil

Love, Faith, Sex and Money: Crossing Borders through Fighting Sex Crimes
Ana Paula Luna, PAGU – Universidade Estatal do Campinas, Brazil

Breaking Boundaries in Fan Studies Research (1)
Code: PS 505
Room 517 (Floor 5, Building #2)
Session Chair: Dredge Kang, United States of America

Realizing Boys Love Fantasy: Y Couple Fandom in Thailand
Dredge Kang, California University San Diego, United States of America

Fighting Corruption with Boys Love: The case of “Love is More than a Word” in China
Asako P. Saito, University of Melbourne, Australia

Queerly Gazing and Worlding in the Transcultural Chinese Fandom of Western TV: Transgressing Gender, Sexual, and Geocultural Boundaries in the GE Fandom
Jaime Zhao, University of Warwick, United Kingdom

Discussion of Breaking Boundaries in Fan Studies Research
Peter A. Jackson, Australian National University, Australia

17:00 – 17:30 Coffee Break 4 (Floor 10, Building #3 // Floor 2, Building #2)

17:30 – 19:30 Parallel Session 6

Love and Sex
Code: PS 601
Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)
Session Chair: Montakarn Chuemchit, Thailand

Bodily Autonomy and Urban Women’s (Unwanted) Sexual Experiences in South Africa
Lerato Lebona, University of Witwatersrand, South Africa

Sexual Rights Experiences of Chinese Young Adults Affected by Autistic Spectrum Disorders
Diana Kwok, The Education University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

Sexual Communication and Sexual Violence among Thai Elderly Couples
Montakarn Chuemchit, College of Public Health Sciences - Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

Sexuality Research and Sex Politics in 21st Century of Mainland China: Changes, Trends and Tensions
Yingying Huang, Institute of Sexuality and Gender - Renmin University of China, People’s Republic of China

The Acceptance of Homosexuality Relationship among Rural Residents in Sex Imbalance Society of China
Bo Yang, International Business School - Shaanxi Normal University, People’s Republic of China
Sexuality and Media
Code: PS 602
Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)
Session Chair: Anubha Singh, India

Is Digital Space the Place for Queer Liberation? A Theoretical Investigation
Joshua Armstrong, University of Victoria, Canada

Wish List: Exploring Client Interaction with Male Sex Workers’ Social Media Profiles
Paul A. Ryan, Maynooth University, Ireland

Gay Reproductive Practices: Media and Social Attitudes Formation
Rafael Ventura, Universidad Pompeu Fabra, Colombia

Women’s Participation in Information Society: The New Threat to Brahminical Patriarchy
Anubha Singh, CREA, India

Boundaries of Work and Gender: Transgender Femininity, Affective Labor and Capitalism in Southeast Asia
Code: PS 603
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)
Session Chair: Benjamin Hegarty, United States of America

Under Stage Lights: Glamor, Work and the Camera in 1980s Java
Benjamin Hegarty, Australian National University, Australia

Too Beautiful to be a Real Woman: Spectacular Femininity and the Duty to Transform in Thailand
Dredge Kang, University of California San Diego, United States of America

Waria Genres: Performing Trans in Contemporary Indonesia
Paige Johnson, University of California Berkeley, United States of America

Risk, Innovation, and Thai Gender Reassignment Surgery Cultures
Aren Aizura, University of Minnesota, United States of America

Condoms and Sexual Health
Code: PS 604
Room 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)
Session Chair: Alexis Dewaele, Belgium

Boundaries in Rubber: Condom Use and Control in the Age of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis
Donn J. Colby, Thai Red Cross, United States of America

Dimensions of Sexual Orientation and Health Disparities
Alexis Dewaele, Ghent University, Belgium

Rethinking Public Health Discourses on Sexual and Drug-Related Risks: Results from Toronto’s Party-N-Play Study with MSM
Rusty Souleymanov, University of Toronto, Canada

Safer Sex without a Condom: Expanding Discursive Boundaries in Understanding Youth Sexual Health
Teguh Wijaya Mulya, University of Surabaya, Indonesia
Social Media and Sexuality Research
Code: PS 605
Room 517 Room 517 (Floor 5, Building #2)
Session Chair: Fale A. Lesa, Samoa

Social Media for Sexual Health Promotion in Indigenous Communities
Fale A. Lesa, Samoa Family Health Association, Samoa

German Women’s Consumption of Sexually Explicit Material and Sexual Behaviors
Chyng Sun, New York University, United States of America

