

WSSR WORKSHOPS ON SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH

Feminist, Intersectional Policy Analysis

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9:00am – 4:30pm

Workshop Outline

This workshop uses participatory learning methods. Participants will gain a theoretical and practical understanding of feminist intersectional policy analysis learning how feminist intersectional analysis can enhance policy research, analysis and recommendations.

We'll explore the origins of "intersectionality", why it was developed and what it sought to accomplish; review different conceptions of intersectionality, highlighting the importance of structural analysis; explore why feminist intersectionality is important for policy analysis and what it can reveal.

In the afternoon we'll discuss case studies of intersectional analysis: One on resource extraction in northern Canada and the other on precarious employment in public services. We'll wrap up the day with the Top 10 Questions for Feminist Intersectional Policy Analysis and the Top 10 Benefits of Doing Feminist Intersectional Policy Analysis

Required Readings

"Kimberlé Crenshaw - On Intersectionality - Keynote - WOW 2016." *Women Of the World Festival YouTube*. Southbank Centre, March 14 2016, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-DW4HLgYPIA>

CRIAW-ICREF. Changing Public Services. "Women and Public Sector Precarity: Causes, Conditions and Consequences." -"Fact Sheet 2: Intersectional Analysis of Women and Precarity." 2017.

<http://www.criaw-icref.ca/images/userfiles/files/FS%202%20FINAL.pdf>

-"Fact Sheet 5: The Impacts Of Precarity On Workers' Health, Safety, Home, Family & Community." 2017

<http://www.criaw-icref.ca/images/userfiles/files/FS%205%20FINAL.pdf>

-"Fact Sheet 6: The Impacts of Precarity on Public Service Users." 2017

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Hankivsky, Olena and Cormier. 2011. "Intersectionality and Public Policy: Some Lessons from Existing Models" *Political Research Quarterly* 64:1 <http://reserves.concordia.ca/ares/ares.dll/plink?u-http%3A%2F%2F0-search.ebscohost.com.mercury.concordia.ca%2Flogin.aspx%3Fdirect%3Dtrue%26db%3Dpoh%26AN%3D59347311%26site%3Ddehost-live%26scope%3Dsite>

Manning, Susan. 2014. "Feminist Intersectional Policy Analysis: Resource Development and Extraction Framework." CRIAW-ICREF: Feminist Northern Network. 4pp.

<http://fnn.criaw-icref.ca/images/userfiles/files/FIPAFramework.pdf>



Simpson, Joanna. Everyone Belongs – A Toolkit for Applying Intersectionality. CRIAW/ICREF: Ottawa. 2009.
http://www.criaw-icref.ca/sites/criaw/files/Everyone_Belongs_e.pdf

Stienstra, D., Levac, L., Baikie, G., Stinson, J., Clow, B., Manning, S. 2016. “Gendered and Intersectional Implications of Energy and Resource Extraction in Resource-Based Communities in Canada's North. “ CRIAW. 49 pp.
<http://fnn.criaw-icref.ca/images/userfiles/files/SSHRC%20KS%20Report.pdf>

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