## VISITING SPEAKERS in WOMEN'S STUDIES

## April 1987

## Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies, A Committee of the Vice-President (Academic)

Gayle James, Chairwoman, National Council on Welfare
Gayle Dreaver, Edmonton Social Planning Council
Olenka Melnyk, Researcher and writer
Women and Poverty
Thursday, April 2
7:30 p.m. Humanities Centre, L-1
Contact: Women's Program and Resource Centre, Faculty of Extension (432-3093)

Kathleen Shannon Executive Producer, National Film Board's Studio D Women and Film Screening of Love Affair with Politics, discussion to follow Friday, April 3 12:00 p.m. Education North, 2-101 Contact: Women's Program and Resource Centre, Faculty of Extension (432-3093)

Annual Conference of the Canadian Association of African Studies Theme: Crisis, Culture and Development in Africa May 7 - 9 Contact: Ann McDougall, Department of History (432-5420, 439-9988) The conference will feature many lectures on various aspects of women's lives in Africa. For more information on program details, contact Ann McDougall.

March 17, 1987

David May Office of Public Affairs 423 Athabasca Hall

Leslie Stewart Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies 11019 90 Avenue (3093)

Diane McLaren suggested I contact you regarding the Canadian Association of African Studies '87 conference at the end of April. Specifically, Diane suggested that certain sessions of the conference might be appropriate for inclusion in the "Visiting Speakers in Women's Studies" calendar.

I have enclosed a copy of the March calendar to give you an indication of the type of information that I would need. If you would like any of the conference speakers listed in the calendar, please contact me by March 25. Thank you.

> Other names Arane gave me to contact re: conference: Steven Arnold (Assoc. Dean, Grad Straches) Dean ETOTSE Murray (Home Ec)

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Dr. Ursula Franklin Department of Metallurgy and Materials Science, University of Toronto Complexity and Context: Looking Into the Future of Scientific Enquiries Monday, March 2 4:00 p.m. Humanities Centre, L-4 Contact: Leslie Stewart, Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies (432-3093)

Department of English Discussion Series: Reading Feminist Texts Together Discussant: Professor Jo-Ann Wallace Department of English, University of Alberta Texts: Peggy Kamuf, "Replacing Feminist Criticism", and Nancy K. Miller, "The Text's Heroine: A Feminist Critic and Her Fictions", both in <u>Diacritics</u>, 12 (Summer 1982), 42-53. Monday, March 2 4:00 p.m. Humanities Centre, 5-20

Contact: Professor Shirley Neuman, Department of English (432-2180)

Department of English Discussion Series: Reading Feminist Texts Together Discussant: Professor Bridget Elliott Department of Art and Design, University of Alberta Text: Griselda Pollock and Rozsika Parker, Old Mistresses: Women, Art, and Ideology Wednesday, March 4 4:00 p.m. Humanities Centre, 5-20 Contact: Professor Shirley Neuman, Department of English (432-2180)

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Dr. Ursula Franklin Department of Metallurgy and Materials Science, University of Toronto Complexity and Context: Looking Into the Future of the Women's Movement Thursday, March 5 4:00 p.m. Humanities Centre, L-1 Contact: Leslie Stewart, Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies (432-3093) Professor Gerd von der Lippe Telemark Distriktschogskole, Norway The Committee for Women in the Norwegian Confederation of Sports: Then and Now Monday, March 9 1:00 p.m. Van Vliet Centre, E-436 Contact: Ann Hall, Physical Education and Sport Studies (432-2831)

Professor Gertrud Pfister Freie Universitat, Berlin Women in Sport in Germany: Historical and Present Perspectives Tuesday, March 10 2:00 p.m. Van Vliet Centre, E-436 Contact: Ann Hall, Physical Education and Sport Studies (432-2831)

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#### READING FEMINIST TEXTS TOGETHER: A DISCUSSION SERIES

The Department of English is hosting an interdisciplinary series of five seminars, each devoted to discussing particular texts which use and extend feminist insights. Each seminar will feature a discussion leader who will give a brief talk about the relation of the text to the activities of her discipline; the larger part of each seminar will be given to discussion from the floor about the text in question.

Texts will be on reserve in Cameron Library from mid-January; during the month of January, they will also be arriving in the bookstore where they will be shelved in the Women's Studies Section.

For further information, please contact Professor Shirley Neuman, Dept. of English, 3-75 Humanities Center, Ph. 432-2180.

