Gender Budgeting and Care Economy in Muslim Societies
Summer School, 25th of June to the 4th of July 2008
Faculty of Agriculture and Horticulture
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany

Dekanatsaal, Invalidenstrasse 42, Berlin Mitte

The unit for Gender Research in Rural Areas
at the Chair of Gender & Globalization Faculty of Agriculture & Horticulture
in cooperation with boeker-consult
the Institute for Women, Gender and Development Studies
at Ahfad University for Women in Omdurman/Sudan,
the Free University of Berlin
as well as
the Centre for Multimedia Teaching and Learning at the Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

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Side Event
Monday to Tuesday 23rd – 24th of June
Sudan Conference
Evaluation and new Perspectives of our University Cooperation
The Ahfad-Humboldt-Link Programme (programme on request)

Monday 23rd of June
Public Lecture
18:15-20:00 Gender Inequality and the Agrarian Economy: Neglected and Hidden Facets
Bina Agarwal – Unter den Linden 6 – Hörsaal 3075

Tuesday 24th of June
11:00 – 16:00 Round Table Discussion at the Heinrich Böll Foundation (closed session)

Beginning of the official Summer School Programme:
Gender Budgeting and Care Economy in Muslim Societies

Wednesday 25th of June
16:00 Registration at Invalidenstrasse 42

18:00 Welcoming by Christine Bauhardt
Chair of Gender & Globalization
Short introduction of the participants
Parto Teherani-Krönner
Buffet & Networking

Thursday 26th of June
Morning Session
9:30 Welcoming by the Dean of the Faculty for Agriculture and Horticulture
Otto Kaufmann

9:45 Welcoming by the Office of International Affairs
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
Summer Schools at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin
Ursula Hans (to be confirmed)

10:00 Introduction to the summer school programme 2008
Parto Teherani-Krönner – Gülay Caglar

10:30 Gender Budgeting – concept for the next days
Marion Böker (boeker-consult)
11:00    Coffee break
11:30    Gender Budgeting - Introduction I
         History of the idea of Gender Budgeting – NGOs as stakeholders -
         Marion Böker
12:00    Lunch break

Afternoon Session
13:30    The framework of international (human rights) law and of economic theory – The
         objectives: Gender Equality and Equal economical burden sharing and participation
         Marion Böker,
         Discussion – Exchange of experiences - Theses and questions
15:30    Break
16:00    Introduction II - Ownership of public expenditures: Best practice and regional,
         international and local networking
         Marion Böker
         Discussion – Exchange of experiences- Further questions
18:00    Public lecture
         Mainstreaming gender in the postmodern state: rural development in Bavaria and
         Saxony-Anhalt
         Elisabeth Prügl (USA)  - Bebelplatz 1, room E 42

Friday 27th June
Morning session
9:00     Concept of Workshops by Marion Böker
         What do we know about, what do we expect from national or local community
         budgets? Can budget empower women? What first experience do we have with
         reaching out for the budget discussion and decision?
11:00    Break
11:30    Collecting first results:
         Result documentation will be the same in all work groups – Three leading questions-
         Experiences and need based inputs by participants - Each work group has an
         external moderator and will chose a rapporteur from within the group of participants
         Work groups will be moderated by
         1. Brigitte Wörteler
         2. Norani Othman
         3. Marion Böker
         4. Widad Ali
13:00    Lunch break

Afternoon session
14:30    Presentation of workshop results by rapporteurs
         Implementing gender budgeting - Conclusions and results
         Marion Böker
16:00    Break
17:00    Public lecture
         Looking at Islamic law ‘ojratol mels’ or a Contribution to Care Economy
         Baronesse Haleh Afshar

Saturday 28th of June
10:00    Optional: Guided Tour: Women’s History in the City of Berlin

Sunday 29th of June
18:30    Optional: Evening informal meeting
Monday 30th of June

Morning Session

9:30  Meeting with Klaus Feiler, Chair of the Berlin Land Gender Budgeting steering group, Ministry for Finances Berlin & Ute Weinmann, Head of Gender Mainstreaming and Budgeting coordination unit Land Berlin, Ministry for Economy, Innovation and Women

