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Upcoming CSGGE Events

Book Discussion

Please join us for a book discussion on, “Data Feminism” by Catherine D’Ignazio and Lauren Klein. The book discussion will be led by GRID Students Mahbubeh Moqadam and Marwah Malik.

February 26, 2025 (Wednesdays) from 2:00-3:30pm CST via Zoom

Need a copy of the book? We have complimentary copies available so please request during registration so you can pick one up while supplies last.

Know others that might be interested? This is open to all campus students so please share information.

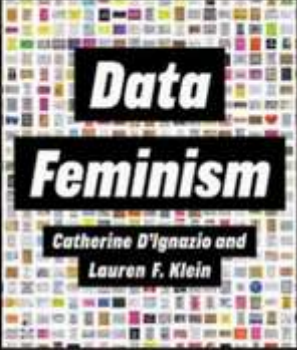
[Click to sign up for book discussion and free book copy](#)

ILLINOIS GLOBAL INSTITUTE
Center for the Study of Global Gender Equity
present

Graduate Book Discussion



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Know others that might be interested? This is open to all graduate campus students

Wednesday, Feb 26th,
 from 2:00-3:30pm CST via Zoom
 Register and Request at: <https://forms.illinois.edu/sec/1134466534>

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Film Discussion

Watch it on Amazon Prime and then join us for the online discussion!

Co-sponsored by the Center for African Studies

**Tuesday | March 4 | 6:30-8:00pm CST
 via Zoom**

Discussion led by: **Adetutu Faburoso**
 Ph.D Student in Human Resource Development (HDR) and minor in
 Gender Relations and International Development (GRID)

[Click to register for virtual discussion](#)

International Women's Day Celebration



"12 Women Who Changed the World: Untold Stories"

Wednesday | March 5, 2025
3:30pm-5:00pm
Levis Faculty Center, Third Floor



Wojtek Chodzak-Zajko
 Dean, Graduate College

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 March 5, 2025
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 Levis Faculty Center, Third Floor



W. Brenda Elliott
 Josef and Margie Lakonichok Professor in Business and Dean, Gies College of Business



Traci Berkley
 Director, Sola Gratia Farm



Alison M. Bell
 Professor, Department of Evolution, Ecology and Behavior



David Chih
 Director, Asian American Cultural Center



Cindy Ingold
 Associate Professor, University Library



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 Associate Professor, Health and Kinesiology



Alejandro Lleras
 Associate Dean for Inclusive Excellence in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences



Shari Mickey-Biggs
 Senior Associate, Charmsior for Human Resources, Illinois Human Resources



Zahra Moheghgh
 Donald Bigger Willett Faculty Scholar and Associate Professor of Nuclear, Plasma, and Radiological Engineering



Isabella Reyna Souer
 Undergraduate Student, Department of History



Shakti Verma
 Graduate Student, College of Education



Co-sponsored by Women's Resources Center, Department of Gender and Women's Studies

The Center for the Study of Global Gender Equity (CSGGE) and the Humanities Research Institute (HRI) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign are co-hosting our fifth annual event, "12 Women Who Changed the World: Untold Stories" bringing together faculty, staff, students, and community members to recognize people who have made a difference in academia.

The event will feature 12 featured speakers from across our university and community. Each speaker will have 5 minutes to tell the

story of a woman who made important contributions to the scholarship, discipline and/or broader academic community life.

Mark your calendars for International Women's Day 2025!

Center for the Study of Global Gender Equity Graduate Forum

March 7 | 12:00-3:00pm CST | via Zoom

Mahbubeh Moqadam, Ph.D. Student, Sociology.

Daheye Hashtadi Women in Iran: Living, Imagining, and Mobilizing in the Online-Offline Nexus

Discussant: Dr. Tara Powell | Professor, School of Social Work

Fatou Jobe, Ph.D Student, Sociology.

Blue Justice and Gender Justice: Exploring the Impact of Fishmeal Factories on Women in the Senegambia

Discussant: Dr. Teresa Barnes | Professor, History

Nehal Elmeligy, Ph.D. Candidate, Sociology.

