

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
"WOMEN AND WAR: AN INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE"

17/10/2011 - 20/10/2011

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Monday Morning 17/10/11

02 Tan Vien, Tan Binh District, Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam

08h30 – 09h00: Registration

09h00 – 09h30: Conference opening

09h30 – 10h15: **Presentations on the topic of « Research methods used in the research on women and war »**

1/ **Françoise Thébaud**: Femmes, genre et guerres : une large historiographie

2/ **Bui Tran Phuong**: Research on the topic of « women and war » in Vietnam, a new approach

10h15 – 10h30: Break time

10h30 – 11h15: 3/ **Cynthia Enloe**: What Do We All Learn About Wars by Taking Women's Lives Seriously?

4/ **Pham Quoc Loc**: Women in Tradition and in War: Issues in Gender Identity and Performative

5/ **Caroline Moine**: Le viol en temps de guerre : mémoires allemandes de l'avance des troupes soviétiques (des années 1950 à nos jours)

11h15 – 12h00: Discussion

12h00: Lunch

Monday Afternoon 17/10/11

02 Tan Vien, Tan Binh District, Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam

14h30 – 17h30: Showing the movie «**Bao giờ cho đến tháng Mười**» by the director Đặng Nhật Minh – Discussion with the director: introduction and discussion on the loneliness of women during the war

Monday Evening 17/10/11

Lotus Gallery, 92 Le Thanh Ton, District 1, Ho Chi Minh City

From 18h00: Opening of the exposition regarding women's portraits and activities during the war

18h30 or 19h00: Dinner for invited guest speakers

Tuesday Morning 18/10/11

02 Tan Vien, Tan Binh District, Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam

08h30 – 09h45: **Presentations on the topic of « Life experiences of women during the war »**

1/ **Professor Le Thi**: The roles of Vietnamese women in the war – and female youth volunteers

2/ **Marguerite Rollinde**: Femmes palestiniennes en lutte: la voix des femmes de Gaza

3/ **Ho Viet Doan**: General Nguyen Thi Dinh and the long-hair army

4/ **François Rouquet**: La guerrière à l'écran

09h45 – 10h15: Discussion

10h15 – 10h30: Break time

10h30 – 11h15: Group 1:
1/ **Nguyen Thi Hien Linh**: The lives of female political prisoners in Southern prisons during the resistance against the American occupation
2/ **Ngo Thi Phuong Thien**: Struggling movements of women in the urban areas in the South (About Madam Ngo Ba Thanh)

Group 2:
1/ **John K.Swensson**: American Women's Participation in the Vietnam conflict
2/ **Yenny Narry**: Violence against women in the communist Tragedy in west Sumatra 1965/1966
3/ **Dominique Rolland** : subject to be identified

Group 3:
1/ **Vatthana Pholsena**: Minority Women and War - The case of Laos
2/ **Tram Huong**: Female youth volunteers 1C (in the South)

11h15 – 12h00: Discussion
12h00: Lunch

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14h30 – 17h00: Showing the movie "Regret to inform" by Barbara Sonneborn

Wednesday Morning 19/10/11

02 Tan Vien, Tan Binh District, Ho Chi Minh City, Viet Nam

08h30 – 09h15: **Presentations on the topic of « Women in the post-war time »**
1/ **CGFED Center**: Female victims of Agent Orange / Dioxin
2/ **Fabrice Virgili**: Les enfants de l'ennemi
3/ **Jane Freedman**: Vivre après les violences... Les expériences des femmes en République Démocratique du Congo

09h15 – 09h45: Discussion
09h45 – 10h00: Break time

10h00 – 11h30: Group 1:
1/ **Le Thi Kim Lan**: Women, Children and the Agent Orange
2/ **Masako Tanaka**: Seeking Justice: Struggles of Sexual Violence Survivors in Post Conflict Nepal

Group 2:
1/ **Buu Y**: Women and War in Trinh Cong Son's music
2/ **Thai Phan Vang Anh**: War having the "Face of women" in post war prose
3/ **Le Thi Huong**: Feminine voice in prose on war by female authors

Group 3:
1/ **Hoa Sen University**: Memoirs of Heroic Vietnamese Mothers
2/ **Francois Guillemot**: Perceptions es voix féminines de la guerre du Vietnam
Discussion

11h30 – 12h30: Groups presenting discussion results - Conference summary

Thursday Morning 20/10/11

Southern Women Museum - 202 Vo Thi Sau Street, District 3, HCMC, Viet Nam

09h00 – 11h30: Visit to the Southern Women Museum to view the exposition of documents about women and wars and conversational exchange with former female prisoners and former female youth volunteers...