We are delighted to announce the schedule for the inaugural Capital District Feminist Studies Faculty Consortium Conference, which will be on Friday, Jan. 18 from 1-5pm at Albany Law School. The schedule can be found below and also at the conference website at http://albanylaw.edu/event/CDFSFC/Pages/schedule.aspx.

Attending the conference is free, but please register at the conference website if you plan on attending so we have an accurate headcount. If you have trouble registering, contact Darlene Cardillo at dcard@albanylaw.edu.

Please share the conference information with others who you think would be interested in attending. We hope to see you there!

2013 Conference Schedule

1:00-1:10
Opening Remarks
Lisa Campo-Engelstein, Assistant Professor, Alden March Bioethics Institute & Department of OBGYN, Albany Medical College
Sarah Rogerson, Assistant Clinical Professor of Law, Albany Law School
Keith Hirokawa, Associate Professor of Law, Albany Law School

1:10-2:30
Faculty Panel 1
Ann Johnson, Visiting Professor of Political Science, University at Albany (SUNY) “The Paradox of Gender Victimization, Rape and Hate Crimes Sentencing Enhancement in the State of New York”
Nancy Michela, Associate Professor of Nursing, The Sage Colleges “Feminism & Nursing Education: Pedagogy, Content & Influences”
Janet Spitz, Associate Professor of Business, The College of St. Rose “Contraception: Civilization to Women, Devil’s Spawn to Insecure Men”
Rachel Stein, Professor of English, Siena College “Sex, Population, and Environmental Eugenics in Margaret Atwood’s Oryx and Crake and The Year of the Flood”

Followed by a short break

2:40-3:40
Student Panel
Mary Armistead, Law Student, Albany Law School “Struggling to Attain the Work-Life Balance: Leaving Behind the Care-Giving Rhetoric”

Sydney Faught, PhD Student – Philosophy, University at Albany (SUNY) “Dominance and Epistemology: ‘Knowing’ Women”

Dan Van Winkle, Law Student, Albany Law School “Caring About the Story We Tell”

Followed by a short break

3:50-5:00
Faculty Panel 2
Kristen Hessler, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, University at Albany (SUNY) “Social Change and Women’s Human Rights”

Meika Loe, Associate Professor of Sociology and Women’s Studies, Interim Director of LGBTQ; Director of Women’s Studies, Colgate University “Women, Aging and Resilience”

Barbara Sutton, Associate Professor of Women’s Studies, University at Albany (SUNY) “Fashion of Fear: Securing the Body in an Unequal Global World”

Closing Remarks
Penelope Andrews, President & Dean, Albany Law School

Reception to follow.