2021 Chair and Director Meeting

WGSS Moving Forward: Lessons Learned During the Pandemic Year

March 19 and March 26

(Please note that times are listed as EST)

Join Zoom Meeting
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Meeting ID: 852 9962 6584
Passcode: 079175

Friday March 19th

11:30am – Welcome from Kaye Wise Whitehead, President NWSA

11:30 - 12:20 – Keynote (plus Q & A): Lisa Levenstein: *Organizing Around COVID-19: Care Work and the New Deal for Higher Education*

12:20 - 12:30 - Short Break

12:30 - 1:15 - *Breakout Rooms on Campus COVID-19 Responses*
* Note: Attendees should be prepared to discuss how their department/college/university has (or has not) responded to the pandemic and to their department’s changing needs due to COVID.

1:15 - 1:30 - Short Break

1:30 - 2:00 - *Breakout Rooms: “What Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Programs Need.”*
*Note: Attendees will work to help brainstorm ideas for the upcoming “What Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies Programs Need” section of the NWSA website.

2:00 - 2:30 - Large Group Debrief
**Friday March 26th**

11:30am – Welcome from Kaye Wise Whitehead, President NWSA

11:35 - 12:20 – Keynote (plus Q & A): Ash Stephens: *Defunding Police on College Campuses: Current Organizing and Future Possibilities*

12:20 - 12:30 - Short Break

12:30 - 1:15: *Breakout rooms on Anti-Racist Work in Departments/Colleges/Universities*

*Note: Attendees should be prepared to share the work they are doing in their departments and on their campuses around anti-racist pedagogy and program development.*

1:15 - 1:30 - Short Break

1:30 - 2:00: *Breakout Rooms on Tenure and Promotion Guidelines*

*Note: Attendees will work on updating NWSA’s advice on Tenure and Promotion Guidelines in Women’s Studies, to be housed on the NWSA website. This work was started last year at the 2020 Chair and Director Meeting then paused because of COVID.*

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