WOMEN’S STUDIES IN RELIGION
2012 FALL EVENTS

September
* WELCOME RECEPTION
Wednesday, September 19th
5:30-6:30 in the Bade Museum at PSR. Come, eat, and meet faculty & students that are interested in womens studies. This is a family friendly event, please come!

* WSR will be hosting a roundtable discussion with Professor of Buddhism and Buddhist Pastoral Care, Daijaku Kinst on Friday September 21st from 10-11:30 in the Dinner Boardroom. This will touch on the theme of the “Domestic Dharma” conference on Saturday September 22, from 9-5 at the Jodo Shin Center 2140 Durant Avenue Berkeley a chance to discuss some of the issues involved in current research relating to women and Buddhism. Pastries and coffee will be served. Check [http://www.shin-ibs.edu/domestic](http://www.shin-ibs.edu/domestic) for conference details. (2 units)

October
* WSR will be co-sponsoring a CJS lunch with Professor, Author, and Poet Joy Ladin “Through the Door of Life: A Jewish Journey Between Genders” on Wednesday, October 3rd at 12pm on the first floor of 2465 LeConte Ave. Dr. Ladin is a professor of English and holds the David and Ruth Gottesman Chair in English at Stern College of Yeshiva University. (2 units)

* WSR hosts Preparing the Academic Conference Paper Proposal Panel with Dr. Flora Keshgегian; Dr. Inese Radzins; & Dr. Jennifer Davidson. Brown Bag Lunch Tuesday, October 9th 1-2pm Dinner Boardroom A discussion of questions such as: How does one respond to a call for papers? What makes for an effective proposal? What should one include in a proposal & what should be left out? (2 units)

* WSR Cafe Series: Dr. Darleen Pryds “Women Preachers & Leaders: The Roman Catholic Tradition that Gets Overlooked” Wednesday, October 10 at 10:30 am at Church Divinity School of the Pacific 2451 Ridge Road Berkeley in Denniston Commons. Dr. Pryds will explore traditional models of female leadership in the Roman Catholic tradition especially in the Franciscan tradition. (2 Units)

November
* Women’s Studies in Religion 2nd Annual Student Conference on Women and Religion on March 1st of 2013. Call for Papers open ONLY to GTU students in ANY program. Due November 1st 2012: Email a Proposal (maximum 1000 words), Outline, and Bibliography to wsr@ses.gtu.edu.

* WSR Cafe Series: Naomi Seidman “A Sentimental Education: Sexuality, Secularization, and the Emergence of Modern Jewish Literature” Friday, November 2 at 10:30 am at . Dr. Seidman will explore the transformations of traditional Jewish culture in modernity as the adoption of bourgeois European marital structures, erotic practices, and gender roles. (2 units)

* Wsr hosts Rev. Jeanne Loveless “What They Don’t Teach You In Seminary: Negotiating Contracts, Loving Yourself, & Staying Calm No Matter What” FST 1712 Euclid Ave. Monday, November 12th 6:10-7:30 pm (1 unit)

Please check the WSR website or Facebook group ‘GTU Women’s Studies in Religion’ for up-to-date event info.

Contact [wsr@ses.gtu.edu](mailto:wsr@ses.gtu.edu) with any questions.