

# Feminist Approaches to Justice

## 1 Empowerment of Women and Girls in the Digital Age Friday, 10th March 2023, 8:30 – 10:30am EDT, Church Center, 8th floor



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## 2 Reintegration and Representation of Justice System-Impacted Rural Women

Saturday, 11th March 2023, 10:30 – 12:30am EDT, CCUN, 11th floor



Dr. Dawn Beichner-Thomas is Professor in Criminal Justice Sciences and Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies at Illinois State University. She is a member of the Executive Committee of the World Society of Victimology and represents the organization at the United Nations. She is also the Vice Chair of the American Society of Criminology’s Division of International Justice.

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Dr. Sheetal Ranjan is Professor in the Departments of Justice Studies and Sociology at Montclair State University. Her recent work is in partnership with Jersey Shore University Medical Center to establish a Hospital-Based Violence Intervention Program (Project HEAL) and a Community Based Violence Intervention Program (Elevate) and to evaluate it.

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An author of several books and scores of articles on India's politics and foreign policy, Maya Chadda is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and Professor Emeritus at the William Paterson University. She has worked as a consultant at the United Nation's Development Program and served on the review boards of several think tanks including the Woodrow Wilson Center, and The United States Institute of Peace research in Washington D.C.

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Dr. Anita Patankar is Director of the Symbiosis Centre for International Education and Founding Director of the Symbiosis School for Liberal Arts (India's first 4-year liberal arts college). She has been actively engaged in the Indian higher education space for 38+ years. Since heading India's first 4-year liberal arts degree program, she has focused on developing competencies for inclusive and innovative learning processes, nurturing a deep acceptance of the long-term benefits of internationalization at home, and creating 'fair and just' learning ecosystems.

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## 3 The Impact of Technology on Women & Girls in the Justice System Tuesday, 14th March 2023, 8:00 – 10:00am EDT, Virtual Pane



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Kay Coghill is a Ph.D. Candidate in the Media, Art, and Text program at Virginia Commonwealth University. Their research focuses on digital misogynoir, specifically on Twitter, and investigates how Black women and non-binary femmes create harm reduction online. Kay is also the Digital Director at me too. International.

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## 4 Rural Women and Girls and A Just Society

Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm EDT



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Dr. Vania Ceccato is a Professor at the Department of Urban Planning and Environment, KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden. She researches the situational conditions of crime and fear in urban and rural environments, including gendered safety and the intersectionality of victimization. Her books include *Crime and Safety in the Rural* (2022) and *Transit Crime and Sexual Violence in Cities* (2020).

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Dr. Gilly Hartal is a senior lecturer in the Gender Studies Program at Bar-Ilan University. Her published research and teaching interests include geographies of sexualities and gender, queer theory, qualitative methodologies and specifically the production of spatial belonging through discourses of inclusion and exclusion along national, ethnic, gendered, class and sexual trajectories.

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Dorotea Gómez Grijalva (Maya K'iche') is a lesbian feminist, anthropologist, and social worker. She has a master's degree in Social Anthropology from the State University of Campinas, São Paulo, Brazil. One of her recent writings is the article "My Body Is a Political Territory." Her work focuses on violence, exclusion, and the political participation of women and Indigenous Peoples in Guatemala.

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