#### All seminars will be held in Humanities Center 5-20.

Tuesday, February 24, 3:30 p.m. TEXT: Nancy Cott, <u>The</u> <u>Bonds of Womanhood</u> DISCUSSANT: Professor Pat Prestwich, Dept. of History

Thursday, February 26, 3:30 p.m. TEXT: Phyllis Trible, Texts of Terror: Literary-Feminist Readings of Biblical Narratives DISCUSSANT: Professor Patricia Demers, Dept. of English

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#### **Inter-departmental Correspondence**

University of Alberta

Leslie Stewart



to:

date: January 30, 1987

our file:

your file:

from: Ann Hall Physical Education and Sport Studies

Coordinating Committee on

Women's Studies

subject:

Please include the following lectures in your "Visiting Speakers in Women's Studies" announcement:

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February 19871

Advisory/Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies

Heather Ratsoy, Daycare Society of Alberta Barbara Sykes, Canadian Daycare Advocacy Association and Edmonton Coalition for Quality Childcare Karin Goldberg, Parent Quality Daycare in Alberta Tuesday, February 3 7:30 p.m. Humanities Centre, L-1 Contact: Women's Program and Resource Centre (432-3093). Childcare available on site.

Margaret Midgley Department of Philosophy, Newcastle-upon-Tyne On campus February 5 & 6 Contact: Marg Van de Pitte, Philosophy Department

Professor R.C. Elwood Chair, Department of History, Carleton University Inessa Armand - The Bolshevik Feminist Monday, February 9 2:00 p.m. Tory basement-45 Contact: Dr. T. Yedlin, Department of Slavic & E. European Studies (432-3230)

Professor Mary Lynn Stewart
Department of History, Simon Fraser University
Protection, Paternalism and Patriarchy: Sex Specific Legislation in France 1892 - 1915
Thursday, February 12
3:30 p.m. Tory 2-58
Contact: Dr. Pat Prestwich, Department of History (432-2238)

Dr. Murray Straus Director, Family Research Laboratory, University of New Hampshire Public Forum on Family Violence Saturday, February 14 (all day seminar) Law Centre Room 237

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Edmonton Committee on Child Abuse and Neglect

1:30 p.m. Family Violence: An Alberta Perspective

Responses from several groups including the Alberta Council of Women's Shelters and Positive Action Against Pornography

Dr. Straus will be on campus from February 12 - 15, and will be giving other lectures on family violence as well.

Contact: Ilza Hobin, Centre for Criminology, Department of Sociology (432-4659)

Dr. Ursula Franklin

Department of Metallurgy and Materials Science, University of Toronto A Feminist Critique of Peace Research Monday, February 23 7:30 p.m. Humanities Centre, L-1 Contact: Women's Program and Resource Centre, Faculty of Extension (432-3093) Leslie Stewart, Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies (432-3093)

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Leslie Stewart, Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies (432-3093)

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Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies

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Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies, University of Calgary
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Department of Metallurgy and Materials Science, University of Toronto

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University of Alberta



to: Leslie Stewart date: January 9, 1987
 Administrative Coordinator Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies our file:
 from: Dr. T. Yedlin your file:
 Slavic & E. European Studies

subject: Visiting Speakers Calendar of Events

Thank you for your memo of December 5, 1986. The following lectures may be of interest to you for inclusion in the monthly calendar of events:

- Professor Nicholas G. Žekulin of the Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies, University of Calgary will give a lecture on "Contemporary Soviet Women's Literature" on Monday, January 26, 1987 at 3:30 p.m. in 776 General Services Building.
- 2) Professor R.C. Elwood, Chairman, Department of History, Carleton University, Ottawa, will give a lecture on "Inessa Armand - The Bolshevik Feminist" on Monday, February 9, 1987 at 2:00 p.m. (Place to be arranged)

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date: December 11, 1986 to: Leslie Stewart, Administrative Coordinator our file: Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies your file: from: Dr. Dianne K. Kieren, Department of Family Studies

subject: Re: Visiting speakers calendar of events

Dr. Murray Straus from the University of New Hampshire will be on campus in the departments of Sociology and Family Studies and will give an all day seminar sponsored by the Centre for Criminology (Soc.) on the topic of Family Violence. While not directly related to women's studies his was the initial work that opened up the research area on Family Violence. Dates: February 12 - 15. Dr. Jim Hackler in Sociology or Dr. Les Kennedy in Sociology can provide details.

I will be on leave next term.

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- Also, phone Pat Pre-trich re greaken the hair coming in in February 2238 433-3673

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Leslie Stewart

date: December 5, 1986

our file:

your file:

from: Administrative Coordinator Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies (3093)

<sup>subject:</sup> Visiting speakers calendar of events

The Coordinating Committee on Women's Studies would like to begin compiling and distributing a monthly calendar of events which would list all visiting speakers who lecture in the subject area of women's studies. Starting in January, the list will be compiled monthly and sent out to interested persons at the beginning of each month. Please contact me by the end of December (and each successive month), if you have a speaker who you would like to see listed on the calendar.

Also, please contact me if you know of someone else who should receive this memo. Thank you.

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