

Gendering Fascism

Organisations, Bodies, Representations

Online workshop organised by Andrea Germer and Jasmin Rückert
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Day 1 / 11 November 2021 / Central European Time

14:00 – 14:30 Introduction

14:30 – 16:00 Women in Fascist Organisations

14:30 – 15:00 *Izabela Mrzygłód*
'A Strong Type of Polish Woman'. Gender Relations in the Polish National-Radical Movement in the 1930s. (POLAND)

15:00 – 15:30 *Toni Morant*
The Falange's Sección Femenina. Women in Spanish Fascism (SPAIN)

15:30 – 16:00 *Dagmar Wernitznig*
Of Swastika Sisters and Chocolate Girls: Gender and Fascism in Southern Austria During the Early Twentieth Century (GERMANY /AUSTRIA)

16:00 – 16:30 Break

16:30 – 18:30 Individual Promoters of Fascism

16:30 – 17:00 *Tatsuya Kageki*
Koizumi Kikue, a Perfect Women's Fascist: From Manchu Girl to the East Asia League Women's Movement (JAPAN)

17:00 – 17:30 *Hanna-Leena Paloposki*
Fascist Italy, Gender and Art Exhibitions Abroad: Italian Women Artists in Finland and Estonia in 1937 (ITALY/Transnational)

17:30 – 18:00 Break

18:00 – 18:30 *Brian J Griffith*
Pro-fascist Propaganda Campaigns of a non-Italian American Woman by the Name of Ruth Williams Ricci. (ITALY/USA)

Day 2 / 12 November 2021 / Central European Time

14:00 – 16:00 **Fascist Bodies: Health, Eugenics, Disease**

- 14:00 – 14:30 *Akane Meguro*
Women's Bodies and Eugenics in 1930s Japan: The Role of the Female Medical Doctor Takeuchi Shigeyo (JAPAN)
- 14:30 – 15:00 *Nicolas Schillinger*
The Muscular Chinese – Masculinity, Male Bodies and Fascist Fantasies in Republican China (1930s-40s) (CHINA)
- 15:00 – 15:30 *Ryan Anningson*
The Mother of Criminals: Gender, Fascism, and Sterilization in the United States, 1877-1945 (USA)
- 15:30 – 16:00 Break

16:00 – 17:30 **Fascism and Mediation/Representation**

- 16:00 – 16:30 *Lorenzo Santoro*
Oxymoric Women Figures in Fascist Italy. A Structural-functional Approach (ITALY)
- 16:30 – 17:00 *Frauke Kempka*
Displaying Asexual Masculinity at the Yûshûkan (JAPAN)
- 17:00 – 17:30 *Caroline Waldron*
From Fascism's Feminine Side to Antifascist Feminism: An Analysis of Lisa Sergio and How Women Translated the Regime (ITALY)
- 17:30 – 18:00 Reflections & Discussion