

THE INTERNATIONAL WORKING GROUP ON
GENDER, MACROECONOMICS AND INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

**Knowledge Networking Program on
Engendering Macroeconomics and International Economics**

WORKSHOP: JUNE 29–JULY 10, 2009

LOCATION: THE LEVY ECONOMICS INSTITUTE, ANNANDALE-ON-HUDSON, NEW YORK

DAILY SCHEDULE AND WORKSHOP OUTLINE

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2009

Arrivals during the entire day

Please gather at the Hampton Inn hotel lobby at 6:30 pm for group transportation to the reception and inaugural dinner at The Levy Economics Institute

7:00 pm–9:00 pm **Registration, Welcome Reception and Inaugural Dinner**
Welcome & Brief Introductions *Rania Antonopoulos*
Nilüfer Çağatay

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DAILY SCHEDULE

Breakfast 7:00–8:00 am (at the Hampton Inn Hotel)
Depart from the hotel 8:15 am (daily group transportation to the workshop site at the Levy Institute—please meet at the lobby 10 minutes earlier)

Each day will begin at 9:00 am with brief announcements as needed.

Session I.	9:00 am–10:30 am	<i>Coffee break 10:30 am–10:45 am</i>
Session II.	10:45 am–12:15 pm	<i>Lunch break 12:30 pm–1:30 pm</i>
Session III.	1:30 pm–3:00 pm	<i>Break 3:00 pm–3:15 pm</i>
Session IV.	3:15 pm–4:30 pm	<i>Tea break 4:30 pm–4:45 pm</i>
Session V.	4:45 pm–6:00 pm	

After dinner sessions: *twice a week from 7:45–8:45 pm*

Sessions I, II, and III: presentations will be 1 hour, followed by discussion for 30 minutes.
Sessions IV and V: presentations will be 45 minutes, followed by discussion for 30 minutes.

Dinner 6:30–7:30 pm (at Blithewood)
Depart from the Levy 8:30 or 9:00 pm (group transportation to the hotel)

OUTLINE OF WEEK ONE

Day 1: Monday, June 29

- I. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS (*Rania Antonopoulos and Nilüfer Çağatay*)
- II. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS—CONTINUED (*All Workshop Participants*)
- III. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS—CONTINUED (*All Workshop Participants*)
- IV. THE GLOBAL FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC CRISIS (*Jan Kregel*)
- V. REFORMING IFIs AND BEYOND: THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S EXPERT COMMISSION ON REFORM OF THE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SYSTEM (*Jan Kregel*)

Day 2: Tuesday, June 30

- I. INTRODUCTION TO ECONOMICS AND GENDER (*un-*) AWARENESS (*Rania Antonopoulos*)
- II. BASIC THEORETICAL CONCERNS OF HETERODOX AND GENDER-AWARE/FEMINIST ECONOMICS (*Nilüfer Çağatay*)
- III. GENDER, FINANCE AND MONETARY POLICY (*James Heintz*)
- IV. GENDER AND THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC CRISIS: LESSONS FROM EASTERN EUROPE, CENTRAL ASIA, AND THE CAUCASUS (*Ewa Ruminska-Zimny*)
- V. GENDER PATHS OF TRANSMISSION OF THE CURRENT CRISIS (*Rania Antonopoulos and Yassine Fall*)

Day 3: Wednesday, July 1

- I. FEMINIST PERSPECTIVES ON THE MACROECONOMY: ANALYTICAL FRAMEWORKS, DATA, AND MODELING (*Nilüfer Çağatay*)
- II. FEMINIST METHODOLOGIES: GENDER AWARENESS IN DATA COLLECTION, MEASUREMENT, AND VALUATION OF HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTION (*Indira Hirway*)
- III. METHODOLOGICAL ISSUES IN COLLECTION OF TIME USE DATA (*Valeria Esquivel*)
- IV. GENDER AND EMPIRICAL MODELING I: MACROMODELING (*Maureen Were*)
- V. GENDER AND EMPIRICAL MODELING II: SAM AND CGE (*Kijong Kim*)

EVENING SESSION: LAB ON TIME USE (*Valeria Esquivel*)

