



Biennial Report 2017-2019 of Research Network 14

1. Name and Number of RN

RN14 Gender Relations in the Labour Market and the Welfare State

2. Names and email addresses of:

a. outgoing Coordinators and board members (past term)

Coordinators:

- Coordinator: Hazel Conley, University of the West of England, Bristol, UK, Hazel.Conley[at]uwe.ac.uk
- Co-coordinator: Orly Benjamin, Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel, orly.benjamin[at]biu.ac.il

Board Members:

- Nata Duvvury (NUI Galway, Ireland)
- Clary Krekula (Karlstad, Sweden)
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- Fatima farina, (Universita degli Studi di Urbino "Carlo Bo", Italy)
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- Rebecca Selberg (Lund, Sweden)
- Eve Ewington (UWE, UK, PhD Representative)
- Stella Warren (UWE, UK)
- Mahwish Khan (UWE, UK)
- Sue Durbin (UWE, UK)
- Ana Lopes (UWE, UK)
- Tessa Wright (QMUL, UK)

b. incoming Coordinators and board members (new term after this year's conference)

Coordinators:

- Coordinator: Orly Benjamin, Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel, orly.benjamin[at]biu.ac.il
- Co-coordinator: Ana Lopes, Newcastle University, Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK, ana.lopes[at]ncl.ac.uk

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- Fatima Farina, (Università degli Studi di Urbino "Carlo Bo", Italy)
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- Tessa Wright (QMUL, UK)
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- Paula Koskinen Sandberg (Tampere University, Finland)
- Emőke TÖRÖK (Károli Gáspár U. of the Reformed Church, Hungary)
- Lorenzo Cattani3 (U. Of Bologna, Italy)
- Réka Geambaşu (Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca/Kolozsvár)
- Camilla Gaiaschi (University of Milan, Italy)
- Ana Maria Lopez Narbona (University of Malaga, Spain)
- Eva Bermudez (University of Cádiz, Spain)
- Tove Samzelius (Malmö University, Sweden)
- Special adviser: Hazel Conley (UWE, UK)

3. Activities:

Please describe all relevant activities of your RN in the past two-year term:

a. Did you organise a mid-term conference? Yes

b. If yes, please provide the title:

The Future of Gender Equality in an Age of Uncertainty

c. Venue: University of South Wales, Treforest Campus, Tŷ Crawshay

d. Date: 30th August, 2019

• Organisers:

Eva Katharina Sarter (University of South Wales, UK)

Hazel Conley (UWE, UK)

e. Number of papers: 10

Number of participants: 20

Overall assessment of the event:

Very successful event with two important keynote speakers. The first was given by Prof Dr Gabriele Wilde (University of Münster) who spoke of Democratic Gender Relations and the fight for Equality and the second was given by Prof Wendy Olsen (University of Manchester)

who spoke on A Modified “Gender and Development Theory” for Dual Earners in Rural South Asia: Findings and Reflections.

b. ESA Conference 2019 Manchester:

We had 14 sessions; with 40 presentations and no distributed papers.

c. Did you establish a Newsletter of your RN? NO but we’ll certainly consider the idea.

d. Does your RN have a website of its own, other than the space on the official ESA website? NO

e. Publications related to RN sessions and/or midterm meetings? Not yet. We are planning on that.

f. Any action to be taken to improve participation of PhD students and early career researchers? Not yet.

g. Any action to be taken to expand membership, especially from countries with overall weaker ESA membership? Not yet. Also, are there members from outside Europe? If Israel is outside Europe: 1.

h. Any collaboration within ESA with other RNs? Not yet.

Do you plan to improve collaboration across RNs? We shall discuss that in the future.

i. Any action to be taken to improve opportunities for publication of papers presented at the RN meetings and sessions? Not Yet. We shall discuss that in the future.

j. Any other important activities undertaken by your RN? NO.

k. Any plans for further activities of your RN? We are planning a midterm conference at Newcastle University.