Lunch at “Cum Laude” with the “Initiative for gender justice in the Budget of Berlin” and “Big Budget” (NGOs)

Afternoon Session

14:30  Theories of Economy - Theory of engendered budgets: How to include women’s double economical share & burden into the economy and practice of budgetary processes

Gülay Caglar

16:00-17:30  Care Economy – The Budget and the burden sharing - Towards a vision

Gülay Caglar & Marion Böker

Discussion – exchange of experiences - further questions

Tuesday 1st of July

Morning Session

9:00  An Introduction to Gender Responsive Budgeting in Afghanistan

Abdul Rezique Samadi, Deputy Minister for Finance (Afghanistan) & Palwasha Kakar, Deputy Minister of Admin./Finance (Afghanistan)

10:30  Break

11:00-  Gender Budgeting in India

Pam Rajput (India)

12:30  Lunch break

Afternoon Session

14:00-16:30  Capacity Building – Creating your own Practice

Workshop with Pam Rajput

17:00-18:30  Public lecture

Engendering Economy in Society and Culture

Gudrun Lachenmann

Wednesday 2nd of July

Morning Session

9:30  The new family law and gender responsive budget in Morocco

Hind Jalal, Ministry of Finance (Morocco)

10:30  Debating the scope of action for gender budgeting in different regions and countries - Is there anything specific about Islamic societies?

Chair: Martina Padmanabhan

Gender Politics and Experiences in Morocco, Egypt and Sudan

Success stories and failures

Choosing a regional representative for the networking activities

Panel 1  Case studies in Africa: Widad Ali (responsible) with guests from Sudan, Egypt, Morocco and others

Panel 2  Case studies in Asia: Nasrin Mosaffa/Iran (responsible) with guests from Turkey, Azerbaijan, Iran, Malaysia

Panel 3  Case studies in other European countries: n.n.

12:30  Success stories and failures in different countries - open discussion

Moderator: Gudrun Lachenmann

13:30  Lunch break
Afternoon Session
14:30 – 16:30  Networking facilities at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin / ZtG (PC-Pool)
e-learning: MOODLE & wiki: Brigitte Wörteler & Sandra Stoll - or
Meeting: Weiberwirtschaft - Centre for Women Entrepreneurs
Claudia Neusüß (to be confirmed)
17:00  Sommer festivity of the Faculty in Philippstr. 13

Thursday 3rd July
Morning session
9:30  Choosing Partner Countries to Develop a Comparative Study on Gender Budgeting:
South Africa – Morocco - Germany – Berlin - India
11:00  Break
11:30-13:00  Contributions and Questions from Participants – Summary and conclusions

Afternoon session
15:00  Care Economy and Gender Budgeting – How to learn from each other
Diane Elson
18:30  Boat tour in the Berlin channels (optional)

Friday 4th July
Morning session
9:30 – 11:00  Moderator: Diane Elson and Parto Teherani-Krönner
Round Table Discussion – Results of the Working Groups
How to network in future?
Representatives of the working groups together with representatives of different
countries, universities and NGOs: Sudan, Iran, Malaysia, Morocco, India, Turkey,
Azerbaijan, Cyprus etc. as well as the Universities of HU, FU, TU, Potsdam,
Bielefeld,
Recommendations and suggestions for the future of networking for gender budgeting
11:00  Break
11:30  Round Table Discussion – Planning for the Future
Chair: Parto Teherani-Krönner, Gülay Caglar and Marion Böker
Evaluation of the conference and recommendations for the next meeting.
How to use the networking facilities for curriculum development?
How to organize comparative studies on gender budgeting?
How to train administrative staff and civil society actors?
12:30  Press conference
Discussion with representatives from different organisations, countries and actors in
Germany / members of the parliament, NGOs, press and other organizations involved
in issues of gender research and teaching
13.30  Lunch break

Afternoon Session
Optional: sight seeing

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Participant’s fee depends on the sight seeing programme for guests from Asia and Africa;
Other participants will pay 50,00 €, university members only 25,00 €, students have free access but are asked to contact us in advance.