

VII International Conference Women in the 21st Century

University of Havana, Cuba

May 16th to 20th, 2011



The Chair of Women Studies of the University of Havana, co-sponsored by the Federation of Cuban Women, is happy to announce the VII International Scientific Workshop "Women in the 21st Century" which will take place at the University of Havana from the 16th to the 20th of May 2011.

Its main purpose is to propitiate to update, exchange information and assess the occupation of academic disciplines concerning Gender, Feminism, and Women's Studies.

Objectives:

- To provide a space for scientific and theoretical reflection on gender and the most important issues concerning women and feminist theory.
- To promote an interdisciplinary dialogue and exchange of experiences about these themes among experts of different fields.
- To disseminate research findings and experiential knowledge about these topics, as well as to promote their continuity and exchange.
- To propitiate an exchange of working experiences with women and contemporary feminist and women movements.

Participants:

@ll professionals, experts, and persons interested in these issues.

Program:

The Conference will consist of panels, round table discussions and individual presentations. **Possible topics:**

- Feminist thinking. Theory and Methodology.
- Gender theory
- Gender, Identity and Subjectivity
- Studies of Masculinity
- Gender and History.
- Gender and Socio-Economic Development. (experience with projects on gender equity included)
- Gender and rurality (experience with projects on gender equity included)
- Violence and gender inequality
- Gender and Violence (includes wars and armed conflicts)
- Gender and Environment.
- Gender and Health
- Gender and Sexuality (includes gay and lesbian studies)
- Gender and Education
- Gender and Employment
- Gender and Power
- Gender, Art and Literature and Films
- Gender and Mass Media
- Gender and Human Rights
- Gender, Race, Social Class and Ethnic group

- Gender and Religion
- Gender, Science and Technology
- Gender and Economic Crisis

REGISTRATION

Pre-registration will take place by

- Submitting an abstract of no more than 200 words, that should include: the title, name of the author, and the institution s/he is affiliated with, as well as his/her email. The deadline for PRE-REGISTRATION is March 30th, 2011.
- The complete presentation should be sent as an email attachment or delivered to our office in a disquette before April 30th. It should further contain the following information: Title of presentation, name of author, Institution, email address, kind of presentation in which the person wishes to participate (panels, round table discussions, individual presentations), and whether audiovisual support is needed. The paper should be written in 1.5 spacing, Arial 12 font.

REGISTRATION COST: 100.00 CUC (120 USD)

Payment is in cash, on May 16th in the morning hours directly at the accreditation office of the workshop located in the Faculty of Psychology at the University of Havana. Address: San Rafael esquina a Mazón # 1168, Plaza, La Habana.

Those interested in further information may contact Dra. Norma Vasallo Barrueta President of the Organizing Committee at:

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