CALL FOR PAPERS

The University of Nebraska at Omaha's Women's and Gender Studies Program (WGS) welcomes submissions for the 2024 No Limits Student Research Conference.

The past few years have seen an extraordinary shift in our nation's politics and culture, both positive and negative. The overturning of *Roe v. Wade* by the U.S. Supreme Court, for example, has injected additional urgency into both scholarship and activism. There have been certain gains in LGBTQ+ rights, but we have also witnessed backlash from state and local governments. Both in the US and globally, women's economic status and health declined during the COVID-19 crisis and has not rebounded. This year's conference theme invites graduate and undergraduate students to explore the implications of these changes and challenges.

Not all presentations need to address the conference theme, though they should focus on issues of interest within women, gender, and sexuality studies. All disciplinary approaches (the sciences, social sciences, humanities, etc.) and perspectives (global, national, or local) are welcome! We also invite proposals for special sessions, roundtables, and workshops. Please contact the conference organizers for additional instructions (davidpeterso1@unomaha.edu).

Submission Instructions (by February 12, 2024)

- Select <u>Submit Your Abstract</u>, which will take you to EasyChair
- Create an EasyChair account (if you don't have one already)
- Submit your proposal!

Be sure to include the following with your submission:

- Title of your paper/proposal
- 150-300 word abstract (or description of creative project)
- · your institutional affiliation and email address

All presentations should be no longer than 15 minutes (be sure to time yourself!).