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**Women's Studies Center
Annual Report
2002-2003**



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Director



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Front cover: Members of the newly founded Women's Studies Student Association (WSSA) recruit new members. Shown l-r: Allison Adonizio, Tamara Persad-Marahaj, Cristina Pelleya, and Susan Freeman (Faculty Advisor).

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

WOMEN'S STUDIES CENTER

DIRECTOR'S SUMMARY OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Year 2002-2003

The major goals of the Women's Studies Center for 2002-2003 included: (a) enhancing the excellence of the undergraduate program and expanding graduate course offerings, (b) providing leadership on women's issues in the region through education and social and cultural programs, and (c) generating and promoting scholarship and creative work in Women's Studies. The goals and highlights of the accomplishments in each area are presented below.

A complete report of the activities of the Women's Studies Center for the period June 2002 to May 2003 is contained in the following pages, including: (1) a summary of the undergraduate programs, including enrollments for the undergraduate B.A. and Certificate programs and other undergraduate student activities and accomplishments, (2) advancement activities of the WSC, and (3) the achievements of the Women's Studies faculty.

GOAL 1: To enhance the excellence of the undergraduate program and to expand graduate course offerings.

Accomplishments:

- Course offerings included 74 undergraduate and 15 graduate courses
- Student enrollment increased from 2,495 (2001-02) to 2,578 (2002-2003)
- Students majoring in Women's Studies increased from 58 to 68
- Students earning a Certificate increased from 62 to 82
- Graduated 18 students with a B.A. in Women's Studies (up from 9 in 2001-2002)
- Graduated 17 students with a Women's Studies Certificate (up from 14 in 2001-2002)
- Awarded the Gordon Scholarship, four Achievement Awards, and two Outstanding Alumna awards
- Sponsored two study abroad programs in Women's Studies (Spain and Eastern Europe)
- Developed a teaching laboratory and film library for student use
- Began offering an internship experience to undergraduates; four students participated
- Sponsored the newly founded Women's Studies Student Association (40 members)
- Sponsored the second Women's Studies Student Conference (80 attended)
- Published Making Waves, Vol. 1, based on contributions to the first WS Student Conference (80 pages)
- Sponsored travel to professional conferences for six students with donations from the Friends of Women's Studies
- Tracked the accomplishments of more than 30 alumni

GOAL 2: To provide leadership on women's issues in the region through education and social and cultural programs.

Accomplishments:

- Continued the Women of Distinction Series for the second year. Renowned scholars were featured at three events held at Books and Books, The Wolfsonian-FIU, and the Kovens Conference Center; over 300 people attended
- Received \$3,500 in donations from Year 2 of the Friends of Women's Studies fundraising campaign
- Solicited donors for the Elaine Gordon Scholarship Endowment in Women's Studies (Total to date = \$37,000)
- Published a FIU Women Faculty Book Club bookmark listing 100 Excellent Books by Women that was distributed to local book stores; set up a corresponding website with monthly book recommendations at www.books.fiu.edu
- Participated in activities of the Miami-Dade Women's Chamber of Commerce, the City of Miami Commission on the Status of Women, and the Women's Fund

GOAL 3: To generate and promote scholarship and creative work in Women's Studies.

Accomplishments:

- Hired a Postdoctoral Fellow of Women's Studies and History (Freeman) for 2002-03
- Hosted or cosponsored 39 events for the Women's Studies Speakers' Series
- Developed ties with Women's Studies programs in Colombia, Japan, Lithuania, Spain, and South Africa
- Faculty accomplishments of 26 faculty who reported publications, performances, and grants related to women's and gender issues included the following: 2 edited books; 8 book chapters published or in press; 13 journal articles published or in press; 5 published stories; 2 performances; 15 published book reviews; 8 grants; 26 conference presentations; and representation on 7 editorial boards and 2 grant review panels.
- The WSC nominated to faculty members for awards (FIU Research and Service)
- Eight faculty were invited speakers at 38 events on topics concerning women and gender
- Eight faculty were recognized by local or national groups for their contribution to women's issues
- The WSC Director (Rose) was interviewed by and quoted in the *New York Times*, the *Miami Herald*, and some local and national radio and television stations

The Women's Studies Center made significant gains during 2002-2003 in terms of enriching the undergraduate program, building the number of graduate courses available, promoting Women's Studies' reputation in the region, and facilitating academic research on women that is nationally and internationally recognized. Our success reflects the sustained commitment of the faculty, students, staff, and friends of Women's Studies.

Respectfully submitted,



Suzanna Rose, Ph.D., Director

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

WOMEN'S STUDIES CENTER

ANNUAL REPORT 2002-2003

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM: B.A. DEGREE & CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Enrollment Summary (Summer 2002 – Spring 2003)

A total of 2,578 students were enrolled in the 74 undergraduate and 15 graduate courses offered in Women's Studies for the Academic Year Summer 2002 – Spring 2003. There were 60 students majoring in Women's Studies and 74 students pursuing a Certificate. By May 2003, 18 students earned a B.A. and 17 students earned a Women's Studies Certificate.

Term/Course		Faculty	Enrollment
Summer A, B, & C 2002 <i>University Park</i>			
<i>Summer A 02</i>			
WST 4996/FIL 4997	Hispanic Women & Film	Roca	3/25
AML 4024	Women Writers in Paris: 1920 to present	Ba-Curry	31
SOP 3742	Psychology of Women	Rodriguez	77
SYG 4060	Sociology of Sexuality	West	62
<i>Summer B 02</i>			
WST 3015	Introduction to Women's Studies	Crawley	19
ECS 3021	Women, Culture, & Economic Dev't	Alonso	22
HIS 4930	Independent Study: Women in Spain (Granada, Spain)	Morcillo	3
MAN 4102	Managing Diversity	Pernsteiner	50
MUH 4073/5075	Women in Music	Burns	9/2
PHM 4123	Philosophy and Feminism	Beer	11
REL 3145	Women and Religion	Gudorf	42
SYG 4060	Sociology of Sexuality	Kurtz	47
<i>Summer C 02</i>			
LIT 4382	Women in Eastern Europe	Weitz	12
PSY 4930	Research Plans & Career: Preparing Undergraduates for Graduate School	Montgomery	14
SOW 5109	Crises in the Lives of Women	Smith	40
Summer A, & B 2002 <i>Biscayne Bay</i>			
<i>Summer A 02</i>			
AML 4503	Literature of the Harlem Renaissance	Weir-Soley	27
SYG 4060	Sociology of Sexuality	Kurtz	26
<i>Summer B 02</i>			
AML 4624	African-American Women Writers	Weir-Soley	17
AML 4930/5505	War & the 19 th Century American Heroine	Harrison	11/13
SOP 3742	Psychology of Women	Grossman	55
Summer A, B, & C Total			618

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Term/Course		Faculty	Enrollment
Fall 2002			
University Park			
WST 3015	Introduction to Women's Studies	Morcillo	15
WST 3641/IDS 4920	Gay & Lesbian in America	Belote	34/5
WST 4504 / 5990	Feminist Theory	SFreeman	10
ANT 3302	Anthropology of Sex & Gender	Barnett	49
ANT 4334	Contemporary Latin American Women	Martin	26
ASH 4990	History of Women in Asia	Garner	12
ECS 3021	Women, Culture, & Economic Devt	Alonso	19
EUH 4286/5935	The Spanish Civil War: Gender Perspectives	Morcillo	28/4
HIS 4930/5930	Women and Gender in Pre-Modern World	Lifshitz	6/4
INR 4085	Women/Men in International Relations	Prugl	34
LBS 4210	Women and Work: U.S.	Wilson	11
LIN 4651	Gender and Language	Weitz	49
LIT 3930	Women Writers of the Black Diaspora: U.S., Caribbean Islands & Africa	Ba-Curry	24
LIT 4931	Women & Literature: Women's Narratives of War	Hoder-Salmon	27
MAN 4102	Managing Diversity	Osborne	54
PHM 4123/PHI 5934	Philosophy & Feminism	Beer	19/3
POS 4605	Gender and the Court	Salokar	28
REL 3171	Sex and Religion	Gudorf	83
REL 5184	Sexual Ethics	Gudorf	2
SOP 3742	Psychology of Women	Glick	84
SYD 3810/6325	Sociology of Gender	West	27/7
SYG 4060	Sociology of Sexuality	Lavender	74
SYO 3120.01	Marriage and Family	Girard	47
SYO 3120.02	Marriage and Family	Hearn	38
Biscayne Bay			
AML 4503	Periods in American Literature: Harlem Renaissance	Weir-Soley	19
AML 4624	African-American Women Writers	Weir-Soley	13
ANT 3302	Anthropology of Sex & Gender	Chernela	35
CCJ 4663	Women, Crime, and Criminal Justice System	Shearn	39
ENG 4132	Women and Film of the African Diaspora	MFreeman	39
LIT 3170	Jewish Literature: Fiction of the Jewish Immigrant Experience	Rochelson	20
LIT 3383	Women in the 19 th Century Novel	Sprechman	31
SOP 3742	Psychology of Women	Grossman	24
SYG 4060	Sociology of Sexuality	Lavender	58
Fall 2002 Total			1,101

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Term/Course		Faculty	Enrollment
Spring 2003			
<i>University Park</i>			
WST 3015	Introduction to Women's Studies	Morcillo	20
AMH 3560	History of Women in U.S.	Freeman	34
ANT 3302	Anthropology of Sex and Gender	Barnett	55
ANT 3302	Anthropology of Sex and Gender	Martin	45
CCJ 4663	Women, Crime, & Criminal Justice	Odio	67
EUH 4025	Saints, Relics/Miracles	Lifshitz	25
EUH 5905	Saints in Europe & the Americas	Lifshitz	6
HIS 4930/5930	Totalitarian Regimes & Gender	Morcillo	20/1
LBS 4154/5155	Workers/Workplace Diversity	Addy	6/9
LIN 4651	Gender and Language	Weitz	44
PSY 4822	Female Sexuality	Rose	74
PSY 4916	Independent Study: WS Internship	Rose	5
REL 3145	Women and Religion	Atchison-Nevel	54
REL 3520	Saints, Witches	Gudorf	49
SOP 3742	Psychology of Women	Glick	71
SPW 4390/5781	The Representation of Women in Spanish	Gomez	23/16
SPW 5556	Spanish Realism & Naturalism	Torres-Pou	12
SYO 3120	Marriage & Family	Pedraza-Moreno	55
<i>Biscayne Bay</i>			
ENL 4251	Victorian Literature	Rochelson	16
EUH 3576/HUM 4491	Gender, Politics and Society	Friedman	16/2
LIT 3383	Women in Lit.: 19C Women Writers	McCormack	20
LIT 4931.51	Multicultural Working Class Women	Weir	18
LIT 4931.52	Multicultural Working Class Women	Weir	19
LIT 5934	Black Women Writers of Africa & African Diaspora	Weir	5
SOP 3742	Psychology of Women	Grossman	72
Spring 2003 Total			859
YEAR 2002-2003 TOTAL			2,578

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

New Courses in Women's Studies

- Alonso, I.** ECS 3021: Women, Culture, and Economic Development. In development as an online course for Spring 04.
- Friedman, R.** EUH 3576/HUM 4491: Russian Revolution / Gender, Politics, Society, Spring 03.
- Garner, K.** ASH 4990 History of Women in Asia, Fall 02.
- Lifshitz, F.** HIS 4930/5930: Women and Gender in Pre-Modern World, Fall 02.
- Morcillo, A.** HIS 4930/5930: Nationalism and Gender under Totalitarian Regimes, Spring 03.
EUH 4286/5935: History of the Spanish Civil War: Gender Perspectives, Fall 2002. Taught in conjunction with The Wolfsonian-FIU exhibit, "The Visual Front," Sept. 2002 – Feb. 03.
- Roca, A.** FIL 4997/ WST 4996 Hispanic Culture: Images of Women in Film, Summer A 02.
- Rochelson, M.** LIT 3170: Fiction of the Jewish Immigrant Experience, Fall 02.

