



Copenhagen PhD & Master Class

Gender and Body Dynamics

May 5th and 6th 2014

Keynote speaker

Professor **Aihwa Ong**

University of California, Berkeley, US

PUBLIC LECTURES

May 5th

13.15-15.00, CSS 35.01.44

*Reassembling the Body: The
Contrary Affects of Cancer*

Explores how Asian scientists assemble disparate objects to configure a field of Asian oncology that is invested with the affects and ownership of the problem of specific kinds of cancer menacing Asian bodies.

May 6th

14.15-16.00, Studiestræde 6, Anneks B

*Global Baby, Donor Baby:
Reassembling the Body,
Unsettling Citizenship*

Explores the passport baby, the globally assembled baby, and the baby donor of stem cells as fuzzy objects that have appeared in the new biopolitics of enhancing life possibilities.

For more information on the course, see koensforskning.soc.ku.dk

Organizers: The Co-ordination for Gender Research, in cooperation with the Department of Sociology and the Graduate School of Social Sciences

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Format

The first Copenhagen Master Class in Gender and Body Dynamics will take place in May 2014 with professor Aihwa Ong, University of California, Berkeley as the keynote speaker and main discussant. The course is composed of two lectures and two dialogue sessions over three days.

The focus of the dialogue sessions will be issues raised in Aihwa Ong's lectures, and will include elaborations of important concepts in her work, such as Global Assemblages, Flexible Citizenship, Neoliberalism and Socialism from afar etc. Participation in the dialogue sessions will be limited to a selected interdisciplinary group of researchers, PhD fellows and MA students (max 20 participants), who will be required to provide 1-2 relevant questions for the dialogue, which may be of general interest to Ong's work and/or relate to their own research projects.

PhD fellows and MA students will receive 2 ½ ECTS credits for participation with questions, and 1 ½ ECTS credits for participation without questions.

In your application you are requested to express your interest in, and motivation for, participating the advanced dialogue sessions. Maximum length is 20 lines. Please attach a brief CV. The deadline is April 25th.

For more information and application, go to koensforskning.soc.ku.dk

Program

May 5th

13.15-15.00, CSS 35.01.44

Public lecture

Reassembling the Body: The Contrary Affects of Cancer

15.30-17.00, CSS 35

Inaugural reception for the Gender Certificate initiative

May 6th

9.15-12.00, CSS 35.3.12

Dialogue session I

The session will focus on professor Ong's work.

14.15-16.00

Public lecture, Studiestræde 6, Annex B

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May 7th

9.15-12.00, CSS 35.0.12

Dialogue session II

The session will focus on the work of participating PhD fellows and MA students.