

Feminist Activism in Post-2010 China: Identifying Issues, Sharing Knowledge, and Building Movements

2-3 December 2021

Schedule

Time zone: Stockholm: 12:00noon-3:30PM; Beijing: 7:00-10:30PM; New York: 6:00-9:30AM

Thursday 2 December 2021

12.00-12.20 PM (Stockholm time)	Welcome, information, introductions
12.20-1.40 PM	Session 1: Transnational/local feminisms and methods
	<p><i>Short presentations (ca 5 mins each):</i></p> <p>Sara LIAO (Pennsylvania State University): Fighting afar: Chinese feminists, transnational activism, and digital culture for intersectional politics</p> <p>Dušica Ristivojević (Helsinki University) and Jing XIONG (Hong Kong University): Creating the region: Feminism in China, Hong Kong and Taiwan</p> <p>Francesca Ceccato (Lancaster University): Struggles and opportunities – researching Chinese feminism in 2021</p> <p>Jingxue ZHANG (University of Kentucky): The (im)possibility of transnational coalition in the new era: Chinese feminism practice after Feminist Five</p> <p><i>followed by Discussion</i></p>

1.40-2.00 PM	<i>Break</i>
2.00-3.30 PM	Session 2: Citizenship and Rights
	<p><i>Short presentations (ca 5 mins each):</i></p> <p>Jia TAN (Chinese University of Hong Kong): Dancing with rights: Filmic interventions on rights feminism and <i>lala</i> feminism</p> <p>Tingting WEI (Goldsmiths University of London): Queer activists and state's power: A shifting dynamic in a forum</p> <p>Fabrizio Massini (University of Vienna): Conceptualizing mǎngan: Strategies and challenges to navigate 'sensitive areas' in the Xi Jinping era</p> <p>Ka-ming WU (Chinese University of Hong Kong): The pink flaneur: Feminist activism, urban infrastructure, and gendered citizen practices in China</p> <p><i>followed by Discussion</i></p>

Friday 3 December 2021

12.00-12.20 PM	Welcome back and summarizing yesterday's conversations
12.20-1.40 PM	Session 3: #metoo, harassment, misogyny
	<p><i>Short presentations (ca 5 mins each):</i></p> <p>Zou YUN (Michigan State University): #MeToo movement in China: Problems and reflections</p> <p>Mengmeng LIU (University of Iowa): "Promiscuous, greedy, and flawed": Unpacking rape culture in the Chinese #MeToo movement</p>

	<p>Ling HAN and Yue LIU (Chinese University of Hong Kong): Shifting dynamics of cyber-misogyny and cyber-nationalism: Examining Chinese feminism in the post-pandemic digital arena</p> <p>Jinxian (Lily) WU (Lancaster University): Feminist imagination: ‘Popular feminism’ in the context in contemporary China</p> <p><i>Followed by Discussion</i></p>
1.40-2.00 PM	<i>Break</i>
2.00-3.20 PM	Session 4: Representations
	<p><i>Short presentations (ca 5 mins each):</i></p> <p>Hongwei BAO (University of Nottingham): The future of trans feminism: Trans celebrity, queer activism and feminist politics</p> <p>Jinyan ZENG (Lund University): Surviving from Xinjiang: Ethnicity, Gender, and Ethics in <i>Banu’s Redemption</i></p> <p>Xintong JIA (City University of London): The new female subject in post-2010 dating shows and the resurgence of matchmaking tradition</p> <p>Haiyan HUANG (Ghent University): Popular culture consumption as the limited but liberating space of Chinese queer feminist activism</p> <p><i>followed by Discussion</i></p>
3.20-3.30 PM	<i>Break</i>
3.30-4.30 PM	<p>Closing discussion: Summaries and next steps (publishing)</p> <p>NB: The closing discussion is only open to presenting participants.</p>