

# Backlash for women

30 november

**Annedalsseminariet, ROOM 204, GOTHENBURG**

*The purpose of this seminar is to illuminate how women systematically are being deprived of their human dignity and subsequently becomes lawless and vulnerable to abuse of various kinds. Our seminar wants to highlight that this is a global phenomenon with many faces where the fundamental issue is concerning women's right to decide about their own lives, have influence in the society and not being subject to physical or mental abuse*

The seminar is **free** and open to anyone who is an academic or works in an organization that have these questions as interest. Lunch and coffe included.

If you are interested in attending, you can **sign up** with contact informations and enter your special requests by 21 november to the invitation email or at [gadip.sverige@gmail.com](mailto:gadip.sverige@gmail.com). If there is any questions about the seminar, do not hesitate to contact: Diana Matei 0764-27 12 49

OBS The registration is binding and non-participation is charged with 200 kr

GADIP is an unpolitical, non-profit association consisting of researchers and association activists to create a meeting place where theory and practice meets in a dialogue that has gender perspective on current social issues. Some elements will be in Spanish, English and others in Swedish

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# PROGRAM

**08:00 – 08:30 Breakfast**

**08:30 – 08:45 Wellcome!** *Carina Larusson, GADIP.*

**08:45 – 09:30 *The problematic masculinity practices and effects - about discipline of women here and there.*** *Jesper Fundberg, Malmö University,* introduces the seminar emphasizing the global connections between a general decline of women in the light of a hierarchal understanding in which men have the power in society and in private life. What consequences does that imply for women and girls?

**09:30 – 10:00 *"Grab them by the pussy" - Donald Trump.*** *Shanga Aziz, Locker Room Talk,* are sharing their work with us about how to contribute to gender equal norms and conversations amongst boys in the locker rooms.

**10:00 – 10:30 Coffe**

**10:30 – 11:15 *The everyday life of women with violence, torture and political backlashes in Latin America.*** *Maria Teresa Rivera and Angelica Peñas* informs us about how a ban on abortion leads to unsafe justice system and legal abuse in El Salvador.

**11:15 – 12: *Women and children on sale in Europe.*** *Malin Roux Johansson, RealStars.* The sex industry is constantly harvesting new victims, and the existing demand amongst men to have sex with children and women comes with a price in many perspectives. What is the worth of a woman? What is the worth of a child?

**12:00 – 13:00 Lunch**

**13:00 – 14:30 *Female Genital Mutilation and child marriage.*** *Eva Hammar and Jamilla Musse, Idil* talks about oppressing norms, vulnerability of being married away, genital mutilation and other abuses in war and peace in Africa. *Hauwa Mahdi, Gothenburg University,* is giving an academic perspective on the issue.

**14:30 – 15:00 Coffee**

**15:00 – 16:00 *My mother is 12 years old.*** *Nargiza Ozguzel,* from Turkey talks about Turkey bill to pardon statutory rape if perpetrators marries the victim. While other countries in the Middle East and North Africa is abolishing this law, Turkey is introducing it. What are the onsequences for women and girls? *Mino Koefoed, Gothenburg University* is going to illuminate the issue in a wider perspective talking about the success of *Kurdish women's movement.*

**16:00 – 16:45 *Free love for girls is deadly.*** *Sohelia Fors, Khatoon.*

**16:45 – 17:00 Ending reflections.**

**17:00 Mingel**



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