Left Feminist Theory and Historiography
Between the Legacy of State-Socialist Emancipation and Today’s Crises

workshop

September 19–20, 2019
Academic Conference Center, Husova 4, Prague


Keynote: Zsófia Lóránd

There will be no registration fee. The workshop site is wheel-chair accessible.

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Thursday September 19, 2019

9:30 – 10:00 coffee

10:00 – 10:30 welcome, introductory remarks

10:30 – 12:30 / chair: Jan Mervart

Jan Matonoha: “Dozens of Plateaux”: a Preliminary “Inter-survey of the Nearest Past”: Periodizing Works of Czech Female Authors Published between 1948–1989 from a Gender Perspective, with Special Regard to 1970s and 1980s Dissent and Exile Literature

Agnieszka Mrozik: Female “Architects” of the Polish People’s Republic: The Case of Zofia Dembińska as a Critical Contribution to Feminist Theory and Biographical Writing in Poland

Blanka Nyklová, Nina Fárová: Gender Seen and Unseen

lunch

13:30 – 14:00 Mikołaj Ratajczak: Presentation of the Journal Praktyka Teoretyczna

14:00 – 16:00 / chair: Zsófia Lóránd

Una Blagojević: Women Intellectuals—Praxis—the Korčula Summer School: 1963–74

Ľubica Kobová: Socialist Feminist Manifestoes and their Subjects

coffee break

16:30 – 18:00 / chair: Joseph Grim Feinberg

Ankica Čakardić: Early Social Reproduction Theory and its Contemporary Strands

Tereza Stejskalová: The Emancipated Household in Czechoslovakia: A Resource to Reinvent Domestic Space

Almira Ousmanova: Feminism, Marxism and Love: Rethinking the Ongoing Debates on Sexual Revolution and Socialism

coffee break

18:30– 20:00 keynote / Zsófia Lóránd: The Feminist Challenge to the Socialist State in Yugoslavia

Friday September 20, 2019

9:30 – 10:00 coffee

10:00 – 12:00 / chair: Lubica Kobová

Katarzyna Stańczak-Wiślicz: “Imagined Genealogy”: Legacies of Socialist-State Emancipation, Dissent Discourses and Polish Feminism after 1989

Kateřina Kolářová: Rehabilitative Postsocialism: Disability, Race, Gender and Sexuality and the Limits of National Belonging

Libora Oates-Indruchová: Post-1989 Czech Historiography of State Socialism: Gendered, but Gender-Blind

lunch

13:00 – 15:00 / chair: Mikołaj Ratajczak

Selin Çağatay: Redefining the Strike, Building (Left-)Feminist Solidarity: Transnational Mobilizations around the International Women’s Strike

Zuzana Maďarová, Veronika Valkovičová: Is Feminism Doomed? Contested and Complex Paths of Feminism in Slovakia

Ewa Majewska: The Impossible Complaint as a Symptom of Contemporary Crisis: Feminism, Critical Theory and Academia Today

15:00 – 15:30 concluding remarks