Women's Studies Graduates: Bachelor's Degree and Certificate Earners

Summer 02-Spring 03

B. A. Degree Earners = 18

2002 Summer

Majors, Laretta
Muñoz, Bettina

2002 Fall

Black, Tiffany
Blackburn, Alexis
Chang, Vanessa
Eguren, Isabel
Fraga, Schevon
Martin, Ann-Marie
McGuigan, Erin
Palacios, Carolina
Piñeros, Marcela
Sklavounos, Rebeca
Sowers, Milagros

2003 Spring

Garay, Yitza
Gilkes, Karen
Irurzun, Michelle
Llaguno-Feria, Evita
Muhlana, Maureen

Certificate in Women's Studies = 17

2002 Summer

Castellanos, Raydisbel
Villamil, Aida

2002 Fall

Bacan, Jessy
Cabanilla, Donna
Damera, Patricia
Ekwere, Eka
Lindsay, Jordany
Seoane, Natahly
Stone, Alyssa

2003 Spring

Aguila, Maipu
Barnes, Danielle
Benard, Hilda Rose
Colombino, Julie
Magee, Kimberly
Masip, Claudia
Pollard, Amy
Ruscher, Mandi

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Elaine Gordon Scholarship in Women's Studies

This is the third award made from the Elaine Gordon Endowment. The Elaine Gordon Scholarship program was established in 2000 to honor the life and work of Elaine Gordon, a former state legislator who for 22 years championed equal rights for women and who also served as assistant vice president for University Relations at FIU. The scholarship is open to Women's Studies majors or certificate earners. The amount of the scholarship award was \$1,500.

Award Recipient for 2003-2004

Tamara Persad-Maharaj



Tamara Persad-Maharaj, (holding the plaque), with Pam Gadinsky, and Naomi, Liebe, Natasha, and Seth Gadinsky (presenting the award).

Previous Elaine Gordon Award Recipients

2002-2003



Cristina Pelleyá



Marcela Piñeros

2001-2002



Maria Ortiz
(with parents)

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Women's Studies Awards

Academic Excellence for Seniors

Evita Llaguno
Claudia Masip
Maureen Muhlena
Ian Morris
Tamara Persad-Maharaj



*(l-r): Maureen Muhlena, Claudia Masip,
Evita Llaguno, Adriana de Welde*

Outstanding Service for Seniors

Adriana de Welde
Maureen Muhlena

Undergraduate Achievement Awards



*(l-r): Claudia Livini, Vanessa Lopez,
Ida Moghimi-Kian, Jefferson Uzcategui*

Claudia Livini
Vanessa Lopez
Ida Moghimi-Kian
Marie Nugent-Smith
Jefferson Uzcategui

Outstanding Alumna Awards

Christina Lalama
Rachael Middleton



*(l-r): Rachael Middleton, Suzanna Rose, WS Director,
Christina Lalama*

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED
FIU Women's Studies Student Conference 2003

Undergraduate and graduate students doing their own research on women and gender submitted and presented their papers, posters, and artwork during the second FIU Women's Studies Student Conference on April 2, 2003.



Carmen Cusack, Ian Morris, Gema Junco, and Claudia Livini participated in the first symposium.



More than 80 participants attended the conference.

Conference Coordinators: Rachael Middleton & Cristina Pelleyá

Symposium Chairs: Maria Claudia Livini & Maureen Muhlena

Symposium Discussants: Joelle Ceremy & Mandi Ruscher

Poetry Reading Sponsors: Denise Duhamel & Lynne Barrett

Presenters:

Baker, Mary Ann, Poetry Reading. Sponsored by Denise Duhamel and Lynne Barrett.

Brin, Giovanna, "Four Seasons" (Art Exhibit)

Burger, Jolene, "Four Seasons" (Art Exhibit)

Carrion, Teresa, Poetry Reading. Sponsored by Denise Duhamel and Lynne Barrett.

Cusack, Carmen, "Margaret Sanger on RU 486 at Universities."

Dalrymple, Beverly (with Tamara Persad), Workshop: "Women In Leadership."

de Garcia, Eliana Perez, "Four Seasons" (Art Exhibit)

Gonzalez, Jenny, "Four Seasons" (Art Exhibit)

Hebert, Karen R, "When Women Love Men: Picking Up the Pieces of the Female Psyche."

Ibasan, Louelyn, "Four Seasons" (Art Exhibit)

Junco, Gema, "Women Under Franco. The Reinstatement of the 1889 Civil Code and Its Implications."

Lalama, Christina, "Are Women More Emotional than Men?"

Martin, Abigail, Poetry Reading.

Martinez, Rita, Poetry Reading.

Mazor, Estee, Poetry Reading.

Middleton, Rachael, "BIG BIG Feminist Coloring and Activity Book."

Moghimi-Kian, Ida A. (with Moghimi-Kian, Sasha R.), "Gender Roles in *Harry Potter*."

Moghimi-Kian, Sasha R. (with Moghimi-Kian, Ida A.), "Gender Roles in *Harry Potter*."

Morris, Ian, "Hey, Can Any of You Girls Type?"

Muhlena, Maureen, "Four Seasons" (Art Exhibit)

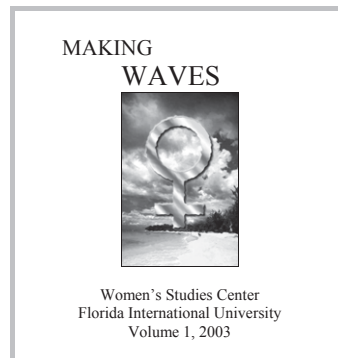
Persad, Tamara (with Dr. Beverly Dalrymple), Workshop: Women In Leadership

Saunders, Julie, "The Role of Gender Role Orientation and Interpersonal Dependency on Internalizing Symptoms."

Smith, Marie, "Reflections." (Art Exhibit).

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Making Waves: Journal Publication



Editors

Shira Fisher
Rachael Middleton
Aurora Morcillo, Ph.D.

Editorial Staff

Marcela Piñeros
Christina Lalama

Advisory Board

Suzanna Rose, Ph.D.
Susan Freeman, Ph.D.
Maria Asunción Gomez, Ph.D.

Co-Sponsors

Women's Center
Student Government Association

Making Waves Vol. 1, 2003 was produced and published by Women's Studies students and staff based on papers from the 2002 Women's Studies Student Conference. The issue contained 14 articles in its 81 pages. The issue was distributed to 200 students and faculty.

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Preface

Breaking Waves

1. Coloring Outside the Lines: The Art of Being Third Wave, Marcela Piñeros
2. Imagining the Body Differently, Rachael Middleton
3. The Threat of Rape or the Rapist, Alfredo Perez
4. Another Columbus Makes Another "Discovery," Ian Erick Morris
5. Female Contradictions, Barbara Rivera

Novel Waves

6. How is Life Created?, Caterina Andriani
7. Erotica in Three Novels by Cuban Exiles in Spain, Kefryn Thomas Block
8. The Meaning of a Name: Mercé Rodoreda's Natalia in The Time of the Doves, Elizabeth K. Goldberg
9. Mercé Rodoreda and Her Discourse, Adelia E. Ruiz

Growing Waves

10. Cartoons: Gender Socialization, Shira Fisher
11. A Beautiful Mind: How Method of Instruction Affects Women's Achievement in Mathematics, Joy Beverly
12. Gender Differences in the Aggressive Behaviors of Children, Christina Lalama

Creative Waves

13. Samurai, Carmen Mercedes Cusack
14. Radical Cheerleaders: Breaking through the B.S., Shira Fisher



One of the projects.

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Student Associations

Women's Studies Student Association (WSSA)

The Women's Studies Student Association was founded in 2002-2003 with a Founding Steering Committee of seven students including: Joelle Ceremy, Rachael Middleton, Maureen Muhlena, Cristina Pelleya, Tamara Persad, Mandi Ruscher, and Stephanie Shearer. WSSA had about 40 members during its first year.

WSSA Officers

Cristina Pelleya, President
Tamara Persad, Vice President
Stephanie Shearer, Secretary
Joelle Ceremy, Treasurer



l-r: Susan Freeman, Rachael Middleton, and Tamara Persad during WSSA event.

WSSA Activities for Fall 2002:

- Received funds of \$250.
- Women of Distinction Series, Gender Ideology in Spain after 1939, Morcillo. WSSA attended as a group.
- Women in the Post-Soviet Era, Marcinkeviciene. Co-sponsored with Women's Center.
- Poverty Awareness Week/Cheerleading. Co-sponsored with CLDCR.
- Komen Race for the Cure-Breast Cancer. WSSA went as a team.
- FASA Oxygen Event to raise money/awareness for the poor in Miami. Co-sponsored with Fine Arts Student Association.
- Diversity within Islam Forum-WSSA co-sponsored with Women's Center.

WSSA Activities Spring 2003:

- WSSA allotted \$903.86 by the SOC.
- Participated in the Spring SOC Club Fair 70s theme. Won an award. (Participants dressed up as feminists from the 70s and had posters, a trash can with bras/heels, early feminist books, etc.)
- Roe v. Wade Anniversary Event. Volunteered, co-sponsored the event with Women's Center and NOW.
- The Politics of Hope and Anxiety, Zalewski. Co-sponsored with INR/WS.
- Muslim Women's Forum. Co-sponsored with Women's Center.
- Women's Studies Student Conference. Helped coordinate and participated in the event.
- USA Patriot Act Town Hall Meeting. Co-sponsored with Women's Center for BBC.

