



Asian Association of Women's Studies

# AAWS Congress 2019

December 6-8, 2019

Ewha Womans University, Seoul, South Korea

## Call for Proposals

### Facing New Challenges for Feminisms in Asia: Reiterations, Renewals, and Revisions

We are now witnessing the popularization of feminism more than ever. The #MeToo Campaign is spreading around the world through the social network service (SNS). Unlike past feminist movements, #MeToo is a global feminist movement initiated and sustained by no single attributable feminist or scholar as its leader. Actresses, sportswomen, and prosecutors are leading, and grassroots women are eagerly joining the campaign through the SNS. 'Black Protest' against Polish abortion restrictions is also a product of SNS, as well as the hashtag movements #NiUnaMenos (Not one [woman] less) in Latin America, #WithYou in Japan and Korea, #EveryWoman and #BabaeAko (I am a Woman) in the Philippines, to mention a few. Indeed, feminism is now a huge wave of women's campaign to have become a global phenomenon.

The 5<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Asian Association of Women's Studies 2019 (5<sup>th</sup> CAAWS 2019), an interdisciplinary feminist conference to be held in Seoul, Korea, on December 6-8, 2019, would like to focus on the new challenges for feminisms in Asia. In this Congress, Asia is viewed as a social and political construct whose geographic boundaries change depending on the historical context; it is imagined or critically shaped by political communities; it is also a new Asia that feminists are working together to create alternative connectedness. Analyzing new challenges for feminisms in Asia is to build feminist theory and practice based on new activism in Asia and in the global context.

What is the changing reality for Asian women in the age of globalization? How have feminist practices reiterated, renewed and revised this reality? How do feminists use and capitalize SNS for their own political agenda? Is feminist justice in Asia different from that of the West? How is the reality of Asian women represented in the global field of feminist solidarity?

We actively invite proposals—from all disciplines—that examine the global/Asian dimensions of feminisms and attempt to explore the above questions and related sub-themes listed below.

#### Sub-themes

- Social Media, Transnational Advocacy & Feminist Activism
- Politics of Reproduction & Women's Health
- Feminist Leadership & Democracy
- Gender Justice & Sexual Violence
- Women's Human Rights & Economic Security
- Women's Movement, Policy, & Politics
- Women, Religion, Culture, & Politics
- Cross-border Conflict, Trafficking, and Labor
- Globalization, Migration, & Citizenship
- Gender & Environment
- Peace, War, and Gender
- Sustainable Development, Education, & ICT
- Theorizing Feminisms and Research Methodology in Asia

#### Important Congress Details

<b>Date</b>	<b>6-8 December 2019</b>	
<b>Venue</b>	Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea	
<b>Registration Fee</b>	USD80.00 / 95,000원	August 1, 2019 - September 30, 2019
	USD95.00 / 115,000원	October 1, 2019 - November 30, 2019
	USD100.00 / 120,000원	Onsite Registration
In order to register, please pay the registration fee first and fill out the form below:		
<b>Registration Method</b>	Presenters/Co-authors : <a href="https://forms.gle/mC8DkLVyRzwZZXak8">https://forms.gle/mC8DkLVyRzwZZXak8</a> Guests : <a href="https://forms.gle/7iiV5PBDdFitCX1V7">https://forms.gle/7iiV5PBDdFitCX1V7</a>	
<b>Payment Method</b>	Wire transfer	Payment should be made to the following account details:

#### For payment in USD (\$):

Account Number : 180-005-922700

Account Name : Asian Association of Women's Studies

Swift Code : SHBKRRSE

Bank Name : Shinhan Bank  
Branch Address : 52, Ewhayeodae-gil, Seodaemun-gu, SEOUL 03760, Korea

**For payment in Korean Won (원):**

Account Number : 110-494-660190  
Account Name : Park Aileen Cabigayan  
Bank Name : Shinhan Bank

**Important Note:**

The registration fee listed above does not include the bank charges, which should be the responsibility of the participants.

**Cancellation Policy**

100% refund August 1, 2019 - September 30, 2019  
50% refund October 1, 2019 - November 15, 2019  
30% refund November 16, 2019 - November 30, 2019

**Important Note:**

All bank charges should be the responsibility of the participants.

**Fund** No fund will be provided by AAWS. The participants should be responsible for their travel and accommodation expenses.