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Discussant: Dr. Isabel Molina-Guzman | Professor, Communication and Latina/Latino Studies



GRID GRADUATE FORUM

Friday, March 7th 12-3pm CST via Zoom



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 Exploring Vulnerability: A Glimpse into Researching Sensitive Topics with Vulnerable Women as a Vulnerable Researcher
Discussant: Samantha Lindgren
 Assistant Professor, College of Education



Marwah Malik, Ph.D. Student, Urban and Regional Planning
 #SolidarityNotCharity: Reading grassroots praxis as transformative
Discussant: Dr. Charles Fogelman
 Teaching Assistant Professor, LAS Global Studies



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Please RSVP to
<https://go.illinois.edu/GraduateForum>
 or Scan QR Code



For more information contact Anita Kaiser arkaiser@illinois.edu

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Click to register for virtual forum

Click to view full calendar of events

CSGGE Co-sponsored Events

Women in Science Lecture Series

We are delighted to have **Krystiana Krupa**, NAGPRA Senior Program Officer, as our first speaker of the Spring 2025 semester! Please join us on **Tuesday, February 18, 12:00-1:00 pm Central** for Krystiana Krupa's talk on documenting Ancestors' remains and cultural items, researching their relationship to Tribal communities, and facilitating repatriation.



The University of Illinois Archives is hosting a monthly **Women in Science Lecture Series** that will feature speakers from across the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign's diverse and multidisciplinary scientific enterprise.

The lecture series seeks to highlight the important innovations and contributions of women in the sciences at the University of Illinois, and center the importance of documenting women scientists and engineers to create a diverse and inclusive archival record.

February 18th from 12 - 1:00PM at the University Archives, [Main Library Room 146](#) or via Zoom

[Click for more information and to register for talk](#)

23rd Annual Women's and Gender History Symposium **I**

GENDER, LAW, AND POLITICS

Featuring graduate research and keynote speakers

NEIL J. YOUNG
Historian, Writer, and Podcaster

LAURA GOFFMAN
Assistant Professor of History at UIUC

Co-Sponsored at UIUC by:

History Department, Program in Medieval Studies, Center for South Asia and Middle East Studies, Center for Advanced Study, School of Labor and Employment Relations, Center for East Asian and Pacific Studies, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, Department of Religion, Spurlock Museum, Women and Gender in Global Perspectives, Department of Theatre, East Asian Languages and Cultures, School of Literatures, Cultures, and Linguistics, Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures, Department of Gender & Women's Studies, Department of Communication, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, US Department of Education Title VI Grant, Graduate Employees' Organization Local 6300

FEBRUARY 20-22, 2025

LEVIS 210, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN (HYBRID FORMAT)

Learn more here:

2025 Women and Gender History Symposium

Join us for the 23rd Annual Women's and Gender History Symposium: Gender and the Law, featuring graduate research and keynote speakers Dr. Neil J. Young (Historian, Writer, and Podcaster) and Dr. Laura Goffman (Professor of History, U of I). This will be a hybrid event.

Department of History, see the website for a full list of co-sponsors

Thursday, February 20th – Saturday, February 22nd, 2025

[Symposium Registration Form](#)



Friday Forum + Conversation Café

Friday, February 21st

Speaker: Allison Briscoe-Smith, University of California Berkeley's Greater Good Science Center & 2025 Illinois Interfaith Conference Keynote Speaker

Please join the University YMCA and [Diversity & Social Justice Education](#) for our Spring 2025 Friday Forum + Conversation Café series. We will hear from community leaders tackling our most pressing public concerns through an unwavering pursuit of social justice. Follow this [link](#) for more information!

Fridays at 12 PM in Latzer Hall at the University YMCA.

<https://www.universityymca.org/what-we-offer/programs/friday-forum-conversation-cafe>

A promotional poster for an alumni book talk. It features a QR code labeled "REGISTER HERE:" in the top left, a photo of a speaker, and a book cover. The text includes: "EALC/CEAPS ALUMNI BOOK TALK", "Speaker JAMES WELKER", "CROSS - CULTURAL & JAPANESE STUDIES KANAGAWA UNIVERSITY, JAPAN", "FRIDAY, FEB 21 1PM - 2:30PM", "Hybrid Event: Lucy Ellis Lounge & ZOOM", and "Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures".