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

FIU - National Organization for Women (FIU – NOW) Student Officers

Michelle Fotovat, President
Melissa Greco, Vice President
Reve Crayton, Treasurer
Gretchen Guterrez, Secretary



FIU's poverty fighters (l-r): Ginelle Nelson, Alicia Pichirilo, Marika Krausova, Maureen Muhlena, Bianca Escorcia. Photo taken from Poverty Awareness Week, Miami New Times, Dec. 12-18, 2002.

Accomplishments of Women's Studies Students, 2002-2003

Barnes, Danielle, (WS Certificate, 2003). Working as Language Arts Teacher at Miami Central Senior High School.

Colombino, Julie, (WS/Dance Major, 2003). Organized and produced a benefit dance performance, "Project Refuel: Dance for Food," in April. Proceeds went to end hunger in Miami-Dade county and Malawi, Africa.

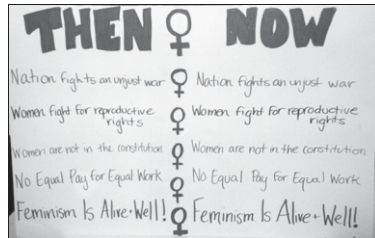
Delgado, Ivania, (WS Certificate, Junior). Selected to intern with the Service Employees International Union, AFL-CIO, CLC, Summer 2003.

Irurzun, Michelle, (WS Major, 2003). Enrolled in M.A. program in Psychology, FIU. Plans to pursue a Ph.D. in Psychology.

Lindsay, Jordany, (WS Certificate, 2002). Currently working in Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement and working towards getting an Officer position (though majority are male officers). Will attend on July 7-11 the Federally Employed Women's Conference (FEW) in Chicago, IL, to network with other women and seek ways to have a successful government career.

Masip, Claudia, (WS Certificate, 2003). Received award and Transfer Scholarship (transferred to FIU from Miami-Dade Community College) from the Honors College at FIU. Also received awards for Academic Excellence in Humanities, English, and Women's Studies. Member of Phi Kappa Phi, Golden Key, and Mortar Board. Plans to attend Graduate School.

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED



Women's Studies Student Association Poster



Anita Sachariah (WS alumna) and Cosette Paneque (WS major) with Betty Friedan at a NOW conference.

Morris, Ian Erik, (WS Major/History, Senior).

Academic Excellence Awards from Women's Studies and History.

Commendation from the Commander of the Communications Bureau for emergency 911 response and police dispatch for diligence, quick response, professionalism, and teamwork; for reaction to the tornados that hit Miami-Dade County on March 27, 2003.

Performed as Nicholas Copernicus at the Miami Museum of Science on May 3, 2003.

Lectured on Hypatia of Alexandria at FIU for a general audience in November 2002.

Guest lecturer on Images of Women for Psychology of Women & African American Women in 20th Century literature classes.

Muhlena, Maureen, (WS/Liberal Studies Major, 2003). Graduated Magna Cum Laude.

Received awards for Outstanding Service in Women's Studies, and Academic Excellence from Women's Studies and from the Liberal Studies Department.

Received a Women's Studies travel grant to attend the 2003 National Women's Studies Conference in New Orleans.

Participated in the Jack G. Gordon Honor's Mentor program for two consecutive semesters.

The first project led by Dr. Brian Peterson, was acknowledged by the Miami-Dade Board of Education and the second led by Dr. Beverly Dalrymple, was recognized and featured by the New Times newspaper.

Founding member of the FIU's Women's Studies Student Association, volunteer for Women's Center events, and a participant in the Women's Center Mentor Program (mentored Ms. Sandra Hall).

Munoz-Zayas, Bettina, (WS Major, 2002). Applying for a Program Manager position at FIU School of Business. Intends to go to law school.

Nugent-Smith, Marie

(WS/ANWS Major, Senior).

Dean's List for Spring 2002, Fall 2002, & Spring 2003.

Honor's College, Spring 2002-present.

National Dean's List, Achievement Award, 2001-2002, 2002-2003.

Women's Studies Achievement Award, 2003.



Marie Nugent-Smith displaying her art at the WS Student Conference.

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Persad, Tamara, (WS/Political Science Major, Junior).

Elaine Gordon Scholarship in Women's Studies for 2003-2004.

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Women's Studies 2003.

Accepted into the Gender and Politics Semester Program at American University in Washington, DC for Fall 2003.

Awarded Grants from Political Science and Women's Studies for travel to American Univ.

Awarded Dr. H. Minnie Dunbar Textbook Scholarship.

Pelleya, Cristina, (WS/Liberal Studies Major, Junior).

Awarded USA Funds Access to Education Scholarship (\$750 per semester).

Awarded the Dr. H. Minnie Dunbar Memorial Textbook Scholarship for Spring 2003.

Founding President of the Women's Studies Student Association.

Pineros, Marcela, (WS Major, 2002). Second published review of CD in FYI March 26th:

"Acoustic folk explosion!" "Superb collection of soul inspiring vocal mastery, matched perfectly with a rhythmically intense acoustic guitar," "Musical honesty...Refreshing breath of social consciousness." Copy is available through <http://www.marcesmusic.com>.



Mandi Ruscher



Sasha Moghimi-Kian



Ida Moghimi-Kian

Ruscher, Mandi, (WS Certificate, 2003).

Head Delegate of FIU Model United Nations team; won first place at the Nationals in New York, as well as an Outstanding Position Paper award (regarding our foreign policy, represented Luxembourg).

Appointed Deputy Director of Women's and Children's Rights for the Independent Student Coalition for the International Criminal Court.

Seoane, Natahly, (WS Certificate, 2002). Works at a Kendall law firm, Ford & Sinclair, which deals with medical malpractice, nursing & home abuse, and personal injury. Plans to go to law school in Fall 2003 at St. Thomas University.

Sklavounos, Rebecca, (WS Major, 2002). Dean's List, and graduated Summa Cum Laude with a GPA of 4.0.

Sowers, Millie, (English/WS Major, 2003). Received the Kelly Foundation Educational Grant that enabled her finish her education in Fall 2002.

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Activities of Women's Studies Alumni



Haana Ali & Anita Sachariah presented their research on "The Impact of Women's Studies on Minority Student Feminism," at the National Women's Studies Association Conference in Las Vegas, NV, 2002.

Ali, Haana, (WS Major, 2000). Is completing her M.A. degree in Psychology at Barry University. Her thesis focuses on women of color and feminism.

Bacan, Jessy, (WS Certificate, 2002). Plans to attend the College of Law at the Univ. of Miami.

Betancourt, Sheila, (WS Certificate, 1993). Recently obtained her social work license. Working at the University of Miami, Jackson Memorial Hospital, adult outpatient HIV care. Work involves counseling and advocacy for patients, both men and women.

Camacho, Susana, (WS Certificate, 2001). Is pursuing a M.A. degree in Development Studies at the London School of Economics, London, UK.

Castellanos, Raydisbel, (WS Certificate, 2002). Is continuing as a student in the M.S.W. program at FIU.

Christos, Lauren, (WS Certificate, 1996). Worked as Reference Librarian at BBC and was recently promoted to Assistant Librarian. A program committee member for the Intellectual Freedom Roundtable Committee of the American Library Association. Will present a program entitled "Freedom Expression Knows No Borders," Annual ALA Conference, Toronto, Canada.

Fisher, Shira,
(WS/Sociology/Anthropology Major, 2002).
Enrolled in the M.A. program in Sociology,
University of Kansas for Fall 2003.



Fitzroy, Andrea, (WS Certificate, 2002). Enrolled in a Master's Program in Human Resource Development at FIU and is completing her Certificate in Conflict Resolution. Was an Assistant Residence Life Coordinator in the University Park Towers and transitioned to Graduate Assistant in the Office of Residential Life. Started this year FIU's First LGBT Mentoring Program which paired 13 lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender students with faculty and staff. Plans to continue this program for the upcoming year.

Flynn, Nicole, (WS Major, 2000). Is leaving work in Human Resources to teach social studies in the public school system.

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Galaz, Vivian, (WS Major, 2001). Employed as a Child Protective Investigator with the Florida Department of Children and Families.

Junco, Gema, (WS/Political Science Major, 1999). Enrolled in M.A. program, Department of History, FIU.

Lalama, Christina, (WS Major/ Psychology, 1999). Expected completion of M.S. in Psychology (Mental Health Counseling & Research Services), FIU in 2003. Intends to pursue a doctorate in Education. Graduate work centered on gender and women's issues. Presented a talk on "Emotional Differences between Men & Women" at the Women's Studies Student Conference 2003.

Maluje, C. Carolina, (WS Major, 1998). Attended Nova Southeastern University for a Juris Doctor degree. Currently a practicing lawyer for a general practice firm in Pembroke Pines. Involved in two organizations: (1)The South Florida Human Rights Council, and (2)Sunglow, an international organization that focuses on international legal and judicial training in the rule of law, human rights, conflict resolution, legal systems, government ethics, and women's rights.

Martinez, Rita, (WS Major/ English, 1996). Completed Master of Fine Arts in Creative Writing in April. Her poems, "Vintage Bertha" and "Mortification Triptych," were accepted for publication by an online magazine called *Diagram*; "82 Reasons Not to Get Out of Bed," a collaborative poem, is forthcoming in an anthology in 2004; "Essay on Hands," was recently awarded first place in a competition sponsored by the Gulf Coast Association of Creative Writing Teacher's Conference in Alabama.

McGrath, Ciara, (WS Major, 1997). One of the first FIU students to graduate with a BA in Women's Studies. Has been accepted into the doctoral program in the Comparative Literature Department at the University of Washington. She also was offered a Teaching Assistantship in the Spanish Department. Ciara previously earned an MA in Women's Studies in Ireland.

Mendelsohn, Lynn, (WS Certificate, 1996). Completed a 2-year program, with the Central Agency of Jewish Education-Mental Program. Currently working in a medical office.

Middleton, Rachael, (WS/English Major, 2001).
Coordinator, FIU Women's Center, Nov. 2002- July 2003 (Interim position).
Organized seven events sponsored by The Women's Center (abortion rights, Islam, Muslim Woman, Guerilla Girls, Women's Philanthropy, Herstory Festival, and USA Patriot Act.
Organizer for the COOL Student Summit at MDCC "Learning Lessons From Social Movements," Feb. 2003.
Presented a workshop, " Third Wave Feminism Activism and Action" at COOL Student Summit with WS alumna Marcela Pineros, Feb. 2003.
Co-created The BIG BIG Feminist Coloring and Activism Book with Marcela Pineros (presented at Women's Studies Student Conference; plans to publish it).

I. UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM CONTINUED

Nugent, Kaydianne, (WS Certificate, 2001). Enrolled in the M.A. Program in Mental Health at Nova Southeastern University.

Palacios, Carolina, (WS Major/Liberal Studies, 2002). Plans to go to graduate school in U.K. in Fall 2003.

Pellini, Kimberly, (WS Certificate, 2001). Attending Law School in Fall 2003 at Regent University.

Perez, Alfredo, (WS Certificate, 2001). Accepted to the Graduate Studies Program in Counseling Psychology at Lesley University, MA, and Alaska Pacific University.

Rodriguez, Elizabeth, (WS Major/Psychology, 2000). Completed M.A. in Social Work specializing in domestic violence at Barry University in May 2003. Interned at Camillus House in the residential substance abuse program and is applying for jobs at Camillus House and elsewhere.

Rodriguez, Gladys, (WS Certificate, 1994). National Board Certified Teacher, Miami Palmetto Senior High School.

Rodriguez, Renee, (WS Certificate, 2001). Is applying for positions teaching high school English in Broward County and plans to put as much women's literature into the curriculum as possible.

Sachariah, Anita, (WS Major/Business Management, 2001). Completed her first year of the M.A. in Public Policy (concentration in Women's Studies) at George Washington Univ.

Sendin, Emilia, (WS Certificate, 1996). Completed M.A. in English at FIU. Her thesis and graduate work involved the study of minority women authors. Hired at Miami-Dade Community College as full time faculty of English upon graduation and recently was promoted to a tenure-track Assistant Professor position. Was a recipient of several grants, i.e., Hispanic Education Telecommunication Systems (HETS) grant to develop a Hispanic American Literature online course, and a survey of World Literature course. Recently been granted a Learning Innovations grant with another professor to design and develop a literature course (that will be offered on Spring 2004) with a theme about "Empowering Women's Voices." Has also presented her work at the International Chicano Literature Conference, Malaga, Spain, 2002. Plans to pursue a Ph.D. in English with a focus on authors of color.

Villamil, Aida, (WS Certificate, 2002). Is considering applying to graduate school in International Relations or related fields.

Wong, Leighann, (WS Major/Psychology, 2002). Currently earning Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology at Nova Southeastern University.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

International Programs

University of Granada, Spain



FIU students Carla Marin (l-r), Gema Junco, and Evelyn Borrel with Carlos Morcillo Bleiker (2nd from right) in Barcelona, Spain, 2002

Dr. Aurora Morcillo, Associate Professor of Women's Studies and History, traveled with three students and son (above) to Spain as the first stage in building a student and faculty exchange program between FIU Women's Studies and the Instituto de Estudios de la Mujer at the Universidad de Granada, Spain.

University of the Western Cape, South Africa



University of the Western Cape Staff in Cape Town, South Africa, discuss their careers and Women's Studies Program with Suzanna Rose, FIU WS Director (2nd from right). (l-r, Mary Hames, Anita Maurtin Cairncross, Pansy Hamilton, S. Rose, and Patricia Van Der Spuy

Dr. Suzanna Rose, Director, Women's Studies Center, continued her work with faculty at the University of the Western Cape, South Africa. The Women's Studies Career and Curriculum Project was funded by USAID through the University of Missouri to benefit UWC, a historically Black university.

Women in Post-Communist Eastern Europe



Professor Barbara Weitz leads this long-running study abroad program that examines the role of women in the new re-structuring of democratic society in the Czech Republic and throughout the former Soviet bloc.

Vilnius University, Lithuania



WS students at Vilnius University

Dr. Karen Garner, Director of the Women's Center at Florida International University, was a Fulbright Scholar at Vilnius University in Vilnius, Lithuania during the 2002-2003 academic year. Garner taught Women's Studies courses and delivered public lectures at the Center for Gender Studies.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Women of Distinction Series 2002 - 2003

The Women of Distinction Series continued its second year in 2002-2003. More than a hundred guests attended each of the three events.

The War of the Sexes: Gender Ideology in Spain after 1939



Aurora Morcillo, Ph.D.
Associate Professor
Women's Studies & History, FIU

November 14, 2002
The Wolfsonian-FIU

Co-sponsored by The Wolfsonian-FIU.

Child of My Heart

Alice McDermott
Author of *Charming Billy*
Winner of the
1998 National Book Award

January 22, 2003
Books & Books



Jewish Women in America



Deborah Dash Moore

Deborah Dash Moore, Ph.D.
Professor of Religion, Vassar College
Davidson Professor, FIU, 2003

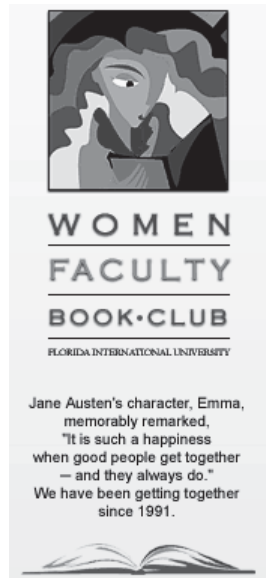
Paula Hyman, Ph.D.
Professor of History, Yale University

February 23, 2003
Kovens Conference Center

Co-sponsored by Davidson Endowment,
FIU Religious Studies, and Judaic Studies.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Women's Studies Faculty Book Club Bookmark and Website



The FIU Women Faculty Book Club was founded in 1991 by Marilyn Hoder-Salmon and Judith Stiehm. In commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the Book Club, members decided to share their choices for good reading and collective discussion with other book lovers by publishing a bookmark listing 100 EXCELLENT BOOKS BY WOMEN. About 2000 bookmarks were distributed at local bookstores and libraries.

The titles, among them prize winners and classics, include fiction, biography, memoir and history by the likes of Isabelle Allende, FIU Creative Writing Prof. Lynne Barrett, Charlotte Bronte, Zora Neale Hurston, Ruth Reichl, Amy Tan and others. A website also was set up that features a suggested reading each month:

www.books.fiu.edu.

Faculty Book Club Members

Ginette Ba-Curry
Lynne Barrett
Maneck Daruwala
Joyce Elam
Susan Freeman
Marilyn Hoder-Salmon
Aurora Morcillo
Mayra Nemeth
Joyce Peterson
Suzanna Rose
Judith H. Stiehm
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Readings for 2002-2003

Women Writing About War

Three Guineas by Virginia Woolf
Not So Quiet by Helen Zenna Smith
The Face of War by Martha Gellhorn
The Mortal Storm by Phyllis Bottome

Also

The Trap by Ana Maria Matute
The Lovely Bones by Alice Sebold
Bel Canto by Ann Patchett
The Peppered Moth by Margaret Drabble
Hateship, Friendship, Courtship,
Loveship, Marriage by Alice Munro
Mona in the Promised Land by Gish Jen

I. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Friends of Women's Studies

The Friends of Women's Studies Campaign continued to provide funding for students to obtain valuable educational experiences outside the classroom and to support other Women's Studies events. Women's Studies received more than \$3,500 in donations from 17 Friends that enabled students to attend national women's studies conferences and provided funding for outreach. The Friends' donations were greatly appreciated.

2002-2003 Friends' Donors

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Guests of Honor

Four leaders from South Florida were honored at the Spring 2003 WS Awards Ceremony.



Gayle Bainbridge



Pam Gadinsky



Shellie Sachs Levin



Susan Randall

Gayle Bainbridge is the 2003 President of the Miami-Dade Women's Chamber of Commerce and also President-Elect of the FIU Alumni Board.

Pam Gadinsky is the media relations director for a national health insurance company. She is a member of Leadership Florida and currently serves as chairperson of its communications committee.

Shellie Sachs Levin is the Majority Council Director of EMILY'S List, the largest independent political action committee in the U.S. Emily's List has the mission of electing Democratic prochoice women to federal office. She also is a licensed attorney who has practiced law in Miami for 25 years.

Susan Randall is the owner of Susan Randall Photography Studio and currently the President of the Women's History Coalition of Miami-Dade.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED



Aurora Morcillo, Associate Professor, Women's Studies/History, with CAS Associate Dean Mark Szuchman and Carmen Mendez, Education, at the Fall 2002 Women of Distinction Event at The Wolfsonian-FIU. Dr. Morcillo was the featured speaker. More than a hundred people attended.

Women's Studies Student Travel

Donor contributions provided opportunities for travel to our students.

- International Criminal Court, United Nations Headquarters, New York City, September 2002. Mandy Ruscher wrote this about her experience: "I was possibly the youngest person in the entire building. [I worked] with a Non-Governmental Organization (NGO), the Independent Student Coalition, for the International Criminal Court. The experience was amazing and a complete inspiration for me to continue pursuing a career in diplomacy.... it allowed me to establish contacts with possible future colleagues and opened the door of the international community of the United Nations. I cannot thank Women's Studies enough for ... this opportunity."
- National Women's Studies Association (NWSA) conference, Las Vegas, June 2002. Thanks to our donors, Haana Ali and Anita Sachariah were able to attend professional conferences last year to present their work on "The Impact of Women's Studies on Minority Student Feminism." Shira Fisher also presented her work.
- Student Summit: Learning the Lessons from Social Movements, Miami, FL, February 21-23, 2003. Rachael Middleton and Tamara Persad were able to join this summit with funding from donors.

Campus Contributions to Women's Studies Activities

Women's Studies received co-sponsorships of \$25,275 from the College of Arts & Sciences, Department of History, Student Government Association, International Relations, the WS Student Conference, and the Women's Center for a visiting faculty position and events.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Elaine Gordon Scholarship Endowment

The Elaine Gordon Scholarship Endowment was established in 1999 to honor the life and work of Elaine Gordon (1931-2000). Ms. Gordon was a pioneering feminist elected to the Florida House in 1972 who was a leading advocate on issues involving health care, mental health, children and women's reproductive rights. In 1982, she was one of the first six women inducted into the Florida Women's Hall of Fame in Tallahassee. After retiring from the legislature in 1994, Ms. Gordon worked for FIU as an Assistant Vice President until 1999.

More than \$37,000 has been donated to the endowment by 125 donors. Their generous contribution makes it possible for one Women's Studies student to receive a scholarship each year. Recent donors are listed below.

Elaine Gordon Scholarship Donors, 2001 - 2003



Brian Gadinsky

Women's Studies donor Brian Gadinsky is the son of Elaine Gordon and has been a major contributor to the Elaine Gordon Scholarship in Women's Studies. Brian is an Emmy award winning producer who has served as Executive Producer of the USA Network original reality series **Combat Missions**; the original Producer of **America's Most Wanted**; and senior producer of the hit show **American Gladiators**.