**Language** English is the official language of the 5th CAAWS but Korean may be used in some parts of the congress.

**Provisional Program**

	Day 1 (12/6)	Day 2 (12/7)	Day 3 (12/8)
9:00-9:50	Registration	Registration	Registration
9:50-10:30		Opening Ceremony	
10:30-12:00	Parallel Sessions 1	Keynote Speech 2 (Generational Shifts: Rethinking Sexual Violence and Feminism in the Neo-liberal Times of #MeToo)	Plenary Talk 2 (The Future of Feminisms in Asia)
12:00-13:15	Lunch	Welcoming Luncheon (11:30-13:15)	Lunch
13:15-14:45	Parallel Sessions 2	Plenary Talk 1 (Asian Women's Activism and #MeToo Movement)	Parallel Sessions 5
14:45-15:15	Tea Break	Tea Break	Tea Break
15:15-16:45	Parallel Sessions 3	Parallel Presentations 4	Parallel Sessions 6
16:45-17:05	Tea Break	Tea Break	Tea Break
17:05-18:00	Keynote Speech 1 (Gender and Development)	General Assembly & Networking Dinner	Closing Ceremony
18:00-19:30	Welcoming Performance & Welcoming Dinner		
Exhibit Booths & Posters	Booths will be prepared for Organizers, Collaborators, & Sponsors. All accepted <b>Posters</b> will be placed outside the LG Convention for three days (December 6-8, 2019).		
Study Tour	Because of limitation, the Study Tour is a program provided on December 9, 2019 to only 30 participants selected on a "first sign-up, first served" basis.		

**Submission Guidelines**

<b>Proposal submission type</b>	1) Organized panel proposal 2) Individual paper proposal 3) Poster proposal
<b>Proposal Submission template</b>	The submission template includes two pages. Please read thoroughly the guidelines before submitting. To download the template, please click <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>Language for Proposal Submission</b>	English only
<b>Submission Method</b>	Please submit your proposal directly to this link: <a href="http://aaws07.org/aaws_bb/bbs/board.php?bo_table=upload">http://aaws07.org/aaws_bb/bbs/board.php?bo_table=upload</a> A confirmation email acknowledging your submission will be sent to your registered email. If you do not receive a confirmation within one week after the submission date, please email the AAWS Secretariat at <a href="mailto:aaws07@gmail.com">aaws07@gmail.com</a> or call +82-2-3277-2150.
<b>Submission Deadline</b>	<b>31 May 2019</b>
<b>Extended Submission Deadline</b>	<b>30 June 2019</b>
<b>Announcement of Acceptance</b>	<b>31 July 2019</b>

## Presentation Guidelines

Presentation guidelines will be posted after the screening of all submitted proposals.

## Publication opportunities

Papers submitted and presented at the congress will be considered for peer-review and publication in the Asian Journal of Women's Studies (AJWS) and an edited book volume. The publication arrangement is subject to the final confirmation of AJWS and the book publisher.

