

zentrum gender studies



Gender and Critical Race Studies

Seminar Series with Philomena Essed 7th October, 18th November, 24th and 25th November, 9th December 2020, 7-9pm

In this fall semester 2020 Philomena Essed will be the visiting professor of the PhD program Gender Studies CH. Philomena Essed is professor of Critical Race, Gender and Leadership Studies at Antioch University's Graduate School of Leadership and Change and an affiliated researcher for Utrecht University's Graduate Gender program. Her research and teaching transcends national, cultural and disciplinary boundaries. Well known for introducing the concepts of everyday racism and gendered racism in the Netherlands and internationally, she also pioneered in developing theory on what she has called social and cultural cloning.

The purpose of this seminar is to discuss ways in which critical thinking about gender, race-ethnicity and racism can inform scholarly research. Although gender and race are primary lenses in the seminar series, the larger context are all forms of systemic injustices. The first session focuses of conceptual development in doing race and gender critical research and its relation to personal experiences and value systems.

7 October: gender and race critical research: the conceptual and the personal

18 November: everyday (gendered) racism as area of research

24 and 25 November: presenting your own research

9 December: Research, society, responsibility and change agency

Please sign in until the 22th September 2020.