Women's Studies donor Juanita Jacob served as Gordon's loyal aide for the 22 years Elaine Gordon served in the Florida House of Representatives.



Juanita Jacob

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II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Women's Studies Speaker Series & Events

Social hour for Women's Studies Faculty, Students, and Friends, Home of Suzanna Rose, May 2002.

Farewell Social for Sara Crawley, WS Postdoctoral Fellow 2001-2002, Home of Suzanna Rose, July 2002.

Women, Politics and the Caribbean, *The 4th Annual Eric E. Williams Memorial Lecture / 2002-2003 Distinguished Africana Scholars Lecture Series*, Moderator: Colin Palmer, Dodge Professor of History Princeton University; Panelists: Hon. Cynthia Pratt, Deputy Prime Minister, Bahamas; Hon. Mia Mottley, Attorney General, Barbados; Beverley Anderson-Manley, Former First Lady, Jamaica; FIU Wertheim Performing Arts Center, Sept. 20, 2002, Co-sponsored by African New World Studies.

Homophobic Violence and Social Action Research, Suzanna Rose, Ph.D., Director, Women's Studies and Professor of Psychology, FIU; Faculty Lunchtime Symposium Sponsored by the Jack D. Gordon Public Policy Center, Faculty Club, University Park, Oct. 24, 2002.

Education and Gender Equity Cobertura Educativa y Equidad de Genero (Presentation in Spanish), Dr. Cecilia Velez, Minister of Education, Colombia; Professor Maria Elvia Dominguez, Director of the Escuela de Genero, Universidad Nacional de Colombia; PC 521, University Park, Nov. 8, 2002.

Making Sense of Sex: Adolescent Girls and Sex Education in the United States, 1940-1960, Susan Freeman, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Fellow, Women's Studies Center and Dept. of History, FIU; DM 370, University Park, Nov. 13, 2002.

A Concert of Electroacoustic and Multimedia Works by Women Composers, Spotlights female artists from all corners of the world, this concert included works by Hideko Kawamoto, Alicyn Warren, Maggi Payne, Beatriz Ferreyra, and Kristine H. Burns. Fun, New, Campy, and Electric!; FIU Wertheim Performing Arts Center, Nov. 14, 2002.

Movie: Forbidden Planet, The classic 1956 movie Forbidden Planet featured the first ever all-electronic score, and one of the earliest film scores by a woman. Composed by Bebe and Louis Barron, this pioneering score predated A Clockwork Orange, Tron and other sci-fi movies featuring electronic music; FIU Wertheim Performing Arts Center, Nov. 14, 2002.

Composer's Lecture, Alicyn Warren, Visiting composer, University of Michigan; FIU Wertheim Performing Arts Center Recital Hall, Nov. 15, 2002.

Women in the Post-Soviet Era, Dalia Marcinkeviciene, Ph.D., Director, Women's Studies, Vilnius University, Lithuania; Panther Suite, University Park, Nov. 18, 2002.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED



Birth: A Literary Companion

Lynne Barrett, Co-Editor
Creative Writing Program, FIU
Kristin Kovacic, Co-Editor

Reading at FIU Book Store, Nov. 22, 2002.



Hypatia of Alexandria, Ian Morris, WS Major, FIU, Nov. 25, 2002. Co-sponsored by FIU-NOW, and the Women's Center.

Facilitated Discussion by FIU Women Faculty Book Club, A Map of the World by Jane Hamilton. Facilitator: Joyce Peterson, Ph.D., Associate Dean, Arts & Sciences, Books & Books, Dec.2, 2002.

Facilitated Discussion by FIU Women Faculty Book Club, Women Writing About War, The Mortal Storm by Phyllis Bottome, and The Trap by Ana Maria Matute. Facilitators: Marilyn Hoder-Salmon, Ph.D., Associate Professor, English, FIU; Aurora Morcillo, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Women's Studies & History, FIU, Books & Books, Jan. 13, 2003.

Dancing with My Father, *Film Screening and Discussion with Filmmaker*, Marcia Rock, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Film Studies, New York University; GL 220, University Park, Jan. 14, 2003.



Marcia Rock dancing with her father.

Women and the Making of the Modern House: Gender and the Politics of Design, Alice Friedman, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Art, Wellesley College; GL 220, University Park, Jan. 17, 2003, Co-sponsored by The Wolfsonian-FIU.

Sister Circle: Black Women and Work, Edited by Sharon Harley and The Black Women and Work Collective, African-American Research Library & Cultural Center, Jan. 17, 2003, Co-sponsored by African New World Studies.

Women of Color Seminar, BBC, Jan.18, 2003, Co-sponsored by African New World Studies.

Motherless: A Legacy of Loss From Illegal Abortion, 30th Anniversary of Roe v. Wade, Video Showing: **Women's Reproductive Rights**. Panel, GC 243, UP, Jan. 22, 2003. Co-sponsored by The Women's Center, A Choice for Women, Planned Parenthood, FIU Health and Wellness Center, Women's Studies Student Association (WSSA), and FIU NOW.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Women in Sephardic Cultures, Moderator: Professor Zion Zohar; *The Role of Sephardic Women in the Life Cycle and Holiday Events*, Professor Annette B. Fromm; *Sephardi/Mizrachi Jewish Women in the Ottoman Empire*, Professor Pamela Dorn Sezgin; **Keynote: From Poetry to Politics: Portraits of Jewish Women from Sephardic Lands**, Prof. Jane Gerber; **Workshops on Present and Future Roles of Sephardic Women: Interethnic Marriages Between Sephardi and Ashkenazi Jews**, Prof. Ruth Behar, Univ. of Michigan; *The Treatment of Women: Issues of Abuse*, Attorney Mazel Crespín; *Sephardic Life in the Modern World*, Hon. Judge Fanny B. Ostrow; BBC, Feb. 2, 2003, Co-sponsored by The President Navon Program for the Study of Sephardic & Oriental Jewry-FIU, Yovel, Inc., FIU Religious Studies, and Judaic Studies.

"The Language You Cry In" & "Daughters of the Dust," African Diaspora Film Series, BBC, Feb. 6, 2003, Co-sponsored by African New World Studies.

Conversation Hour: The Good News and the Bad News about Women in Sport

Ruth Hall, Ph.D., Associate Professor
Dept. of Psychology, The College of New Jersey
Psychology Conference Room, University Park, Feb. 7, 2003



Activist Techniques Workshop, Guerilla Girls, GC 243, University Park, Feb. 19, 2003.
Co-sponsored by Women's Center.

Democratic Security and Women's Political Participation in Colombia, Sr. Sergio Jaramillo Assistant Minister of Defense, Colombia; Maria Emma Wills, Professor Universidad Nacional de Colombia; Astrid Arraras, Professor, Political Science, FIU; MARC, University Park, Feb. 20, 2003, Co-sponsored by Latin American Caribbean Center.

Changing the World, One Sexist City at a Time Guerrilla Girls on Tour; GC140, UP, Feb.20, 2003. Co-sponsored by Student Government Association Lecture Committee and Women's Center.



New Age Racism, Malcolm X - Ella Baker Lecture

Elaine Brown, Black Community Women Activist
BBC, Feb. 20, 2003. Co-sponsored by African New World Studies,
The Center for Urban Education and Innovation Biscayne Bay
Student Government.

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Subjecting Feminism and Northern Ireland to Question: The Politics of Hope and Anxiety, Marysia Zalewski, Ph.D., Professor, Centre for Women's Studies, Queen's University, Belfast, GL 220, University Park, Feb. 21, 2003. Co-sponsored by International Relations.

The World Turned Upside Down: Spanish Women Writers and the Civil War, Geraldine Nichols, Ph.D., Professor of Spanish and Chair, Department of Romance Languages, University of Florida; GPA, University Park, Feb. 27, 2003, Co-sponsored by Department of Modern Languages.

The Day My God Died, *Film Screening and Discussion*

GC 140, University Park, Feb. 28, 2003. Co-sponsored by FIU Miami Film Festival. This documentary portrayed the plight of young girls in Bombay, exposed the organized trafficking behind it, and told the story of the courageous individuals who fight against this shocking abuse of human rights.



Life as a Muslim Woman: Dispelling Misconceptions, Intercultural Forum, GC 243, University Park, Mar. 5, 2003. Co-sponsored by Women's Center.

Women and the Holocaust. *The Gender of Good and Evil: Women and Holocaust Memory*, Professor Sara Horowitz, York University; *Camp Sisters: A Ray of Hope in the Concentration Camp*, Bonnie Gurewicz, Museum of Jewish Heritage, BBC, Mar. 9, 2003, Co-sponsored by FIU Religious Studies and Judaic Studies.

Women in Jazz: Concert & Lecture, Joan Cartwright, BBC, Mar. 24, 2003, Co-sponsored by African New World Studies, Women's Center, Student Government Council, Student Programming Council.

Yes, Women Can Be Masons, Too! The History of Women In Freemasonry, Judith Rasoletti, Program Coordinator Center for Transnational and Comparative Studies, FIU; GL 220, University Park, Mar. 26, 2003.

Women, Philanthropy and Community Activism: From the Global to the Local. *Women and Philanthropy in the United States: A Historical Overview*, Debbie Bussel, Consultant, Bussel Philanthropy; *The Women's Fund of Miami-Dade County--- Making an Impact at the Local Level*, Claudia Kitchens, Executive Director, Women's Fund of Miami Dade County; *The "Inside Out" and "Breaking Free Projects,"* Leslie Neal, Associate Professor of Dance, FIU & Art Spring; GC 243, University Park, Mar. 11, 2003, Co-sponsored by The Women's Center, The Center for Labor Research & Studies (Workplace Topics Forum Series), The Center for Leadership Development & Civic Responsibility, Volunteer Action Center, and African New World Studies.



Leslie Neal

II. ADVANCEMENT & OUTREACH ACTIVITIES CONTINUED

Women and Manuscripts in the Middle Ages: The Case of Gunza of Karlburg, Dr. Felice Lifshitz, Associate Professor, History, FIU; Sheraton Biscayne Bay, Mar. 26, 2003. Co-sponsored by Miami Intelligence.

FIU Women's Studies Student Conference 2003, GC East, University Park, April 2, 2003.

Women in Science, Informal Lunch Discussion, Ruth Weiner, Ph.D., Los Alamos National Laboratory; Faculty Club, University Park, April 9, 2003.

La Petite Vendéuse de Soleil, and **Karmen Gei**, *African Diaspora Film Series*, BBC, Apr. 9, 2003, Co-sponsored by African New World Studies, BBC Library.

Battered Women's Syndrome, *3rd Annual FIU Psychology Conference*, Lenore Walker, Ed.D., Professor & Director, Clinical Forensic Psychology, Nova Southeastern University; Apr. 17, 2003, GC 243W, University Park, Co-sponsored by Psi Chi.