Feminists, Lesbians, and Queer Manga Artists and Fans: Rethinking 'Women' in 1970s–1980s Japan

CEAPS is organizing a visit and talk to campus by James Welker, Professor at Kanagawa University and a UIUC alum. His research and writing examine gender and sexuality in postwar and contemporary Japan as well as the global spread of Japanese popular culture.

Friday, February 21, 1-2:30 pm

Lucy Ellis Lounge and Virtual

[Click to register for talk](#)

Compartments of Kurdish Pleasure: Interjecting Leisure as a Necessary Archive

Dr. Stan Thangaraj, Stonehill College

**Comportments of Kurdish Pleasure:
Interjecting Leisure as a Necessary Archive**

February 24, 2025

3-4:30pm

Davenport Hall Room 230

A lecture by Dr. Stanley I Thangaraj



James E. Hayden Chair for the Study of Race, Ethnicity, & Social Justice, Professor of Anthropology and Sociology (Stonehill College)

Monday, February 24

3:00-4:30 PM

Davenport Hall 230

Co-hosted by:

Center for Global Studies, Department of Anthropology, Education Policy, Organization & Leadership, Forum on the Future of Public Education, the Humanities Research Institute, Health & Kinesiology, Interdisciplinary Sport Studies Research Cluster, Russian, East European, and Eurasian Center, Recreation Sport & Tourism, and Women & Gender in Perspectives Program

Hosted by the HRI Interdisciplinary Sport Studies Research cluster in conjunction with the following partners:

Humanities Research Institute; EPOL Forum on the Futures of Public Education; Department of Anthropology; Center for Global Studies; Russian, East European, and Eurasian Center; Recreation, Sport & Tourism; and the Center for the Study of Global Gender Equity

28TH ANNUAL DANIEL S. SANDERS PEACE & SOCIAL JUSTICE LECTURE

WHY REFUGEE-LED ORGANIZATIONS MUST BE AT THE FOREFRONT OF LEADING CHANGE

Guest Lecturer: Mr. Robert Hakiza, Co-Founder and Executive Director of Young African Refugees for Integral Development (YARID)

February 26th, 2025
Hilton Garden Inn
1501 S Neil St, Champaign, IL
12-1pm Lecture
1-2pm Lunch
2:15-3:15pm Panel Discussion on Refugee and Global Research
Moderator: Dr. Tara Powell



Robert Hakiza is a refugee from Congo living in Uganda since 2008. He holds a degree in Agriculture from the Catholic University of Bukavu (CUBU), and he's the co-founder and executive director of the Young African Refugees for Integral Development (YARID). He is also one of the founders of the Refugee-Led Organization Network. He has experience working with urban refugees and also works to educate others about obstacles refugees face. In 2013, Hakiza worked as an assistant researcher with Oxford's Humanitarian Innovation Project. He is a TED Fellow and an Aspen New Voices Fellow 2017.

***REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

School of Social Work
UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS-URBANA CHAMPAIGN

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CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF GLOBAL GENDER EQUITY

28th Annual Daniel S. Sanders Peace & Social Justice Lecture

WHY REFUGEE-LED ORGANIZATIONS MUST BE AT THE FOREFRONT OF LEADING CHANGE PEACE & SOCIAL JUSTICE LECTURE

Guest Lecturer: Mr. Robert Hakiza, Co-Founder and Executive Director of Young African Refugees for Integral Development (YARID)

February 26, 2025

12-3:15pm

Hilton Garden Inn, 1501 S Neil St, Champaign, IL

Moderator: Dr. Tara Powell

[Click to Registration](#)

Campus Events

Supporting Our Students If ICE Comes to Campus: Webinar for Campus Staff & Faculty

Host is The Office of the Vice Chancellor for Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Campus staff and faculty may have many questions about how to respond if federal immigration enforcement officers arrive on campus. How can we provide support and resources to our students? What are our rights and responsibilities during these potential interactions? Join staff from the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Diversity, Equity & Inclusion and the University of Illinois Police Department for a webinar and Q & A on interacting with federal immigration enforcement on campus. A student-specific session will be held on Wednesday, February 19th. For more information, contact Ross at wantland@illinois.edu.

