

From the Director....

I want to take this opportunity to pay tribute to the students who help to initiate and organize programs sponsored by the Center for Women's Studies. This year, more than twenty-five students have regularly contributed to events sponsored by Women's Studies. They have worked hard and creatively to bring gender-related programming to the entire Colgate community.

But I especially want to mention the contributions of our graduating Seniors.

Jennifer Cole and **Jessica Diamond** have been associated with the Center almost since its inception. This year they have worked together on an exciting project raising awareness concerning the portrayal of women in the popular media.

Melissa Longin helped to organize the Center's library when we moved to our new location in East Hall, and she is presently researching

student internships in Women's Studies.

Tara McLaughlin has initiated a variety of projects through the Center over the last few years. These include the Fun Run for Women's Sports and the celebration of National Girls and Women in Sports Day. Tara also was instrumental in revitalizing Colgate's Women's Coalition

Center for Women's
Studies Hours
Monday-Friday:
9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Sunday-Thursday:
8 p.m.-10 p.m.

which now meets at the Center every Monday evening.

These students and others have worked closely with Jennifer Leigh, our Program Assistant. We have been lucky to have Jennifer with us for this year, and I want to thank her, as well as our students, for a job well done.

The Center for Women's

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Fall 1995: Women's Studies Courses

ARTS 351, WOMEN & ART.
Miller.
TuTh 3:00-4:20.

**ENGL 408, LITERATURE OF
MEDIEVAL WOMEN.** Staley.
M 2:30-5:00.

**GNEC 312, WOMEN AND
POPULAR CULTURE.**
Harsin/Pagano.
MW 1:30-2:50.

**GNEC 313,
INTERDISCIPLINARY
PERSPECTIVES ON
WOMEN.** Johnston/Knuth.
TTh, 9:30-10:50.

**GREK 224, WOMEN IN
(GREEK AND ROMAN)
ANTIQUITY: The Role of the
Feminine in Myth and Life.**
Ammerman.
MWF, 9:30-10:20.

**HIST 348, HISTORY OF
WOMEN IN EUROPE IN
MODERN TIMES.** Harsin.
MWF, 11:30-12:20.

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What's Happening in Women's Studies

Women's Studies Courses Fall '95:

Continued

NAST 301Y, NATIVE AMERICAN WOMEN. Moran. (Sante Fe Study Group)

PHIL 360, PHILOSOPHY AND FEMINISM. Thie. MWF, 12:30-1:20.

POSC 451, SEMINAR: POLITICS IN SUB-SAHARA AFRICA. Pitcher. M 7:00-9:30p.m.

RELG 234, WOMEN'S LIVES AND RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS: Women in Early Christianity. Frank. MWF, 11:30-12:20.

SOAN 242, TOPICS IN ANTHROPOLOGY: Men and Masculinities. Ries. MW 1:30-2:50.

SOAN 313, SOCIOLOGY OF KNOWLEDGE: Gender and the Social Sciences. Balin. TTh 3:00-4:20.

SOAN 315, GENDER & CULTURE. Peletz. TuTh 1:30-2:50.

WMST 202, INTRODUCTION TO WOMEN'S STUDIES. Mandle. MWF, 10:30-11:20.

WMST 302, WOMEN'S LIVES IN BIOGRAPHY AND AUTOBIOGRAPHY. Stevens. TuTh, 3:00-4:20.

Expanding Horizons:

This year the Women's Studies Program is initiating a special "move-up day" for area high school girls to visit Colgate. Over 40 students from five area high schools are scheduled to visit the Center for Women's Studies on March 29. During their time on campus, the girls will have the opportunity to screen a movie on women's non-traditional careers, participate in discussions on images of women in the media, and meet with Colgate students and Women's Studies faculty.

Cory Frederick '96 has put together the events for this program. She expects that Expanding Horizons will develop into an annual component of the Women's Studies Program's ongoing outreach to the surrounding community.

Building Bridges Update:

Last semester over 70 first year and upper-class women were matched in the Building Bridges Program. This program was designed by Sara Beach '96, Alysson Pisculli '97, Tonya Gscheidle '98, and Carol Walter '98 to bring together Colgate women of all

classes for discussion and support. The organizers are planning a second full group event. Keep posted for more details.

