

## YSI @ ATGENDER SPRING CONFERENCE



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### Rethinking Gender Statistics

*What is measured becomes visible.*

*What is visible can be monitored and gets improved!*

#### **Ligia Nobrega “EIGE’s gender statistics database”**

*It’s a comprehensive knowledge centre for gender statistics and information on various aspects of (in)equality between women and men. It has been developed by the European Institute for Gender Equality (EIGE). EIGE is an autonomous body of the European Union, established to contribute to and strengthen the promotion of gender equality, including gender mainstreaming in all EU policies and the resulting national policies, and the fight against discrimination based on sex, as well as to raise EU citizens’ awareness of gender equality.*

**Internal discussion: Agenda for the next activities of the YSI Gender and Economics Working Group**

## YSI Working Group Gender Economics

*Migration, asylum, war, global crises, financial markets, employment, growth, media, arts, history, policies, welfare state and social investments, institutions, health, climate change and environment are all gendered, because gender relations work in all spheres of life. A gender perspective means testing conventional disciplinary boundaries and developing alternative methodologies involving interactions with other categories of analysis such as race, ethnicity, class and sexuality.*

The working group focuses on gender issues in a **critical, transnational and interdisciplinary** perspective. Specifically, the working group aims at redefining gender analysis outside of its traditional boundaries, exploring an **alternative social economic thinking**, as well as **new** perspectives of the current economic and political predicament at both European and international level. Our work will develop around three broad areas:

- Gender and social policy;
- Gender and globalization - migration, crises, finance and microfinance;
- Gender and culture - representation, narrative and arts.

### OUR ACTIVITIES:

- On-line lectures by experts from academia and practitioners
- Webinars: young scholars research presentations
- Creation and development of a network of researchers and practitioners engaged on gender from several perspectives

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