Program

Workshop “Challenges of Structural Injustice”

Friday, Nov 20, IASH Conference Room (LN-1106)

An event of the Transdisciplinary Area of Excellence Citizenship, Rights, and Cultural Belonging

9:30 - 10:30am  Anja Karnein (Binghamton), “The Problem of Structural Injustice”
11:35am - 11:50am  Coffee Break
11:50am - 12:50pm Lubna Chaudhry (Binghamton), “The Intersection of Direct Violence with Structural Violence: The Lives and Experiences of Pakistani Christians.”
12:50 – 2pm  Lunch
2 - 3pm Mara Marin (Frankfurt/Toronto), “What Domination Can and Cannot Do. Gender Oppression and the Limits of the Notion of Domination“
3:05 - 4:05pm Mattias Iser (Binghamton), “Structural Misrecognition?”
4:05 - 4.20pm  Coffee Break
4:20 - 5:20pm Serena Parekh (Boston), “The Global Refugee Regime as Structural Injustice”
5:25 - 6:25pm Bat-Ami Bar On (Binghamton), “Are Refugees Surplus Populations?”

Abstract:
The concept of structural injustice plays a prominent role in recent debates on the global economic order but also on sexism and racism. It promises to uncover the way in which injustices are deeply rooted in the constitution of social spheres and not reducible to individual acts of injustice. However, man-made structures are constituted by institutions, which, are perpetuated by individual and collective agents who are, in turn, fundamentally shaped by these institutions. The interdisciplinary workshop “Challenges of Structural Injustice” on November 20 will discuss the complex interplay of these dimensions with regard to economic, cultural, social and political structures.

Please register for this event asap, preferably by Monday, November 9, with Joy Tassey, jtassey@binghamton.edu, so that we can organize the catering for lunch.