Day 4: Thursday, July 2

- I. PUBLIC FINANCE AND FISCAL POLICY (*Pinaki Chakraborty*)
- II. FISCAL SPACE: INEQUALITIES IN SOURCES OF REVENUE (*Pinaki Chakraborty*)
- III. GENDER INEQUALITY IN TAXATION: THE CASE OF MEXICO AND ARGENTINA (*Lucia Perez and Corina Rodriguez*)
- IV. ROUNDTABLE: PERSPECTIVES FROM LATIN AMERICA ON GENDER AND CRISIS "THE CASES OF MEXICO AND ARGENTINA" (*Lucia Perez, Alicia Girón, Corina Rodriguez, and Valeria Esquivel*)
- V. GEM THEMATIC AND REGIONAL GROUPS (*Rania Antonopoulos and Nilüfer Çağatay*)

Day 5: Friday, July 3

- I. THE MACROECONOMY: FINANCE, MONETARY POLICY, AND PRODUCTION IN HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE (*Dimitri Papadimitriou*)**
- II. WHAT IS GENDER RESPONSIVE BUDGETING (GRB)? (*Nisreen Alami*)**
- III. COUNTRY EXPERIENCES WITH GRB (*Lucia Perez Fragoso and Nisreen Alami*)**
- IV. SOCIAL CONTENT OF MACROECONOMICS AND MACROECONOMIC POLICIES (*Nilüfer Çağatay*)**
- V. DISCUSSION SESSION ON GENDER RESPONSIVE BUDGETS, SOCIAL CONTENT OF MACROECONOMICS, AND MACROECONOMIC POLICIES (*Fellows and Instructors, moderated by Nilüfer Çağatay*)**
- VI. FELLOWS DISCUSSIONS ON THEMATIC AND REGIONAL GEM GROUPS: FIRST MEETING**

6:30 pm: Piano concerto performance by pianist Wei Zho & dinner at Blithewood

Saturday, July 4

Pick-up at the hotel at 3:30 pm

***Invitation to a picnic at Blithewood, 4:00–7:00 pm
and a Hudson River boat ride, 7:45–10:00 pm***

Sunday, July 5

DAY OFF

On Sunday, July 5 shuttle service will be available twice during the day as follows:

(In the morning)

<u>Departing</u> FROM THE HOTEL TO RHINEBECK:	10:00 am	<i>(Meet at the hotel lobby)</i>
<u>Returning</u> FROM RHINEBECK TO THE HOTEL:	2:30 pm	<i>(Meet at Beekman Arms)</i>

(In the early evening)

<u>Departing</u> FROM THE HOTEL TO RHINEBECK:	6:00 pm	<i>(Meet at the hotel lobby)</i>
<u>Returning</u> FROM RHINEBECK TO THE HOTEL:	9:30 pm	<i>(Meet at Beekman Arms)</i>

OUTLINE OF WEEK TWO

Day 6: Monday, July 6

- I. INTERNATIONAL TRADE: MAINSTREAM AND HETERODOX PERSPECTIVES (*Anwar Shaikh*)
- II. FEMINIST APPROACHES TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE, GENDER INEQUALITIES, AND TRADE PATTERNS (*Nilüfer Çağatay*)
- III. FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT, GENDER, AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS (*Mariama Williams*)

LUNCHEON SPEAKER: CAUSES BEHIND THE CURRENT CRISIS (*Anwar Shaikh*)

- IV. TRADE POLICIES AND INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS: FINANCING FOR TRADE, FINANCING FOR DEVELOPMENT (*Manuel Montes*)
- V. INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS—CONTINUED (*Mariama Williams and Manuel Montes*)

Day 7: Tuesday, July 7

- I. FRAMING THE ISSUES ON LIVELIHOODS, AGRICULTURE, AND FOOD SECURITY FROM A GENDER PERSPECTIVE: GLOBAL, MACRO, AND MICRO LEVELS (*Yassine Fall*)
- II. THE PERENNIAL CRISIS: AGRICULTURE AND FOOD INSECURITY IN INDIA (*Indira Hirway*)
- III. TRADE, FOOD SECURITY, AND GENDER IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA (*Bola Akanji*)
- IV. LAND RIGHTS, LAND TENURE, LAND OWNERSHIP, AND GENDER (*Gül Ünal*)
- V. SECOND MEETING ON GEM THEMATIC AND REGIONAL GROUPS