## Accommodation

Accommodation	Address	Price (Subject to Change; For Reference Only)	Website	Remarks
H Avenue Hotel	152, Sinchon-ro, Mapo-gu, Seoul (Near Ewha Womans University Metro Station)	[Standard Single] 70,000 KRW / night	<a href="http://eng.h-avenue.com/branch4">http://eng.h-avenue.com/branch4</a>	[Breakfast] Included
		[Standard Double/Twin] 85,000 KRW / night		[From Incheon Int. Airport] - Airport Limousine Bus 6002: take off at Shinchon Station - By Taxi: about 70 min
				[To Ewha Campus] Walking distance (7 min)
Shilla Stay Mapo	83, Mapo-daero, Mapo-gu, Seoul (Near Gongdeok Metro Station)	[Standard Double/Twin] 99,000 KRW / night	<a href="http://shillastay.com/mapo/index.do">http://shillastay.com/mapo/index.do</a>	[Breakfast] Included
				[From Incheon Int. Airport] - Airport Limousine Bus 6015 - By Taxi: about 45 min
				[To Ewha Campus] Bus No. 10/173/7611 (20 min)
Glad Hotel Mapo	92, Mapo-daero, Mapo-gu, Seoul (Near Gongdeok Metro Station)	[Standard Double] 118,000 KRW / night	<a href="http://gladmapo-hotels.com/en/web/mapo-en">http://gladmapo-hotels.com/en/web/mapo-en</a>	[Breakfast] Included
				[From Incheon Int. Airport] - Airport Limousine Bus 6015/6021/6702 - By Taxi: about 45 min
				[To Ewha Campus] Bus No. 10/173/7611 (20 min)
L7 Hotel	141 Yanghwa-ro, Seogyo- dong, Mapo-gu, Seoul (Near Hongik University Metro Station)	[Double] 135,000~285,000 KRW / night	<a href="https://www.lottehotel.com/hongdae-17/en.html">https://www.lottehotel.com/hongdae-17/en.html</a>	[Breakfast] Included
				[From Incheon Int. Airport] - Airport Limousine Bus 6002 - By Taxi: about 60 min
				[To Ewha Campus] - Subway Hongik University Station to Ewha Womans University Station (2 stations) (15 min) - Bus No. 6712/273/5714/603 (20 min) *Group discount available (inquiry should be directed to hotel)
Hi Seoul Youth Hostel	57, Youngdeungpo-dong 7- ga, Youngdeungpo-gu (Near Yeongdeungpo Market Metro Station)	[Single] 55,000 KRW / night	<a href="http://hiseoulyh.com/en/">http://hiseoulyh.com/en/</a>	[Breakfast] Not included (₩7,700 extra payment)
		[Twin] 77,000 KRW / night		[From Incheon Int. Airport] - Airport Limousine Bus 6008
				[To Ewha Campus] - Bus No. 5714 (30 min) - Subway Yeongdeungpo-gu Office to Ewha Womans University Station (5 stations) (30 min)
Seoul Youth Hostel	6, Toegye-ro 26ga-gil, Jung-gu, Seoul (Near Myeongdong Station)	[Double] 77,000 KRW / night	<a href="http://seoulyh.go.kr/en/">http://seoulyh.go.kr/en/</a>	[Breakfast] Not included (₩6,600 extra payment)
		[Family Room (for 6)] 121,000 KRW / night		[From Incheon Int. Airport] - Airport Limousine Bus 6015

### Visa application

For more information about visa application, please consult with the Embassy of the Republic of Korea in your country.

### Tourism

For more information on Seoul, please visit <http://english.visitkorea.or.kr>

### Contact information

For any inquiries about the congress, please contact AAWS Secretariat via email at [aaws07@gmail.com](mailto:aaws07@gmail.com) or visit our website: [www.aaws07.org/congress2019](http://www.aaws07.org/congress2019).

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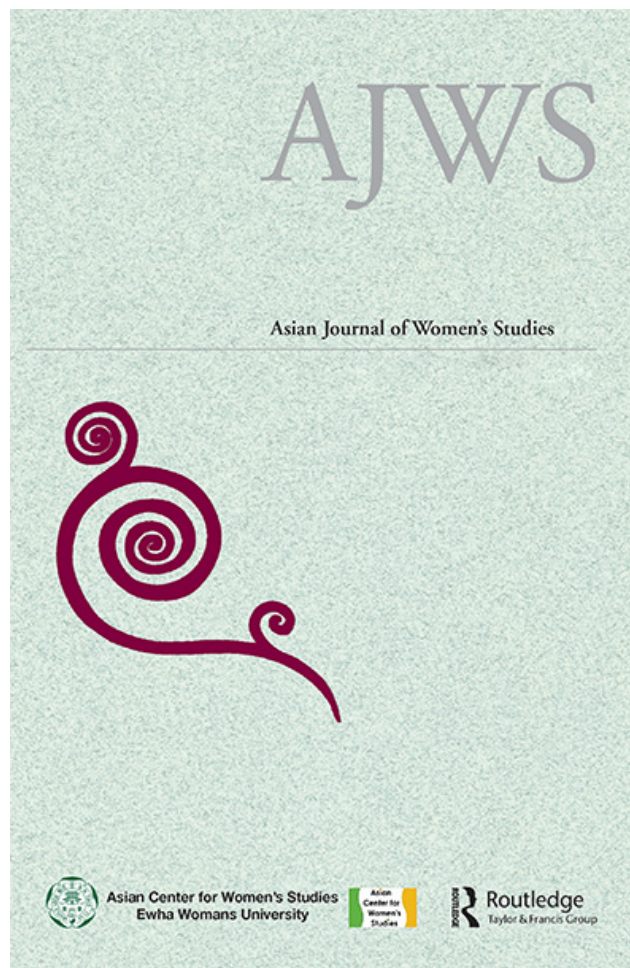
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