4th Spring Leadership Conference:

The 1995 Women's Studies Spring Leadership Conference was a great success! On February 23, Rebecca Walker, Founder of the Third Wave young feminist organization, gave the opening address at the fourth annual Conference. She spoke of the need for young women to unite and work to diversify the women's movement, both racially and ideologically.

Two days later, Rosemary Dempsey, Vice President of the National Organization for Women (NOW), addressed the 75 students gathered for Conference workshops. Dempsey detailed the increasing violence against women in our society. She encouraged concerned women and men to organize against injustice and to start by attending the upcoming Rally for Women's Lives in Washington, D.C. on April 9. For information on attending the Rally contact Jen Leigh at x7156.

Spring Calendar 1995

MARCH

21 Tuesday

Brown Bag Lunch
11:30-12:20
Center for Women's Studies

24 Friday

Free Film Series, 8:00 p.m.
Center for Women's Studies

25 Saturday

Clean up at Women's Shelter

26-31 BE GLAD WEEK!

27 Monday

Jeanne Marecek
7:30 Lecture "Brewing Trouble:
Feminism & Psychology"
Center for Women's Studies

28 Tuesday

Dean Linda Murphy
Brown Bag Lunch, 11:30-12:20
Center for Women's Studies

29 Wednesday

Expanding Horizons:
High School Move-up Day
9:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m.

31 Friday

Free Film Series- *I've Heard the
Mermaids Singing*
8:00 p.m.
Center for Women's Studies

APRIL

4 Tuesday

Brown Bag Lunch, 11:30-12:20
Center for Women's Studies

7 Friday- 9 Sunday

Young Feminist Summit and
RALLY FOR WOMEN'S LIVES!
Washington D.C.

11 Tuesday

Brown Bag Lunch, 11:30-12:20
Report from Young Feminist
Summit and Rally
Center for Women's Studies

Karen Haettien

4:30 Lecture "Gothic Murder
Narratives"

13 Thursday

Kathy Lippe-Levenson
Brown Bag Lunch, 11:30-12:20
Center for Women's Studies

13 Thursday

Daphne Patai
7:30 Lecture "Feminism & Utopia"
Center for Women's Studies

14 Friday

Free Film Series, 8:00 p.m.
Center for Women's Studies

18 Tuesday

Brown Bag Lunch, 11:30-12:20
Center for Women's Studies

19 Wednesday

Joanna Rankin, feminist physicist
Brown Bag Lunch, 12:00 p.m.
Center for Women's Studies

21 Friday

Free Film Series, 8:00 p.m.
Center for Women's Studies

25 Tuesday

Brown Bag Lunch, 11:30-12:20
Center for Women's Studies

27 Thursday

Women's Studies Program Annual
Banquet, Merrill House

Studies is accepting applications right now for work at the Center next year. If you are interested in becoming part of the Center's activities, fill out the application on the back page of this newsletter. Everyone is welcome to apply. Each student will be called for an interview which will include a discussion of projects she/he would like to work on, as well as events the Center is already

planning for the Fall.

The Center for Women's Studies has had an exciting year thus far, and there are still more programs planned. Check the calendar on this page for upcoming events during the remainder of Spring semester. Stop by the Center anytime to study in our library, to check out our many programs, to suggest new ideas for events you would like to see on campus, or just

to say hello. You are always welcome.

Joan D. Mandle
Director

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The Center for Women's Studies

presents

Jeanne Marecek

*Brewing Trouble:
Feminism &
Psychology*

**Monday March 27
7:30**

Center for Women's Studies Classroom

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presents

Daphne Patai

*Feminism
&
Utopia*

**Thursday April 13
7:30**

Center for Women's Studies Classroom

Fall 1995 Application

Get Involved at the Center for Women's Studies!

I'm interested in helping at the Center for Women's Studies during Fall Semester....

Student Assistant Position

Volunteer Position

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Box #: _____

Project Ideas: _____

Return to Jennifer Leigh at the Center for Women's Studies, East Hall!