

Who Cares in Europe? Florence meeting, 2-3 April

Programme

Thursday 2 April

9h-9h30 Coffee at coffee bar

9h30-10h30 Core Group meeting Next year's budget; meetings (when & where)

10h30-11h Coffee in the Cortile

11h-12h MC Meeting

12h-13h30 Lunch in the Mensa

13h30-18h30 Parallel sessions

13h30-15h30 Global Care Chains (Aucante & Capuano)

Will include the Paper proposed by Johanna Annola: 'The Experiences of the "Indoor Poor"'. (Very) short description: The paper is an overview of my ongoing research project on the spiritual and bodily experiences of workhouse/poorhouse inmates in England and Finland, 1860s–1920s. The emphasis is on the research setting as well as on the existing studies of the experiences of the poor.

13h30-15h30 Gender and Mixed Economies of Welfare (Avdela & Matter) - brainstorming session

13h30-15h30 Special issue piloted by WG 1: Working mothers, population policies/politics and the limits of expertise

13h30-15h30 Special issue piloted by WG 1: Dependent family members in contemporary Europe

15h30-16h Coffee break in the cortile

16h-18h30 Parallel sessions resume

Global Care Chains Part 2

Gender and mixed economy, Part 2

This second session will include a paper proposed by Jakub on mixed economies of welfare, as it has a clear gender dimension:

2. Jakub Rakosnik: Paper's title: Mixed Economy of Child Care within the Framework of Austrian Welfare Regime (cca 1890 - 1950) with Respect to Nationalist Conflict in the Bohemian Lands.

Working mothers, Part 2

Dependent Family members, Part 2

20h dinner downtown

Friday 3 April

Coffee in the Cortile 9h30

Parallel sessions 10h-12h30

Training session for ECRs “How to publish an article”, convened by Karolina Lendák-Kabok and Laura Downs

WG4 will launch a transversal project on social welfare and minority rights in Europe. Karolina Lendák-Kabók and Hanna Lindberg are taking the lead on this one

Pirjo Markkola and Dominika Gruziel propose a transnational and transreligions project on Catholic and Protestant nurses and social workers (could easily be expanded to include Orthodox and Muslim nurses as well). This would probably be a brainstorming session of 2-4 hours.

Paul Ginsborg proposes a brainstorming session of 2-4 hours for a special issue on the triadic approach and its most distinctive aspect, namely, the emphasis on families as active co-constructors of social welfare. The special issue will include at least one essay, authored by Paul, tracing the intellectual history of the concept

WG3 The International Council of Women and its national councils of women, 1888-1939. Coordinator: Anne Cova.

The International Council of Women (ICW) was created in Washington DC in 1888 ‘to stimulate the sentiment of internationalism among women throughout the world’. Although the growth of the ICW was impressive – in 1939, thirty-six councils were affiliated to the ICW – it took many years for it to spread to other countries. Joining the ICW meant belonging to a movement that crossed national boundaries, and which gave strength and legitimacy to each national council of women, whose aim was to gather the maximum number of women’s associations.

For WG3’s 1 April meeting, Anne Cova has organized a preliminary session presenting states of the art in connection to the ICW project

Angela Cenaarro and Immaculada Blasco will present a paper on 'Spanish women in international networks and institutions: the cases of Falange and Catholic women's organizations' and Diana Margarit on “Meta-narratives of feminist studies in Romania”. Anne Cova will do a state of the art related to her current research for a transnational gender history of the national councils of women in Southern Europe and Latin America, 1900-1939.

Patricia Clavin will comment on this session.

Anne’s ICW project will then hold at least 2, perhaps 4 hours of brainstorming and workshopping with interested members from across our Action.

Other WG3 possibilities include: *The Origins of Organized Intersectional Activism*: Coordinator: Marco van Leeuwen

OR The impact of WW1, WW2 (and maybe the Cold War) on NGO's and INGOs working in the field of social protection. Coordinator: Marco van Leeuwen

And Refugees, migrants and displaced persons: Coordinator: Aniko Bernat

Lunch in the Mensa 12h30-14h

Parallel sessions resume 14h-16h

Coffee in the Cortile 16h-16h30

16h30-18h Concluding session (reports from all projects and discussion; looking forward to fall 2020/spring 2121 meetings and activities)

20h Dinner downtown