No Secret Anymore: The Times of Del Martin & Phyllis Lyon, Regal South Beach, April 27, 2003. *Miami Gay and Lesbian Film Festival Film Screening*, cosponsored by FIU Women's Studies Center.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS

New Faculty and Visitors in Women's Studies 2001-2002

Susan Freeman, Ph.D., was the Postdoctoral Fellow/Visiting Professor in Women's Studies and History for 2002-2003. Susan received her Ph.D. from Ohio State University in History and her M.A. from the University of Cincinnati in Women's Studies. Susan joined us to teach Feminist Theory, History of Women in the U.S., and other history courses. Her energy and expertise were welcomed by both faculty and students.

Beginning Fall 2003, Susan will be a tenure-track Assistant Professor of Women's Studies at Minnesota State University-Mankato.



*Susan Freeman, Ph.D.
Postdoctoral Fellow/Visiting Professor
Women's Studies and History*

Sofia Rodriguez, Department of Humanities and Women's Studies at the University of Almeria, Spain, was a visiting doctoral student at FIU from April 22 to June 1, 2003. She received a grant from the government of Spain to allow her to collaborate with Dr. Aurora Morcillo, FIU Women's Studies' faculty. Sofia was completing her dissertation on, "The Women's Section of Falaup in Spain."

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III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

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Juan Odio, Criminal Justice	

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Women's Studies Committees

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Ophelia Weeks, Biological Sciences

Women's Studies Staff



*Carla Marin, Wilma Dagdag, and
Christina Lalama*

Wilma Dagdag, Administrative Assistant
Christina Lalama, Graduate Research Assistant
Carla Marin (former staff member)
Cristina Pelleyá, Student Assistant
Carlyle Conserve, Student Assistant
Jennifer Thorpe, Student Assistant

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Book Publications (Published)



Barrett, L. with Kovacic, K. (Eds.). (2002, November). Birth: A Literary Companion, an anthology of fiction and poetry, University of Iowa Press. With an introduction by the editors.



Burns, K. H. (Editor-in-Chief). (2002). Women and Music in America Since 1900: An Encyclopedia. Westport CT: Greenwood Publishing, Inc., 2 vols., 250,000 words.

Book Chapters (Published)

Gudorf, C. (2002). *Humanae Vitae: Its Origin and U.S. Reception*. In Michael Glazier (Ed.), Encyclopedia of Catholic Women, Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press.

Gudorf, C. (2002). *Contraception and Abortion in Roman Catholic Practice*. In Daniel Maguire (Ed.), Sacred Rights: The Case for Contraception and Abortion in the World's Religions, Oxford University Press.

Lifshitz, F. (2002). *Demonstrating Gun(t)za: Women, Manuscripts, and the Question of Historical Proof*. In Walter Pohl and Paul Herold (Eds.), Vom Nutzen des Schreibens. Soziales Gedächtnis, Herrschaft und Besitz, Vienna.

Lifshitz, F. (2003). *Differences, (Dis)appearances and the Disruption of the Straight Telos: Medievalology as a History of Gender*. In Jörg Jarnut and Hans-Werner Goetz (Eds.), Mediävistik im 21. Jahrhundert: Stand und Perspektiven, Paderborn.

Books and Book Chapters (In Press)

Freeman, S. (In Press). Making Sense of Sex: Adolescent Girls and Sex Education in the United States, 1940-1960. Manuscript under contract with the University of Illinois Press.

Gudorf, C. (2003, November). *Dorothee Soelle, Mysticism, and Feminism*. In Sarah Pinnock (Ed.), The Theology of Dorothee Soelle, Trinity Press International.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Morcillo, A. (Forthcoming). Gender Relations in Modern Spain. In Adrian Shubert (Ed.), Modern Spain. Españolas: Palo Alto, California: The Society for the Promotion of Science and Scholarship.

Rose, S. M. (In press). Crossing the color line in women's friendship. In J. Chrisler, C. Golden & P. Rozee (Eds.), Lectures on the Psychology of Women, (3rd edition). Revised and updated chapter for new edition.

Journal Publications (Published)

Friedman, R. (2003, April). Romantic Friendship in the Nicholaevan University, Russian Review, 62/2.

Gomez, A. Todo sobre actrices: La reinscripción de All About Eve en Todo sobre mi madre." Accepted for publication in Letras Peninsulares.

Price, P. (2002, July). From protests to politics: Sex work, women's worth and Ciudad Juárez modernity, Annals of the AAG.

Price, P. (2002, August). Theorizing Women of Color in a New Global Matrix, International Feminist Journal of Politics.

Prugl, E., Locher, B., & Brabandt, H. (2002). Normen, Gender und Politikwandel: Internationale Beziehungen aus der Geschlechterperspektive – Eine Einführung, WeltTrends 36.

Prugl, E. (2002). Gender Orders in a Globalizing World: Comparing Farm Women and Homeworkers, CEUS Working Paper 2002/2, Jean Monnet Centre for European Studies, University of Bremen.

Prugl, E. (2003, June). Gender and War: Causes, Constructions, and Critique, Perspectives on Politics 1, second issue of the new APSA journal. This piece is a review of Joshua Goldstein's book, *War and Gender*, paired with a critique and a case study of European Foreign and Security Policy, intended to present an alternative to Goldstein's approach.



Elisabeth Prugl

Roca, A. (2003). Revisiting Ariel Dorfman's *Death and the Maiden: Madness or Divine Sense?* Hemisphere, Volume 12, Spring 2003, 7-9. (Copies of the issue were distributed to MOL LACC faculty and copies are available on request).

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Journal Publications (In Press)

- Freeman, S.** (Forthcoming). Review essay: In Style: Femininity and Fashion since the Victorian Era, Journal of Women's History.
- Garner, K.** (Forthcoming in 2004). Global Feminism and Post-World War II Reconstruction: The World YWCA 'Visitation' to Occupied Japan, 1947," Journal of World History, Accepted for Publication in April 2003.
- Harrison, K.** (2003). Rhetorical Rehearsals: The Construction of Ethos in Confederate Women's Civil War Diaries. (Forthcoming in *Rhetoric Review* Vol 22.3).
- Rose, S. M.** (In press). Community interventions concerning homophobic violence and partner violence against lesbians. Journal of Lesbian Studies.
- Van Den Bergh, N.** (In Press). Getting a piece of the pie: Cultural competence for GLBT employees at the workplace. Journal of Human Behavior and Social Environment

Book and Journal Publications in Progress

- Alonso, I.** (2002). Three chapters on the situation of women in Caribbean countries, including Puerto Rico, the French Caribbean, and the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States (OECS). In Cheryl Kalny (Ed.), Women's Issues in North America and the Caribbean. Greenwood Publishing Co.
- Alonso, I.** (2002). The situation of Women in Belize. In Amy Lind (Ed.), Women's Issues in North America and the Caribbean. Greenwood Publishing Co.
- Belote, G. & Lunsford, L.** (In Press). The First Year: Making the Most of College, 4th Edition., Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company, June 2003.
- Lifshitz, F.** "Heteroreligiosity: Women, Men and Manuscript Culture East of the Middle Rhine (8th-9th Century)" (book manuscript) and "Gender Trouble in Paradise: The Case of the Liturgical Virgo" (article manuscript).
- Martin, K.** (2003). Discarded Pages: The Life and Work of a Maya Poet and Politician, Araceli Cab Cumi.
- Morcillo, A.** (2003). Elena's Child or the Birth of Francoism, article submitted to Gender and History.
- Morcillo, A.** with Julio Moreno, and Linda Hall (Co-eds.) Beauty, Power, and Body in the Hispanic World, Book length manuscript in progress.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Morcillo, A. Will you marry me? Marriage under Francoism. In Beauty, Power, and Body in the Hispanic World, Book length manuscript.

Morcillo, A. Sara Montiel the Seductive Muse. In Beauty, Power, and Body in the Hispanic World. Aurora Morcillo, Julio Moreno, and Linda Hall. Book length manuscript.

Rose, S. & Hall, R. (Under Review). Innovations in Lesbian Psychology. Proposal for a special issue of the Psychology of Women Quarterly, solicited by the PWQ Editorial Board.

Van Den Bergh, N. (In progress). Teaching Generalist Social Work Practice: Model Course Outlines, Alexandria, VA: Council on Social Work Education.

Creative Work

Burns, K. (2003). Cricketina, chamber opera (45-minute work, in progress). Libretto by Lynne Barrett.

Burns, K. (2003, April). Heavy Metal, Festival of Women Composers Today, Seoul, Korea.

Stories

Barrett, L. (2002, Summer). Story section: Commissioned to write a section of a serial story by five women writers for the art book Loose Ends, a limited edition (50 handmade books) by book artist Linda Johnson.

Barrett, L. (2002, August). One Mississippi. Apalachee Review.

Barrett, L. (2002, December). Going Steady With Jesus. In Nick Carbó and Denise Duhamel (Eds.), Sweet Jesus: Poems About the Ultimate Icon, The Anthology Press.

Barrett, L. (2003). Stories reprinted in anthologies: Gift Wrap, anthologized in Irrepressible Appetites, Tracey Broussard, Rock Press.

Gudorf, C. (2002, Summer). Short reflection piece on being a Catholic Woman today, Conscience.

Book Reviews

Freeman, S. (2003). Nazi Ghosts Shape a Life of Courage, Resilience. Review of Naked in the Promised Land by Lillian Faderman, Miami Herald, March 9.

Freeman, S. (Forthcoming). Review of How Sex Changed: A History of Transsexuality in the United States by Joanne Meyerowitz, The Historian.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Freeman, S. (Forthcoming). Review essay: In Style: Femininity and Fashion since the Victorian Era. Journal of Women's History.

Friedman, R. (Forthcoming). Canadian American Slavic Studies. In Eliot Borenstein (Ed.), Men Without Women.

Gudorf, C. Erotic Morality: The Role of Touch in Moral Agency. In Lilian Holler, Journal of the Academy of Religion.

Gudorf, C. The Ethics of Sex, Journal of Religion.

Lifshitz, F. Barbara Newman, God and the Goddesses. Vision, Poetry and Belief in the Middle Ages, and Rebecca Krawiec, Shenoute and the Women of the White Monastery. Egyptian Monasticism in Late Antiquity. (In History, Reviews of New Books).

Prugl, E. Gender and Conflict in a Global Context, for Signs: Journal of Women in Culture and Society.

Prugl, E. Women's Home-Centered Work: Meaning and Policy Implications, World Development.

Prugl, E. Livelihood improvements versus negative impacts: Addressing some myths about home-based enterprises, World Development.

Prugl, E. The Protection of Civilians: Gender, Constructivism and International Norms, International Studies Quarterly.

