

PROGRAMME

Pierre du Bois Annual Conference 2023

Women and Children as Sites of Intervention: Past, Present, Future

18- 19 October 2023

Geneva Graduate Institute, Maison de la paix, chemin Eugène-Rigot 2, 1202 Genève, **Auditorium Part B**



Baby carriages outside a birth control clinic, New York, 1916.

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Day 1: Wednesday, 18 October 2023 | 09:15 – 19:15

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09:15 – 09:30	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTORY REMARKS	13:00 – 14:15	Lunch
09:30 – 11:00	ROUNDTABLE 1 MOTHERHOOD AND MATERNALISM IN THE 20TH CENTURY Chair: DR. NICOLE BOURBONNAIS, Geneva Graduate Institute DR. OGECHUKWU WILLIAMS, Creighton University DR. JADWIGA PIEPER MOONEY, University of Arizona DR. ALEJANDRA RAMM, Universidad de Valparaíso	14:15 – 15:45	PANEL 2 CHILDREN: PROTECTION, WELFARE, DISCIPLINE Chair: DR. DAVIDE RODOGNO, Geneva Graduate Institute DR. KATHARINA STORNIG, Justus Liebig University of Giessen → Children, Childhood and the Transnationalization of Charity in Nineteenth-Century Europe DR. JUANITA DE BARROS, McMaster University → Health, Crime, and Punishment in the Colonial Caribbean DR. EMILY BAUGHAN, University of Sheffield → Where Did All the Nurseries Go? Neonates and Neoliberalism in Modern Britain
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee break	15:45 – 16:15	Coffee Break
11:15 – 13:00	PANEL 1 WOMEN: REPRODUCERS, SAVIORS, NATION-BUILDERS Chair: DR. AIDAN RUSSELL, Geneva Graduate Institute AMINATA BUGANZI KINANA, Geneva Graduate Institute → Grand-mère Kalle and Madame Desbassayns: Matriarchs, Myths, Sorcery and Nation-Building in Reunion Island DR. NORITA MDEGE, Geneva Graduate Institute → Motherhood and Women in Political Leadership in Zimbabwe SHRIYA PATNAIK, Geneva Graduate Institute → The Nationalists Response to the 'Devadasi' Question: Policing Temple-Dancing in Late Colonial and Postcolonial Orissa ALEXA RAE BURK, Geneva Graduate Institute → Mothers and Children as Imagery: An Analysis of the Humanitarian Campaign for the Russian Famine of 1921-23.	18:15 – 19:15	KEYNOTE DR. JADE SASSER, University of California, Riverside → Shifting Population Politics from the Population Bomb to Climate Crisis
		19:30	Dinner at La Terrasse de la paix (by invitation)

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09:30 – 11:15	<p>ROUNDTABLE 2 SEX AND REPRODUCTIVE POLITICS, PAST AND PRESENT Chair: DR. CAROLINE RUSTERHOLZ, Geneva Graduate Institute</p> <p>DR. MAUD BRACKE, University of Glasgow</p> <p>DR. SUSANNE KLAUSEN, Penn State University</p> <p>DR. CHIKAKO TAKESHITA, University of California</p> <p>DR. MYTHELI SREENIVAS, Ohio State University</p>	13:15 – 14:30	Lunch
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee Break	14:30 – 16:00	<p>PANEL 4 THE FAMILY: PLANNING, CONTROL AND POLITICS Chair: DR. ADITYA BHARADWAJ, Geneva Graduate Institute</p> <p>DR. LING MA, State University of New York</p> <p>→ The Vernacular Way: Reproduction and Everyday Politics in Early Twentieth-Century China</p> <p>MARTHA LILIANA ESPINOSA, Duke University</p> <p>→ Preaching Anti-clericalism, Smuggling Contraceptives into Postrevolutionary Mexico (1938-39)</p> <p>DR. NATASHA ERLANK, University of Johannesburg</p> <p>→ Families for the Future/ Modern Families and Family Planning Services in Africa after 1960</p>
11:30 – 13:15	<p>PANEL 3 THE FAMILY: MODERNITY, WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT Chair: DR. MISCHA SUTER, Geneva Graduate Institute</p> <p>DR. CHELSEA SCHIELDS, University of California, Irvine</p> <p>→ Moynihan in Europe: Race, Family, and Welfare after Empire</p> <p>POKUAA ODURO-BONSRAH, Geneva Graduate Institute</p> <p>→ On Psy Scientific Child Observations: Encounters and the (De)Construction of "the African" (1930-1980)</p> <p>DR. APRAJITA SARCAR, University of New South Wales, Sydney</p> <p>→ Children of Scientific Modernity: Growing up in the Developmental Family in Delhi, 1941-2012</p> <p>MARIA CLARA MAGALHAES SILVEIRA Geneva Graduate Institute</p> <p>→ Discussing "A Gente Negra Nacional": Portrait of Afro-Brazilian Families in the Press (1930-1945)</p>	16:00 – 16:15	Coffee Break
		16:15 – 18:00	<p>ROUNDTABLE 3 REPRODUCTION AND THE FAMILY IN 21ST CENTURY POLICY AND ACTIVISM Chair: CLAIRE SOMMERVILLE, Geneva Graduate Institute</p> <p>DR. ZAKIYA LUNA, Washington University in St. Louis</p> <p>PAOLA SALWAN DAHER, Center for Reproductive Rights</p> <p>CARRIE SHELVER Sexual Rights Initiative</p> <p>DR. DESIREE LEWIS, University of the Western Cape</p>