Day 8: Wednesday, July 8

- I. WORK, LABOR MARKETS, AND GENDER INEQUALITIES: THEORETICAL APPROACHES (*Maria "Sergy" Floro*)
- II. GENDER DIMENSIONS IN THE WORLD OF WORK: CURRENT TRENDS (*Naoko Otobe*)
- III. VULNERABILITY, RISK, AND ASSET INEQUALITIES (*Maria "Sergy" Floro*)
- IV. THE RIGHT TO WORK, EMPLOYMENT GUARANTEE, AND EMPLOYER OF LAST RESORT POLICIES: PRO-POOR GROWTH AND GENDER EQUALITY? THE CASES OF SOUTH AFRICA AND INDIA (*Indira Hirway and Rania Antonopoulos*)
- V. EMPLOYMENT GUARANTEE AND EMPLOYER OF LAST RESORT POLICIES AND GENDER EQUALITY: THE CASE OF ARGENTINA (*Pavlina Tcherneva and Randall Wray*)

EVENING SESSION: UNDERSTANDING MODERN MONEY: HOW A SOVEREIGN CURRENCY WORKS (*Randall Wray*)

Day 9: Thursday, July 9

- I. CONCEPTUAL SHIFTS IN THE ANALYSIS OF POVERTY (*Nilüfer Çağatay and Sanjay Reddy*)
- II. THE PROBLEM OF MEASUREMENT AND INDICATORS (*Sanjay Reddy*)
- III. GENDER INEQUALITIES AND POVERTY (*Nilüfer Çağatay*)
- IV. ACHIEVEMENTS AND CHALLENGES OF POLICY RESPONSES TO POVERTY AND GENDER INEQUALITIES: ODA, HIPC INITIATIVES, PRSPs, MDGs. (*Yassine Fall*)
- V. ECONOMIC WELL-BEING (AND LACK THEREOF): A GENDER-AWARE APPROACH (*Ajit Zacharias*)

EVENING SESSION: A ROUNDTABLE ON GENDER DATA AND EMPOWERMENT INDICATORS (*Nilüfer Çağatay, Yassine Fall, and Naoko Otobe*)

Day 10: Friday, July 10

- I. ADJUSTMENTS OF THE ECONOMY DURING CRISIS: FELLOWS' PRESENTATIONS
- II. THE CURRENT FINANCIAL CRISIS: A BLESSING IN DISGUISE FOR DEVELOPING COUNTRIES? (*Jayati Ghosh*)
- III. "MOBILIZING" RESOURCES, INTEGRATING RESPONSES IN NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLANS: THE ROLE OF THE IFI'S (*Manuel Montes and Jayati Ghosh*)
- IV. THIRD GEM THEMATIC AND REGIONAL GROUP MEETING

Early return transportation back to hotel at 4:00 pm

Pick-up from the hotel at 6 pm for Dinner at Spiegeltent then all are invited to a modern dance performance by the Lucinda Childs Dance Foundation, to be followed by dance and drinks back at the Spiegeltent.

Day 11: Saturday, July 11

<i>12:00 noon</i>	<i>Pick-up from the hotel</i>
<i>12:30 pm–1:30 pm</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
<i>1:30 pm–2:30 pm</i>	SUMMING UP THE WORKSHOP (Nilüfer Çağatay and Rania Antonopoulos)
<i>2: 30 – 3:30</i>	FELLOWS' PRESENTATIONS OF THEIR FUTURE PLANS TO INCORPORATE WORKSHOP THEMES INTO THEIR WORK
<i>3:30 pm–4:00 pm</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>
<i>4:00 pm–5:00 pm</i>	FELLOWS' PRESENTATIONS OF THEIR FUTURE PLANS TO INCORPORATE WORKSHOP THEMES INTO THEIR WORK—CONTINUED
<i>5:00 pm – 6:00 pm</i>	WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE? REGIONAL AND THEMATIC GROUP REPORTS AND CLOSING REMARKS BY ALL
<i>6:30 pm</i>	<i>Dinner at Blithewood</i>

Sunday, July 12

DEPARTING FOR NEW YORK CITY
CHECKOUT TIME IS AT 11:00 AM
PICK-UP FROM HOTEL WILL BEGIN AT 11:30 AM

MONDAY, JULY 13 & TUESDAY, JULY 14

THE 9TH ANNUAL Gem CONFERENCE ON GENDER AND GLOBAL ECONOMIC CRISIS WILL TAKE PLACE
AT THE ECOSOC CHAMBER, UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK CITY

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