



## CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

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# Marginalities: Gendered Intersections

**14-15 March 2024**

**Seminar Venue:  
YWCA, Ashoka Road  
New Delhi 110001**



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## PROGRAMME

**DAY - 1: 14 MARCH 2024**

**10.00 – 10.15 am Registration**

**10:15 - 10:30**

**Prof. N Manimekalai, Director, CWDS**  
*Opening Comments*

**10:30 – 10:50**

**Dr. Seema Kazi, Associate Professor, CWDS**  
*Women's Studies and the Question of  
Intersectionality*

**10:50 – 11:30 - P A N E L - 1**

**On the Margins: Gender, History Literature**

**Shreya Malik, PhD scholar**  
Ambedkar University

*Tales of Lesser Known "Veeranganas": Placing  
the Marginal Peasant Women in the  
Historiography of the Rebellion of 1857*

**Nidhi, PhD scholar**  
IIT Bhilai

*Between Pages and Margins: Gendered  
Marginalisation in Partition Literature*

**11.30 – 11.40 - Discussion**

Discussant: Dr. Seema Kazi

**11:40 – 12:20 – P A N E L - 2**

**Sex workers: Stigmatised Exclusions**

**Shazia Malik, Assistant Professor**  
University of Kashmir

*A Study of Marginality and Prostitution in  
Kashmiri Society*

**Dr. Suchetana Ghosh, Assistant Professor**  
Bankura University

*Can the Women in Prostitution Speak?*

**12.20 pm – 12.30 pm - Discussion**

Discussant: Sudatta Ghosh

**12.30 – 1.10 – P A N E L - 3**

**Gender, Identity, Morality**

**Shiroma Priyadarshini, PhD Scholar**  
Central University of Gujarat

*Living at the Fringes: A Case Study of the  
Hijra Community in Bihar*

**Sudatta Ghosh, PhD Scholar**  
South Asian University, New Delhi

*Dancing Stigma and Resistance: An  
Ethnography of Morality and Stigma of the  
Nachnis of Purulia*

**1.10 – 1.30 - Discussion**

Discussant: Dr. Shazia Malik

**1.30 pm – 2.30 pm – Lunch Break**

**2.30 pm – 3.10 pm – P A N E L - 4**

**Gender, Culture, Marginality**

**Shareena Jasmin**, PhD Scholar

MES Kalladi College, Mannarkkad

Affiliated to the University of Calicut

*Naturalising Normative Femininity: Male Gaze and Female Madness in Malayalam Movies*

**Hakeem P V**, PhD Scholar

Pondicherry University

*Beyond the Discourse of Marginality and Resistance: A Case of a Muslim Woman's Shrine in Kerala*

**3.10 pm - 3.25 pm - Discussion**

Discussant: Nidhi

**3.30 – 3.50 pm - Tea Break**

**3.50 pm – 4.20 pm – P A N E L - 5**

**Systemic Intersections**

**Arathi P M**, Assistant Professor

Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam

*Neoconservatism and Abortion Rights:*

*Intersectional Marginalities in Accessing Safe MTP Services in Kerala*

**Achu John**, Research Scholar

Department of English and Comparative Literature,  
Central University of Kerala, Kasargod

*Incarceration, Intersectionality: Studying the Gendered Deviance*

**4.20 – 4.30 - Discussion**

Discussant: Dr. Priyam Ghosh

**DAY - 2: 15 MARCH 2024**

**10.00 am – 11.00 am – P A N E L - 6**

**Caste and Gender**

**Gowri M**, Researcher

University of Delhi

*"Marginalities: Gendered Intersections" entitled "Caste, Gender and Nation: Recontextualizing Channar Revolt"*

**Sunita Vishwas**, PhD Scholar

TISS, Mumbai

*Teacher's Experiences in Government Schools: A Study Through Dalit Feminist Perspective*

**Shainal Verma**, PhD Scholar

IIT Delhi

*Marginalities: Shaping Dalit Feminist Performance*

**11.00 – 11.15 am - Discussion**

Discussant: Dr. Smita Patil

**11.15 am – 12.15 pm**

**Gendered Marginalities in Social Media**

**Sanjana K. Sitaraman**, PhD Scholar

Jawaharlal Nehru University

*Social Media and Marginality: A Critical Perspective on 'Online' Feminist mobilisation in India through the Case Studies of Nirbhaya and #MeToo India Movements*

**Nalin Nath**, PhD Scholar

IGNOU, New Delhi

*Reading Digital Platform and Marginalization from a Gender Perspective*

**Priyam Ghosh**, Assistant Professor

VSJMC, Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies-Technical Campus, New Delhi

*Tales from a Fractured Community: Intersections of Caste Class and Gender on Queer Dating Apps*

**12.15 – 12.30 - Discussion**

Discussant: Dr. Suchetana Ghosh

**12.30 – 12.50**

**Gender and Disability**

**Unnati Singh**, Researcher

*Intersectional Marginalisation of Women with Psychosocial Disability: Reading Select Memoirs*

**12.50 – 1.00 pm - Discussion**

Discussant: Dr. P.M.Arathi

**1.00 pm – 1.15 pm - Closing Remarks**

**1.15 pm - Lunch**

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