

PRESENTED BY THE "DOING QUEER STUDIES NOW" RACKHAM INTERDISCIPLINARY WORKSHOP
IN ASSOCIATION WITH THE INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH ON WOMEN AND GENDER

DOING QUEER STUDIES NOW

A GRADUATE CONFERENCE | OCTOBER 21 - 23, 2010

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FEATURING SPECIAL GUESTS: PAUL AMAR Global Studies, Feminists Studies & Sociology, UCSB ADAM GREEN Sociology, U. of Toronto
JOON LEE English, Rhode Island School of Design HEATHER LOVE English, U. of Pennsylvania

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21

5:30 PM - 9 PM: OPENING PLENARY & RECEPTION

"Doing Queer Studies Now... And Then"

Welcome from Nadine Hubbs

Featuring: Ross Chambers, David Halperin, Esther Newton, Gayle Rubin, and Valerie Traub

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

10 AM - 12 PM: PANEL SESSION #1

Panel 1-A: Lesbian History & Politics

Panel 1-B: Difficult Desire

1 PM - 3 PM: PANEL SESSION #2

Panel 2-A: Queer Spaces

Panel 2-B: Queers and Legislation

Panel 2-C: Media / Communication

3:15 PM - 5:15 PM: MODERATED DISCUSSIONS

Session A: Heather Love, "Close But Not Deep: Ethics and the Descriptive Turn"

Session B: Paul Amar, "Cairo's Natasha Wars and Harasser Invasions: Theorizing the Security State by Mapping the Securitization of Urban Sexualities"

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM: PANEL SESSION #3

Panel 3-A: Sex and Social Structures

Panel 3-B: Violence

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

10 AM - 12 PM: PANEL SESSION #4

Panel 4-A: Security and Neoliberalism

Panel 4-B: Queer Genres

1 PM - 3 PM: PANEL SESSION #5

Panel 5-A: Queer New Media Studies

Panel 5-B: Global Queer Identities & Communities

Panel 5-C: Queer Performances & Spectatorship

3:15 PM - 5:15 PM: MODERATED DISCUSSIONS

Session C: Joon Lee, "The Joy of the Castrated Boy"

Session D: Adam Green, "Queer Theory and Sociology: Locating the Subject and Self in Sexuality Studies"

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM: PANEL SESSION #6

Panel 6-A: Past, Present and Future

Panel 6-B: Practices of Resistance

8 PM - LATE: PARTY AT AUT BAR

Featuring DJ Gayle Rubin Spinning from the Archives of Danceology

ALL EVENTS WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE RACKHAM BUILDING, 4TH FLOOR AMPITHEATRE AND CONFERENCE ROOMS

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