Understanding Use of Social Media by LGBT people in Tamil Nadu
Sri Bhavani Kumaran, Swasti Health Resource Centre, India

Can Facebook be a Tool for HIV Prevention among Youngsters in Bangladesh?
Karim Faizul, Save the Children, Bangladesh

DAY 4, Saturday, 15 July 2017

10:00 – 11:30  Plenary session 3: Breaking Boundaries in Activism and Advocacy
Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)

Sexual Rights of Women in the Arab World: Resilience in the Face of Oppression and Violence
Sara Abu Zaki, Marsa Sexual Health Center, Lebanon

Current Status of the Marginalized and Hidden LGBTI Community in the MENA Region
Georges Azzi, Arab Foundation for Freedoms and Equality, Lebanon

MODERATOR: Ryan Thoreson, IASSCS Member, United States of America

11:30 – 12:30  Brunch - First Floor, Building #3

12:30 – 14:30  Parallel Sessions 7

Gender, Sexuality and Arts as a Medium for a Change
Code: PS 701
Room 1010 (Floor 10, Building #3)
Session Chair: Nasrin Khandoker, Ireland

Militarized Masculinities in Sri Lankan Sinhala Cinema
Anushka Kahandagama, Law & Society Trust, Sri Lanka

Drag and Diva Aesthetics: Construction, Consumption, and Reproduction
Vaishno Bharati Radhakrishnan, University of Chicago, United States of America

Love Beyond the Boundaries: Subaltern Subjectivity and Sexuality through Bhawaiya Folk Song of Bengal
Nasrin Khandokher, Maynooth University, Ireland

Unspeakable Acts: Free Gay Speech and the Rise of the Queer Novel
Eir-Anne Edgar, Interlochen Arts Academy, United States of America
Body Conceptualizations and Medicalization
Code: PS 702
Room 1104 (Floor 11, Building #3)
Session Chair: Sara Lugo, Spain

*Industrial Silicone and the Process of Body Adaptation: Results from Muriel Project, São Paulo, Brazil*
Daniel Barros, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil

*Borders and Policewomen’s Bodies*
Sharyn Davies, Auckland University of Technology, New Zealand

*Intersexuality Praise: The “Social Emergency” Concept as a Base of Medical Apologia to Control the Anarchist becoming of Human Body*
Sara Lugo, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain

*Waiting: Imposed Temporalities and Medicalized Embodiment*
Victoria Pitts-Taylor, Wesleyan University, United States of America

Breaking Boundaries in Fan Studies Research (2)
Code: PS 703
Room 220 (Floor 2, Building #2)
Session Chair: Mark McLelland, Australia

*Ratings Systems vs Fan Reception: (Mis)reading Sexuality in Popular Culture*
Mark McLelland, University of Wollongong, Australia

*Slash Renders: Video Game Fan Art beyond Bodily Limits*
Joseph Brennan, University of Sydney, Australia

*Artistic and Legal Boundaries of Boys Love Conventions in Australia, Japan, and the Philippines*
Kristine Santos, University of Wollongong, Australia

*Assessing the Problem of Sexual Desire for Underage Cartoon Characters*
Patrick W. Galbraith, Duke University, United States of America

Reproductive Rights and Practices
Code: PS 704
Room 322 (Floor 3, Building #2)
Session Chair: Manase K. Chiweshe, Zimbabwe

*‘Women’s Rights are not Gay Rights’: Exploring the Boundaries in the Work of Women’s Organization around Sexual Rights in Zimbabwe*
Manase K. Chiweshe, Chinhoyi University of Technology, Zimbabwe

*Partners’ Different Ways of Sharing the Decision for Abortion*
Joke Vandamme, Ghent University, Belgium

*Addressing abortion stigma as it affects young women in Benin, Burkina Faso, India and Pakistan*
Laura Hurley, International Planned Parenthood Federation, United Kingdom

*Abortion Myths and Perceptions: Findings from an Online Survey*
Souvik Pyne, The YP Foundation, India
The Womb as a Biopolitical Space: Disability, Intersexuality, and Assisted Reproductive Technologies

Arpita Das, University of Sydney, Australia

14:30 – 15:30  Closing Ceremony - Plenary Room (Floor 2, Building #3)

Ryan Thoreson, IASSCS Board of Directors, United States of America
Representative of the College of Public Health Sciences, Chulalongkorn University