CONTRACEPTION & GENRE
Laboratoire junior

Gender and contraception: what kind of (r)evolutions?

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To celebrate the 50th anniversary of the legalization of contraception in France (Neuwirth Law, December 19th, 1967), the members of the Junior Lab Contraception&Genre (Cité du Genre, HALL USPC) have organized, in partnership with the National Institute for Demographic Studies (Ined), an international conference entitled “Gender and contraception: what kind of (r)evolutions?”.

This event aims to explore the “(r)evolutions” that the diffusion of contraception in the world has generated. It also intends to acknowledge the renewal of research on contraception and abortion through the integration of a gender perspective. The material and legal access to methods and knowledge on fertility control might have led to changes in power relations in different social spheres. Considering contraception today leads us to, among other things, questioning representations of procreative autonomy and gender equality. The intent of this conference is thus to review the current state of knowledge on this topic and to open new research fields on multiple issues related to contraception, in a gender perspective and by taking into account the intersection of different systems of power (based on social class, race, age, disability).

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Parallel sessions of Monday, 18th

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Session 1 Salle de conférence, 56 rue Jacob, ground floor
GOVERNING BIRTH CONTROL – HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVES
Simultaneous translation English/French
Chair: Mona Ciaro and Cyrille Jean
1. Political, economic and health issues around condom in Japan (1930-1970) (in French) - Isabelle Konuma (Inalco, France)
2. Evolutions of birth control in USSR and Russia since 1920: Political, institutional and demographic aspects (in French) - Inna Tritskaya (University of Moscow, Russia) and Alexandre Andreyev (University Paris 1, France)
3. “On the Perimeter of the Lawful”: Enduring illegality in the Irish Family Planning Movement (1972-1985) - Emily Cloare (Kent Law School, United Kingdom) and Mairead Enright (Birmingham Law School, United Kingdom)
4. Doctors and feminists, alliances and differences in the fight for family planning during late Francoism and the transition to democracy in Spain - Teresa Ortiz Gómez (University of Granada, Spain)
5. State-directed family planning? Hormonal contraceptives in Eastern Germany - Christian König (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany)

Session 2 Salle Jean Monnet, 56 rue Jacob, ground floor
CONTRACEPTIVE AND ABORTIVE TRAJECTORIES
Session in English and French (no translation)
Chair: Julie Ancian
1. Behind prejudices... Representations of birth control means and contraceptive trajectories of women who resorted to abortion more than once in France and in Quebec (in French) - Marie Mathieu (Crespa-CSU, IREF-UQAM, France)
2. Abortion, class, and ‘responsibility’ in neoliberal times: a life-history study with women who have had abortions in England - Gillian Love (University of Sussex, United Kingdom)
3. Choosing the pill for occasional heterosexual intercourse. The case of young Latin-American migrants to Switzerland (in French) - Myrian Carbajal (University of Applied Sciences and Arts Western Switzerland, School of Social Work Fribourg, Switzerland)
4. Contraceptive practices of migrant women from sub-Saharan African countries in France - Barbara Maraux (Ceped, EDSP, France)
5. Collecting data on sexual and reproductive health with migrant women housed in social hotels: what is at stake? (in French) - Lorraine Poncet (University Paris Sud, Iris, France) and Amélie Andro (University Paris 1, Iris, France)

Session 3 Salle H402, 28 rue des Saints Pères, 3rd floor
(IL)LEGITIMACIES OF CONTRACEPTION
Session in French (no translation)
Chair: Yalée Ansellém Mainguy
1. The social life of the pill in Brazil: the beginning - Claudia Bonan (IFF, Fiocruz, Brazil), Tanis Dias (IFF, Fiocruz, Brazil), Andreza Nakano (IOC, Fiocruz, Brazil) and Luiz Teixeira (IOC, Fiocruz, Brazil)
2. Contraception: Why so much hatred? (in French) - Janine Mossuz-Lavau (CEVIPOF, France)
3. Political stakes of contraception in Switzerland (in French) - Mathilde Schnegg (University of Geneva, Switzerland)
4. «Refund!» The illusory open access to contraceptive methods (in French) - Lisa Carayon (University Paris 13, Iris, France)
5. Contraceptive market in Ivory Coast: between formal and informal practices (in French) - Kira Valérie Kofti (University Jean Lorrignon Guédé of Daloa, Ivory Coast) and Sainte Sébastienne Aya Kouassi (Ivorian Center for Economic and Social Research, Ivory Coast)

16.45 - 18.30

Session 4 Salle de conférence, 56 rue Jacob, ground floor
GLOBAL POLITICS OF CONTRACEPTION
Simultaneous translation French/English
Chair: Rachel Scott (Department of Population Health, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, United Kingdom)
1. Gender and contraception as international political issues: the ebb and flow of women’s rights in the complex setting of the United Nations (in French) - Marguerite Barnwarth (Equilibres & Populations, France)
2. Overshadowed by the Pill - The development of male contraceptive technologies from a gender and a post-colonial perspective - Miriam Klemm (Technische Universität Berlin, Germany)
3. Testing the IUD around the world: 10 years in the life of a Population Council consultant (1966-1976) - Nicole Bourgonnais (Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Switzerland)

Session 5 Salle Jean Monnet, 56 rue Jacob, ground floor
ACTIVISM FOR A REPRODUCTIVE AUTONOMY
Session in French (no translation)
Moderation: Bibia Pavard
1. Practicing contraceptive and abortive autonomy today? Unthinkable contemporary practices of ‘self-help’ (in French) - Lucie Quéré (University of Lausanne, Switzerland)
2. “Contraception all right, but Abortion first!”? Elements and limits of a counter-model of birth control (French Movements for the Liberation of Abortion and Contraception and self-help, 1973-1984) (in French) - Lucile Ruault (Ceraps, University of Lille, France)
3. Local activism for free contraception and abortion: the case of Toulousian fights during the 1970’s (in French) - Justine Zeller (Framespa, University of Toulouse Jean Jaurès, France)

Session 6 Salle H402, 28 rue des Saints Pères, 3rd floor
PROVIDING ACCESS TO MALE CONTRACEPTION IN FRANCE: AN ISSUE FOR GENDER EQUALITY?
Session in French (no translation)
Chair: Cécile Ventola
Round table - Pierre Colin, Daniel Aptekier and Aurélien Legal (Ardecom, France)
Véronique Sthier, Lydie Poreé and Camille Mallevial (Le Planning Familial, France)
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