

2022 WOMEN'S AND GENDER HISTORY  
SYMPOSIUM

# Bodies & Embodiment

**April 9th** \*Times in CDT

**8:45-9:00 AM** Opening Remarks

**9:00-10:15 AM** Black Womanhood

**10:30-11:45 AM** Masculine Gaze,  
Reflected

**12:30-1:45 PM** Women's Spaces and  
Places

**2:00-3:15 PM** Regulating the Sexed  
Body

**3:00-4:45 PM** Reproductive Control

**5:00-6:00 PM** Key Note Address  
Dr. Natalie Lira



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# Women's and Gender History Symposium University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

All times shown are Central Daylight Time (UTC -5).

## The 20<sup>th</sup> WGHS Symposium: April 9, 2022

8:45 AM -9:00 AM

**Dr. Dana Rabin, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign**

*Introduction and Opening Remarks*

## Panel 1: Black Womanhood

9:00 AM – 9:20 AM

**Chelsea Buggs, University of Memphis**

*'Strained to the Breaking Point': I am Me: Black Middle-class Women's Intellectual-Activism, Public Spaces, & Identity Construction & Demonstration in the Jim/Jane Crow Era, 1880- 1930.*

9:20 AM – 9:40 AM

**Emmanuella Amoh, Purdue University**

*The American and un-American: Pauli Murray and Shirley Graham Du Bois in Nkrumah's Ghana, 1961-1966.*

9:40 AM – 10:00 AM

**Cameron Sauers, University of Kentucky**

*Black Women and the Freedmen's Bureau in Reconstruction South Carolina, 1865-1869.*

10:00 AM – 10: 15 AM

**Questions**

10:15 AM – 10:30 AM

**Short Break**

## Panel 2: Masculine Gaze, Reflected

10:30 AM – 10:50 AM

**Sarah Bartlett, Iowa State University**

*Embracing Ambiguity: Examining a New Framework for the study of Ancient Athenian Women on Attic Pottery.*

10:50 AM – 11:10 AM

**Patrick Levine, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign**

*From Wimps & Nerds to Mass Shooters & Incels: Political Bodies and the Rage of Some Marginalized Men*

11:10 AM – 11:30 AM

**William Walker, Iowa State University**

*Honor With Death: Roman Masculinity and Self-Killing.*

11:30 AM – 11:45 AM

**Questions**

11:45 AM – 12:30 PM

**Lunch**

### Panel 3: Women's Spaces and Places

12:30 PM – 12:50 PM	<b>Caroline Greer, George Mason University</b> <i>Sites of Spectacle and Sites of Sacrifice.</i>
12:50 PM – 1:10 PM	<b>Claire Patton, Oklahoma State University</b> <i>Cleanliness in the Dust Bowl: Preservation, Society, and Hope.</i>
1:10 PM – 1:30 PM	<b>Fernando Jauregui, California State University, Los Angeles</b> <i>The Agent of Transformation: Cauim and Tupinamba Women in Sixteenth-Century Brazil.</i>
1:30 PM – 1:45 PM	<b>Questions</b>
1:45 PM – 2:00 PM	<b>Short Break</b>

### Panel 4: Regulating the Sexed Body

2:00 PM – 2:20 PM	<b>Catherine Drzewiecki, San Diego State University</b> <i>Bars, Social Hygiene Clinics, and Mixed-Race Babies: The Flourishing Sex Industry Near US Military Bases in the Philippines.</i>
2:20 PM – 2:40 PM	<b>Ann Vlock, University of Nebraska – Lincoln</b> <i>Once Ruined, Always Ruined: The Late Nineteenth Century Discourse on the Age of Consent.</i>
2:40 PM – 3:00 PM	<b>Emily Windham, San Diego State University</b> <i>African American Women and Progressive Reform: Examining Social Action and Mental Health.</i>
3:00 PM – 3:15 PM	<b>Questions</b>
3:15 PM – 3:30 PM	<b>Short Break</b>

### Panel 5: Reproductive Control

3:30 PM – 3:50 PM	<b>Hailee Josefina Menchaca, San Diego State University</b> <i>Madrigal v. Quilligan: Cultural Identity and Testimony as a Site of Power.</i>
3:50 PM – 4:10 PM	<b>Genesis Agosto, University of Nebraska - Lincoln</b> <i>Involuntary Sterilization of Native American Women.</i>
4:10 PM – 4:30 PM	<b>Emma Wathen, University of Wisconsin – Madison</b> <i>The Girls at Taycheedah: Labor and Political Organization in the Wisconsin Industrial Home for Women.</i>
4:30 PM – 4:45 PM	<b>Questions</b>
4:45 PM – 5:00 PM	<b>Short Break</b>

## Keynote Address

5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

**Dr. Natalie Lira, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign**

*State Care Embodied: Sterilization and Confinement in California  
During the Era of Eugenics*

6:00 PM

**Conference Concludes**

### **Symposium Organizers**

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