

Public Roundtable

"(Feminist) identity politics today - potentials and dilemmas"

November 9, 2018, 6.15 - 8 pm

UniS (University of Bern, Schanzeneckstrasse 1, 3012 Bern), Room A 022

Decades after the debates on the subject in feminism, identity politics remain a burning and controversial issue in academia and social movements. This roundtable brings together researchers and grassroots activists to discuss the role of (feminist) identity politics today: What are the potentials, dilemmas and tensions of (feminist) identity politics? What perspectives can be identified and how might some prove controversial? How to build coalitions between struggles around gender, race, sexuality and class?

18:15 Welcome

- Katrin Meyer, PD Dr., Board SGGF/SSEG, University of Zurich
- Silvia Schroer, ord. Prof., Vice-Rector University of Bern

18:30 Roundtable

- Sébastien Chauvin, Prof. associé, Centre en études genre, University of Lausanne
- Geneva Moser, M.A., Zentrum Gender Studies, University of Basel
- Tarek Naguib, lic. iur., School of Management and Law, ZHAW Zurich University of Applied Science
- Jovita Pinto dos Santos, M.A., Interdisziplinäres Zentrum für Geschlechterforschung, University of Bern

Chair: Janine Dahinden, Prof. ord., MAPS Maison d'analyse des processus sociaux, University of Neuchâtel

The discussion will be held after the general assembly of the SGGF/SSEG.