Prugl, E. Partial Truths and the Politics of Community. In Mary Ann Tetreault and Robin L. Teske, (Eds.), University of South Carolina Press, 2003. (comments are on book jacket).

Prugl, E. Fashioning Inequality. In Juanita Elias (Ed.), Ashgate, forthcoming.

Rochelson, M. Broadview Literary Text, Grace Aguilar: Selected Writings. Comments appear on the back of the book and on the Broadview website.

Rochelson, M. (2002). Women's Holocaust Writing: Memory and Imagination, by S. Lillian Kremer, in the journal Criticism 44 (2002): 305-8.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Recognition

Alonso, I. (2002, October). Faculty Senate Award, Excellence in Teaching, Faculty Convocation.

Atchison-Nevel, Jane. (2002). Excellence in Teaching, Religious Studies; First Prize for the Art of Teaching TA awards.

Becerra Fernandez, I. A member of the President's Advisory Committee on Women at FIU, Received The Association of Cuban Engineers Amezaga Award for an officer and who has made a significant contribution to the association.



Suzanna Rose, Director, Women's Studies, (2nd from left) was honored by the Women's Chamber of Commerce of Miami-Dade County for her contributions to women. FIU Executive Vice Provost Judy Blucker (l-r), Provost Mark Rosenberg, and Gayle Bainbridge, President of the WCC, attended the event at the Biltmore Hotel.

Garner, K. (2002, December). Carrie Chapman Catt Prize for Research on Women and Politics, Carrie Chapman Catt Center, Iowa State University.

Harrison, K. (2003). Office of the Provost/FIU Foundation Internal Research Award (for work on monograph Writing for Tumultuous Times: The Rhetoric of Southern Women's Civil War Diaries).

Rochelson, M. Outstanding Honors Fellow Award, FIU.

Rose, S. M.

(2003). Woman of Distinction Award, City of Miami Commission on the Status of Women.

(2002). Thelma Gibson Award of Excellence, Women's Chamber of Commerce of Miami-Dade County, for contributions to leadership, excellence, and business development among corporate and professional women.

Weeks, O. (2002). Received a plaque and a letter of appreciation from the Association of American Colleges and Universities (AACU) for her course Biology of AIDS. Selected for inclusion in the National Leadership Resource Database, an online searchable database of courses that integrate HIV/AIDS and related health issues into the college curriculum.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Funding/Grants

- Casebier, A.** An adjunct professor at FIU (and former Professor of Film at USC), has been awarded a Fulbright to visit the State of Rio de Janeiro for this summer.
- Garner, K.** (2003, February – June). Fulbright Teaching Award, U.S. Department of State, GenderStudies Centre, Vilnius University, Vilnius, Lithuania.
- Garner, K.** (2003). Co-Writer and Project Director, “Diversity Within Islam and Life as a Muslim Woman: Dispelling Misconceptions Within a Multi-Ethnic Campus Community,” NAFSA, Association of International Educators and the U.S. Department of State, \$4700 awarded for educational forums at Florida International University 2002-2003 academic year.
- Harrison, K.** (2003). Mary Lily Research Grant, Sallie Bingham Center for Women’s History and Culture, Duke University (To support archival research for Writing for Tumultuous Times).
- Martin, K.** (2003). Summer Research, College of Arts and Sciences, Florida International Univ., Murder and Memory in Kinchil. To support archival and oral history work on a project to reconstruct the life of Felipa Poot, a Maya woman activist in early 20th century Yucatan, Mexico.
- Rochelson, M.** Summer Research Award, College of Arts and Sciences, to work on her book, A Jew in the Public Arena: The Career of Israel Zangwill (a prominent activist in the British women's suffrage movement).
- Rose, S. M.** (2003). Women, Institutions, and Leadership in Japan. Shibusawa Foundation, Tokyo, Japan.
- Rose, S. M.** (2003). Women’s Studies Career and Curriculum Development Program, Faculty Exchange. University of Missouri-South Africa Exchange Program.
- Van Den Bergh, N.** (2003). Dade Community Foundation. Received \$3,000 for a collaboration with Denise Hueso of Pridelines Youth Services to produce a film about the risks and resiliences of lesbian youth.
- Weir-Soley, D.** Won a Woodrow Wilson Career Enhancement Fellowship for 2003-2004. The award carries release from teaching duties and a stipend.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Conference Papers

- Barrett, L.** (2003, February). What I Stole From Poe. Paper presented at South Florida Chapter, Mystery Writers of America, Delray Beach.
- Burns, K. H.** (2002, November). Women in Electro-Acoustic Music. Panel presentation for the Third Practice Festival, Richmond, VA.
- Burns, K. H.** (2003, March). Women and Music in America Since 1900. Presentation at the Athena Festival, Murray, KY.
- Burns, K. H.** (2003, April). International Alliance for Women in Music. Panel presentation at the 2003 International Festival of Women Composers Today, Seoul, Korea.
- Freeman, S.** (2002, June). Sex for Good Citizens: Girls and Sex Education in the Mid-Twentieth-Century United States, Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, Storrs, Connecticut.
- Friedman, R.** (2002, June). Male Friendship in Nineteenth-Century Russia, Berkshire Conference on the History of Women.
- Friedman, R.** (2002, June). Servitors for the Empire, Masculinity in Russia: an Interdisciplinary Workshop, University of Illinois.
- Friedman, R.** (2002, November). Masculinity, Subjecthood and Nationalism in 19th-Century Russia, American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies (AAASS), (organized panel).
- Friedman, R.** (2003, January). Passionate Friend, Respectable Servitor: The Making of Manhood in the 19th-Century Russian University, American Historical Association. (organized panel).
- Garner, K.** (2003, January). Global Feminism and Post World War II Reconstruction: The World YWCA 'Visitation' to U.S.-Occupied Japan, 1947, American Historical Association, Chicago.
- Gomez, A.** (2002, October). Performing Identities: Stage Actresses in Spanish Film, Santo Domingo.
- Harrison, K.** (2002, June). Valuing Private Rhetorical Spaces: The Place of Women's Civil War Diaries in the History of Rhetoric. Presented at the Rhetoric Society of America Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

- Harrison, K.** (2003, April). Deep Learning: Buzzword or Assessable Characteristic of Learning Communities. Interactive Session presented at the Association of American Colleges and Universities Conference, Phoenix, Arizona.
- Martin, K.** (2003, March). Murder, Mystery and Memory in Kinchil. Analysis of the feminist activism of Felipa Poot, an early 20th century Maya woman community leader. Paper presented at the annual meetings of South East Council of Latin American Studies, Chapel Hill, N.C.
- Morcillo, A.** (2002, October). Strangers in the Night: Editing Women's Cinematic Bodies. Paper presented at XIII Conferencia de la Asociación Internacional de Literatura Femenina Hispánica, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.
- Morcillo, A.** (2003, March). Will you Marry me? Sexual Politics under Franco, North Carolina State University.
- Morcillo, A.** (2003, April). Panel discussant, Who will make the knowledge and how? Constructing a Feminist Identity in the Gendered Academy, America Educational Research Association, Chicago.
- Morcillo, A.** (2003, April). Nuevos Paradigmas para la investigación de los Estudios de Género. Keynote speaker for Escuela de Estudios de Género, Universidad Nacional de Colombia.
- Prugl, E.** (2003, January, March). Gender Orders in German Agriculture: From the Patriarchal Welfare State to Liberal Environmentalism. Presented at the International Relations Departmental Colloquium, Florida International University, January 14. Also at *European Union Studies Association* 8th Biennial Conference, Nashville, TN., March 27-28.
- Prugl, E.** (2003, Feb. 25-Mar.1) Mainstreaming Gender in Agricultural Policy: The Case of Europe. Presented at the *International Studies Association* Annual Convention, Portland, OR.
- Prugl, E.** (2003, February). Gendering Institutions. Presented at ISA Workshop on "Feminist Methodologies for International Studies, Portland, OR.
- Rose, S.** (2003, March). Symposium on Lesbian Love and Relationships. Association for Women in Psychology, Jersey City, NJ.
- Van Den Bergh, N.** (2002, October). Bridging Gay Affirmative Practice with Cultural Competence: What Does It Mean, How Do You Teach It?. Presented at the Association of Baccalaureate Program Directors conference, Pittsburgh, PA.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Van Den Bergh, N. (2003, Feb.27-Mar.2). Bridging Chasms, Finding Common Ground: GLBT Faith-based Communities. Presented at the Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Atlanta, GA.

Van Den Bergh, N. (2003, April). Cultural Competence with GLBT Populations. NASW Florida Chapter Conference on Social Work Practice with Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgendered Clients. Ft. Lauderdale, FL.

Wilson, M. Southern Discomfort: Women's Activism in Tampa, 1880-1920. North American Labor History Conference, panel presentation on the relevance of Nancy Hewitt's book, and its relevance for Florida labor history and Florida union women.

Invited Addresses

Atchison-Nevel, J. (2002, November). Hindu Goddess, Honors College, FIU.

Barrett, L.

(2002, August). Plot Workshop, International Women's Writing Guild Annual Conference, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY.

(2002, August). Reading, International Women's Writing Guild Summer Conference, Skidmore College, Saratoga, NY.

(2002, October). FIU Creative Writing Program Anniversary Reading, FIU-Biscayne Bay Campus, N. Miami, FL.

(2002, Oct-Nov.). Moderator and participant. Sponsored by the MFA program. FIU. Seaside Writers Conference, 4 day workshop, plot, Seaside, FL.

(2002, November). Panel: The Art & Craft of Editing Anthologies, FIU-Biscayne Bay Campus, N. Miami.

(2002, November). Reading, Seaside Writers Conference, Seaside, FL.

(2002, December). Sweet Jesus, launch reading, Hollywood, FL.

(2003, April). Moderator & Participant, Panel, Presses in the Region, Gulf Coast Association of Creative Writing Teachers Conference, University of West Alabama, Fairhope, AL.

(2003, April). Reading, fiction, Gulf Coast Association of Creative Writing Teachers Conference, University of West Alabama, Fairhope, AL.

(2003, May). Lecture and Discussion, The New Literature of Parenting, Florida Center for the Book, Broward County Main Library.

Readings on Birth: A Literary Companion

(2002, November). Women's Studies Program, Barnes and Noble Booksellers UP, FIU.

(2002, November). Miami Book Fair International, Miami, FL.

(2002, November). Barnes & Noble bookstore, FIU-Biscayne Bay Campus

(2002, November). Borders, & Barnes & Noble Booksellers, Pittsburgh, PA.

(2002, December). Arts & Sciences Faculty Seminar, FIU-Biscayne Bay Campus, N. Miami.

(2002, December). Books & Books, Coral Gables, FL.