1:00-2:00pm Tuesday, February 18th

Register to Attend Webinar

Knowing Your Rights and Responsibilities When Interacting with ICE (For Students)

Host is The Office of the Vice Chancellor for Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

New federal policy and immigration enforcement practices may leave individuals confused, worried, and even scared. What is the role of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) to enforce federal directives? How should you respond if ICE officers show up? What campus and community resources are available? Join staff from the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Diversity, Equity & Inclusion and the University of Illinois Police Department for a workshop on interacting with federal immigration enforcement on campus. For more information, contact Ross at wantland@illinois.edu. Learn more at open.illinois.edu

6:00-7:00pm Wednesday, February 19th

Latzer Hall, University YMCA , 1001 S. Wright St., Champaign



Meet and Greet

Join us for a Meet & Greet at the International & Area Studies Library! Whether you're a student, faculty member, or researcher, this is your chance to discover useful library resources and build meaningful connections. You will:

- Meet our amazing subject librarians and learn how they can support your research journey
- Connect with global and area studies faculty and students and expand your academic network
- Test your knowledge with fun trivia!

Sponsored by: International and Area Studies Library

[Click to RSVP for event](#)

2025 Black & Latinx Summit

Hosted by: [Bruce D. Nesbitt African American Cultural Center](#) and [La Casa Cultural Latina](#)

The Black and Latinx Summit is an annual conference and summit that seeks to bring students from all intersections into a shared space to learn and connect. This focus is an intentional understanding of the traumas that communities of color in the United States have faced both historically and contemporarily. It is also cognizant of the strides we take each day to heal our wounds and better prepare us for the next change in our circumstances. By creating this space, we hope others will join us in exploring the landscape of our communities and finding ways to make us stronger as a collective.

Saturday, February 22, 2025 | 9:30 a.m. – 5:45 p.m. | I-Hotel and Conference Center – 1900 S. First St., Champaign, IL 61820

[Click here to RSVP](#)

SKY Happiness Retreat

The SKY Happiness Retreat is an internationally acclaimed life-skills program that helps participants develop a relaxed, stress-free mind and an energetic, healthy body. The retreat teaches tools such

IN-PERSON SKY HAPPINESS RETREAT

February 28 - March 02
 Friday: 6 pm - 9 pm CST
 Sat & Sun: 12.00 pm - 4.30 pm CST

A weekend retreat filled with an evidence-based meditation, powerful breathwork practices, social connection, self-development and stress-management skills which bring calm, clarity and happiness

Register at tinyurl.com/skyuiucfeb

Nina Sanyal
Visiting Instructor

Fully funded for UIUC students. Limited seats available.

as evidence-based meditation, yoga, breathwork, and self-exploration in a fun and an experiential format. Join us on campus for a detox-weekend! Fully funded for all UIUC students.

On Campus | February 28th (Fri): 6pm - 9pm CT, March 1st and 2nd (Sat and Sun): 12pm - 4.30pm CT

[Click to Register](#)

The Multilingual Mediterranean

co-hosted by CSAMES and Medieval Studies

The workshop’s aim is to bring together scholars working on the history of multilingualism in the Mediterranean region. Our theme, “the multilingual Mediterranean,” encompasses such topics as language contact zones, multilingual art forms and media, and the relationships between language and identity. Our hope is to attract contributions from scholars working on several geographical contexts and historical periods in the Mediterranean world.

"Multilingualism and Multimusicality in the Medieval and Early Modern Mediterranean"

Dwight Reynolds (Religious Studies, UC Santa Barbara)

- Date:** Friday, February 28, 2025
- Time:** 5:00 PM
- Location:** Levis Faculty Center, room 210

The number of workshop attendees is limited, and **advanced registration before February 15 is required.**

[Click to Register for Workshop](#)

Literature's Refuge at the Aegean Borderscape


co-hosted by CSAMES and Medieval Studies


The Mediterranean has long been a hub of multilingual creativity, from twelfth-century Iberian zajals to modern North African hip hop. Artists and communities have blended languages to shape new forms, challenge identities, and foster trade and diplomacy through koines, *linguae francae*, and pidgins. Multilingualism is a constant in Mediterranean history, not an exception. This workshop aims to bring together scholars exploring the history of multilingualism in the Mediterranean. We invite contributions from diverse geographical, historical, and disciplinary perspectives, encouraging participants to interpret our theme broadly, including the intersection of visual, musical, and material "languages" in the region.

