



Institute of Asian and Oriental Studies – Gender Studies



Concepts that Matter! Terminologies of Women and Gender in Transnational Perspective

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During the last decades, terminologies of women and gender have been travelling back and forth across different academic as well as non-academic institutional settings on a global scale. However, concepts and terminologies of women and gender have been and continue to be contested. They are differently configured, understood and employed with different effects according to the respective circumstances and social fields involved. The aim of this workshop is to look specifically at the critical potential of concepts and theories in research in and on the Arab region. How do we deal with the complex “social life” of existing terminologies of women and gender in the Arab region and beyond? How do we define and configure concepts in order to make productive use of them in our respective fields of research?

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