(2003, March). The Book Mark, Atlantic Beach, FL; Quail Ridge Booksellers, Raleigh, NC.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

- Gomez, A.** (2003, April). La locura de Juana de Castilla: Del Romanticismo al siglo XXI, Miami Dade Community College.
- Gudorf, C.** (2002, May). Gender Issues in Christianity: Tests and Interpretations, Satya Wacana University, Salatiga, Indonesia.
- Gudorf, C.** Comparing Islam and Christianity: The struggle for Gender Equity, Graduate Student Association, Gadjah Mada University, Yogyakarta, Indonesia.
- Gudorf, C.** (2002, May). Gender, Religion, and Culture: Interrelationships, Central Board, Pimpinan Pusat Aisyiyah (Women's Division of the Muhammadiyah Organization), Yogyakarta, Indonesia.
- Harrison, K.** Teaching for Success Series, Teaching for Learning Outcomes. Florida International University, Academy for the Art of Teaching.
- Rochelson, Meri Jane.** (2002, September). The Honors College: Welcome to the Real World, The Honors College Convocation.
- Rose, S. M.**
(2002, July). Colleges train students to press for equal wages, Kim Voss, Women's E-News, www.womensenews.org.
(2002, September). Some friends, indeed, do more harm than good, Mary Duenwald, New York Times, Science Section, p. 5, col. 2.
(2002, September). Strategic Career Planning for Women Engineers. Texas A & M University.
(2002, Sept.). Women's Studies Career and Curriculum Development Program. University of the Western Cape, Cape Town, South Africa.
(2002, September). Wage gap between women and men continues, Miami Herald, pp. 1B,5B.
(2002, October). Homophobic violence and social action research, Faculty Lunchtime Symposium, Gordon Policy Center, FIU.
(2002, November). Hate Crime Victimization, FIU in View, Cable Network TV.
(2003, March). Women, Institutions, and Leadership in Japan. Shibusawa Foundation, Tokyo, Japan.
(2003, April). Lesbian love and relationships, Derek and Romaine Show, Sirius Satellite Radio, New York, NY.
(2003, April). Women's Studies and Women's History, Miami-Dade Women's History Coalition, Coconut Grove Bank.
(2003, April). Women's Studies and Women's Status in Miami, City of Miami Commission on the Status of Women, Miami Riverside Center.
(2003, April). Getting Paid What You're Worth, Mentoring Program, FIU Women's Center.
(2003, April). Guest Lectures on Intimacy in Adolescence and Sexuality for Adolescent Psychology Class.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Weeks, Ophelia. Invited Speaker
Women As Leaders: Empowering The Next Generation
(How can we prepare our sons and daughters?).
Women in Public Life Conference, Hamilton, Bermuda.
Sponsored by the Government of Bermuda, October, 2002.
Also televised on BET Cable Television in Bermuda.



Ophelia Weeks

Editorial Boards

Gudorf, C. Referee, Journal of Feminist Studies in Religion.

Harrison, K. Editorial Board, Florida English Journal.

Rose, S. M.

Editorial Board Member

Sex Roles: A Journal of Research

Psychology of Women Quarterly

Journal of Lesbian Studies

Contemporary Perspectives on Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Issues

Ad hoc Reviewer

Journal of Child Clinical and Adolescent Psychology; Journal of Interpersonal Violence;

Women & Therapy; Personal Relationships

Grant Review Panel – Wayne Placek Research Award, American Psychological Association
Science Directorate, 1998-2003.

Van Den Bergh, N. Editorial Board Member, Journal of Baccalaureate Social Work.

Association of Baccalaureate Program Directors, 2000 to present.

National Service

Addy, D.

Race, Gender, Class Conference presentation, New Orleans, 10/18.

Southern School for Union Women, Lexington, KY, 7/7-7/11.

Addy D., and Wilson, M. Partnership exploration with other labor-related organizations such as
The Southern School for Union Women at University of Alabama.

Barrett, L.

Visiting Writer, teaching workshop: Dramatic Construction, Pittsburgh High School for
Creative and Performing Arts, Pittsburgh, PA, Nov. 18, 2002.

Leadership, Regional Professional Organization: President, Gulf Coast Association of
Creative Writing Teachers, 2001-2003.

Organized Annual Conference, April 2003, Univ. of South Alabama, Fairhope, AL.

Burns, K. H.

President, International Alliance for Women in Music (IAWM), 2001–2003.
Judge, ASCAP/SEAMUS Student Commission Competition, Fall 2002.
Manuscript Referee, *Computer Music Journal*, Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, Spring 2003.

Freeman, S.

Moderator and participant, e-mail forum on teaching women's history, Spring 2003,
forthcoming, *Journal of Women's History*.
Manuscript reviewer, *Journal of Women's History*, 2003
Textbook reviewer, Bedford/St. Martin's Press, 2003

Martin, K.

Chair, Committee on Ethics, American Anthropological Association, 2003.
Volunteer Consultant - Petra Tomas murder case, Maya in Exile community group, Lake
Worth.

Morcillo, A

Member, American Fellowships Awards Panel, Appointed by the Board of Directors of the
American Association University Women Educational Foundation, 2002-2003.
Nominating Committee candidate, Society of Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies.

Prugl, E.

Chair and discussant, ISA panel on Mapping the Global/Local Spaces of Feminist Activism:
Trade and Labor Issues.
Organized ISA (International Studies Association) panel on Gender and Globalization.
Co-organized EUSA (European Union Studies Association) panel on Feminist Approaches to
the European Union.

Rose, S. M.

Webmaster, Association for Women in Psychology, 2002-2004.
Program Chair, Association for Women in Psychology National Conference, 2005.

Salokar, R.

Elected Secretary, Women's Caucus of the Southern Political Science Association, November
2002.
Served on the Sophonisba Breckinridge Award Committee, which selects the best paper on
women and politics delivered at the Midwest Political Science Association's annual
meeting.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Van Den Bergh, N.

Council on Social Work Education, 1980 to present.
Abstract Review Committee for Annual Program Meeting: 1990 to present.
APM Regional Planning Committee, 2003.
National Association of Social Work, 1985 to present.
Employee Assistance Professionals Association, 2002 to present.
American Red Cross, Disaster Services Psychological Response Team, 1990 to present.

Wilson, M. Immigration through a gender lens, University of Miami, Nov. 2002.

University Service

Addy, D.

Diversity representative, FIU Access and Equity Committee
Sexual Harrassment Training.
Women's Center mentor meeting.

Alonso, I.

Member, Access and Equity Committee
Mentor, Women's Studies Center - Mentoring Partnership Program
Office of Career Services, participated in recruitment activities and in practical training for our majors in Economics
Academy for the Art of Teaching - liaison between the Department and the Academy for the course Teaching Economics.
CSWEP Representative, American Economic Association. Diversity Training Certificate

Atchison-Nevel, J. Website for Women and Religion class news and bulletin board for weekly discussions, www.nsev.org/WomenandReligion, 2003.

Belote, G.

Chair, University Title IX Committee
Access and Equity Committee
Athletic Council
Undergraduate Council
Women's Center Advisory Committee.

Burns, K. H. iNET Faculty Award for the development of online teaching materials, FIU, 2002.
Dean's Search Committee Member, College of Arts and Sciences, FIU School of Music, 2002–2003.

Curriculum design, Music Technology track for Bachelor of Music.
Musicology Search Committee Member, FIU School of Music, 2002–2003.
Curriculum Committee Member, FIU School of Music, 2002–2003.
Festival Committee Member, FIU, 2002–2003.
Faculty Advisor, Society of Composers, Inc.

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Damian, C.

Chair, Academic Arts Council
FIU-Miami Film Festival Director Search Committee
FIU-Miami Film Festival Advisory Board
Art in State Buildings – Director
State University New Media/Digital Arts Committee/Art Chair

Freeman, S.

Women's Studies Advisory Board, 2002-2003
Women's Studies Curriculum Committee, 2002- 2003
Women's Studies Self-Study Committee, 2002-2003
Advisor, Women's Studies Student Association, 2002- 2003

Morcillo, A. Director, Study Abroad Program, Gender and Women's Studies across Cultures.
Developed Memorandum of Understanding between the Women's Studies Center at FIU and the Instituto de Estudios de la Mujer at the Universidad de Granada to be signed on Summer 2003.

Pasztor, A.

Organization Committee, Association of Women in Science, FIU.
Director: SCS Women's Support Group. Organize meetings, study groups, and tutorials for female undergraduates.

Roca, A. Member, GLBT Concerns Committee, FIU.

Rose, S. M.

Member, Program Review Committee, Dept. of Political Science.
Elected Representative, Faculty Senate.
Member, Sabbatical Leave Committee.
Co-Chair, Arts, Culture and Diversity Team, FIU Millennium Planning Committee.
Chair, President's Advisory Committee on Women.
Member, Academic Advisory Council, The Wolfsonian-FIU.
Advisory Board Member, The Women's Center, Student Affairs Division.
Chair, Scott Fraser Scholarship Committee.
Judge, Annual Psi Chi Conference (Student Honors Association), Poster Presentations
Feminist Psychology presentation, Annual Psi Chi Conference, FIU.
Faculty Advisor for Making Waves (WS Student Conference Journal).

Wilson, M.

Chair, President's University-wide Access and Equity Committee

III. WOMEN'S STUDIES FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS CONTINUED

Community Service

Addy, D.

Non-Credit Classes:

- Alternatives to Violence Project, 1/24-26.
- Take Your Child to Work Day Conference, 4/24.
- NCCJ/gender program development, 10/24.

Barrett, L. Visiting Writer, Honors Literature, Miami Dade Community College, Wolfson Campus, Miami, FL, Nov. 25, 2002.

Belote, G. Board of Directors, Miami Gay and Lesbian Film Festival.

Freeman, S. Advisory Board, Stonewall Oral History Project, Fort Lauderdale, 2002-2003

Lifshitz, F.

- Public Lecture for Miami Intelligence, Women and Manuscripts in Medieval Europe, The Case of the Scribe Gunza, March 2003.
- Bi-Weekly Lectures, Women and Gender in World History, Hebrew Home for the Aged, Miami Beach.

Morcillo, A. Member, Global Advisory Board for Hope, Courage and Justice: A Global Mosaic of Women's Human Rights, a film project directed by renowned film maker Amy Serrano.

Rose, S. M.

- Member, Miami-Dade Women's Chamber of Commerce.
- Member, Miami Women's Fund.

Van Den Bergh, N.

- Board of Directors, Miami Dade County Chapter, Florida NASW, 2002 to present
- Miami Dade Critical Incident Stress Management Team, 2002 – present

Wilson, M. Board Member, Miami-Dade County Women's Fund

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