The number of workshop attendees is limited, and **advanced registration before February 15 is required.**

Speaker: William Stroebel (Comparative Literature and Modern Greek, University of Michigan)

 **Date:** Saturday, March 01, 2025

 **Time:** 10:00 AM

 **Location:** Levis Faculty Center, room 210

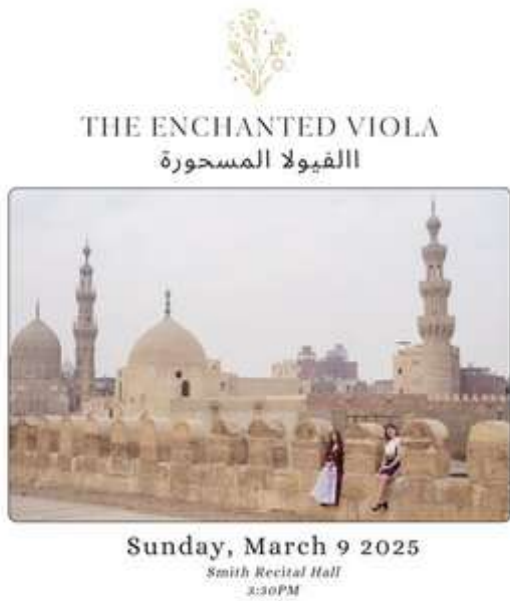
[Click to Register for Workshop](#)

Viola al-Mashura (*The Enchanted Viola*)

a unique concert celebrating the fusion of Egyptian and Western classical music

This program, performed by violist Christina Ebersohl and pianist Melissa Terrall, brings together iconic Egyptian classical works and Western compositions, showcasing the beauty of musical diversity. The concert marks the conclusion of an international tour spanning Switzerland and Egypt and features two world premieres by distinguished composers **Sherif Mohie Eldin** and **Marek Woods-Harris**. At its heart, *The Enchanted Viola* is a celebration of cultural dialogue and the power of music to unite.

March 9, 2025, at 3:30 PM in **Smith Recital Hall** at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.



This event is sponsored in part by the Illinois International Programs (IIP) Internationally Themed Event Grant and the Center for Global Studies program through grant funding from the U.S. Department of Education's Title VI grant program.

Announcements

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STUDENT PHOTO CONTEST

SHOWCASE YOUR GLOBAL EXPERIENCES

- SUBMIT YOUR BEST PHOTOS
- CHANCE TO WIN \$30 GIFT CARD
- PHOTOS FEATURED ON IGI'S WEBSITE, INSTAGRAM, & MORE!
- SHOWCASE YOUR CREATIVITY TO THE ILLINOIS COMMUNITY

IGI Photo Contest

The Illinois Global Institute is sponsoring a photo contest they hope will become an annual event!

IGI is asking undergrads and grad students to share glimpses of their interests, research, and study abroad experience with other students, and with the rest of the Illinois community—including alumni and prospective students. They hope to feature the photos on their website and on the walls of Coble Hall.

IGI is awarding a \$30 gift card to each winner. The deadline for the submissions is **Friday, February 21, 2025.**

[Click for more information and to enter](#)

Call for Applications
SUMMER RESEARCH LABORATORY
on Russia, Eastern Europe, and Eurasia
 June 9 - August 1, 2025 | University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

The SRL is an in-person program that offers comprehensive research support, access to library resources and competitive Research Awards to graduate and post-graduate scholars developing projects on all aspects of on all aspects of Russian, East European, and Eurasian studies.

Any researcher may apply to be as SRL Associate, and receive the following forms of research support:

- Reference assistance throughout the summer and beyond from the Slavic Reference Service (SRS);
- In-person access to digital and database collections of our University Library during onsite visit;
- Thematic and skill-building workshop events, as well as opportunities to present and discuss works in progress;
- Designation as a 2025 SRL Associate.

Funding Opportunity: Title VIII Research Awards

Housing on campus for up to 12 nights, \$800 travel support, and a research stipend of \$1250

**Restricted to applicants who are U.S. citizens and conducting policy-relevant research funded by the U.S. Department of State*

All Title VIII funded research must be conducted in-person at the SRL.

Application deadline for Title VIII Research Awards: **February 17, 2025**
 Final deadline for all SRL applications, funded & unfunded: **March 17, 2025**

For more information and to apply, visit go.illinois.edu/reec-SRL2025

Russian, East European, and Eurasian Center



2025 Summer Research Laboratory on Russia, Eastern Europe, and Eurasia

The Russian, East European, and Eurasian Center and the Slavic Reference Service at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign are accepting applications for our 2025 Summer Research Laboratory (SRL) program. The SRL is an in-person program that will take place on our campus from June 9 - August 1, 2025.

It is open to advanced graduate students, independent scholars, and academic professionals in government and nongovernmental organizations.

Priority Application Deadline for Title VIII Research Awards is February 17, 2025.

Final deadline for all SRL applications, funded and unfunded, is March 17, 2025.

[SRL Application 2025](http://go.illinois.edu/reec-SRL2025)

Click for more info about program

Funding Opportunities

Verdell Frazier Young Awards

Women's Resource Center (WRC) Scholarships

The Verdell Frazier Young Award was established to assist women and gender minorities who have had an interruption in pursuing a college degree. Awards are available for Fall, Spring and Summer. Individual applicants can be awarded for two semesters within a given degree program.

Applications for Spring 2025, Summer 2025 and Fall 2025 are currently being accepted on a rolling basis. Applications for the Summer 2025 and Fall 2025 terms will be reviewed in April and

candidates will be notified in early May regarding award decisions. Applicants for Summer and Fall 2025 are HIGHLY encouraged to submit applications before April 1, 2025 for full consideration.

Additional questions can be directed to the Women's Resources Center at womenscenter@illinois.edu or 217-333-3137.

[Click here to Apply](#)

Beinecke Scholarship

The Beinecke Scholarship offers a merit- and need-based award for U.S. juniors planning to pursue a graduate degree (PhD or MFA) in the arts, humanities, or social sciences. Eligible applicants must have received need-based financial aid at UIUC. The scholarship provides \$5,000 before graduate school and \$30,000 during graduate studies.

To apply, students must demonstrate strong intellectual ability, academic achievement, and personal promise, with a focus on a broad range of coursework. Professional degrees like law or business are not competitive.

For application tips, attend the informational sessions and workshops:

The campus application deadline is February 24, 2025, at noon.

For more details, contact topscholars@illinois.edu or visit the website <https://beineckescholarship.org/>

Jean M. Due and Marianne Ferber International Research Award

The Jean M. Due and Marianne Ferber International Research Award was established through generous gifts from emeriti professors Marianne Ferber and Jean Due.

The Jean M. Due and Marianne Ferber International Research Award is intended to provide financial support for individuals from developing countries conducting dissertation research on gender and development issues, especially research that promises to make a significant contribution to the improvement of women's lives and gender equity in the developing world.

Eligibility

In order to be eligible, applicants must:

- Be from a developing country and demonstrate financial need.

- Conducting dissertation research on gender and development issues.
- The award is intended for current or newly accepted international graduate students at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign. All genders welcome to apply.

Deadline: Applications are due by **March 15, 2025**.

[Click to Apply](#)

CSGGE Programs

Gender Relations in International Development Graduate Minors

CSGGE offers a graduate minor in Gender Relations in International Development (GRID). The GRID interdisciplinary minor is designed to give students the analytical and empirical skills needed to address and critically evaluate human development issues in research and policy analysis, as well as in daily life. As of 2023, GRID Alumni have come from 41 departments across campus and 52 different countries.

To learn more about the GRID minor, please contact Anita Kaiser at arkaiser@illinois.edu or by phone at 333-6221.



Certificate in
Global Health

Undergraduate Certificate in Global Health

Joint with CSGGE and LAS Global Studies

LAS Global Studies, in conjunction with Center for the Study of Gender and Global Equity (CSGGE), is offering a Certificate in Global Health. **This certificate is open to all undergraduate majors at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.**

[Click for more information on Undergraduate Certificate](#)



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