



## International Final Conference of IGIV

26th - 27th of October 2011

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Where: Berlin, Rosa Luxemburg Foundation;  
Franz-Mehring Platz 1, 10243 Berlin

**“Implementation Guidelines for an Intersectional Peer Violence Preventive Work”** (short: IGIV) is a project for developing an intersectional educational, social and violence preventive work. Five partner organisations from five countries (Peace Institute, Ljubljana/Slovenia; Men’s Counselling Centre Graz/Austria; share-it, Spoleto/Italy; Eurocircle, Marseille/France and Dissens e.V. from Berlin/Germany) have been working intensively for two years on a common approach to intersectional violence prevention. First focussing on analyses of the current state and needs in regard to an intersectional educational and social work, we then proceeded to the development of guidelines for intersectional pedagogical work, tools and methods as well as a European training course on that basis. The results of the project are presented and discussed at the final conference. Pedagogues, experts from the fields of politics, administration and science and anyone who is interested are hereby kindly invited to attend. The conference will be held in English. ([www.intersect-violence.eu](http://www.intersect-violence.eu))

### Preliminary Programme

#### **Wednesday, the 26<sup>th</sup> of October 2011 (full day)**

Welcoming and opening of the conference

**Presentation of the IGIV Project results:** Handbook (with guideline) on intersectional educational, social and violence preventive work plus website with tools, methods, media and training course by the **IGIV-Team**

**Keynote: "I am violent, I am": Gender, Race and Class and the Social Construction of the Violent Subjectivity".**

by **Elsa Dorlin**, professor of Political and Social Philosophy at Paris 8 Vincennes/Saint-Denis

Discussion of the keynote in language groups, followed by a joint debate with Elsa Dorlin

Lunch Break

Presentation of the **IGIV Modules** by the IGIV project team

**Working groups** on content-based issues and securing results

**Evening programme** in the Youth Club “DTK Wasserturm” in Kreuzberg

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Thursday, the 27th of October 2011 (until 1 pm)

**Keynote: Dangerous Intersections: Reflections on the Violence Preventive View on Boys with „Migration Background“.**

by **Koray Yılmaz-Günay**, head of the Migration Unit of the Rosa Luxemburg Foundation

When it comes to violence and violence prevention, boys with “migration background” are the focus of attention. At the intersections of different power and dominance relations, especially debates in politics and the media constitute the background of a complex conflict situation which can only be understood and overcome with an intersectional perspective.

Discussion of the keynote in language groups, followed by a joint debate with Koray Yılmaz-Günay

**Working groups** on questions and recommendations regarding the dissemination and implementation of the IGIV results and securing results

Closing of the conference at 1 pm

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**Elsa Dorlin** is a Professor of Political and Social Philosophy at Paris 8 Vincennes/Saint-Denis University since 2011. Prof. Dorlin was an Associate Professor of Philosophy in Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne University from 2005 to 2010 and a UC Berkeley Visiting Associate

Professor of Critical Theory for 2010-2011. She received her Ph.D in the History of Philosophy from Sorbonne University (Paris 4) in 2004.

In 2009, she was awarded the Bronze Medal for research in philosophy by the CNRS (French National Center For Scientific Research). Her main field of research is the relation between body, violence and subjectivity in political theory, the historical epistemology of sex and race in medical thought and queer and feminist studies.

She is the author of several books, *La Matrice de la race : généalogie sexuelle et coloniale de la Nation Française*, (La Découverte, 2006) and *Sexe, genre et sexualité: Introduction à la théorie féministe*, (PUF, 2008) as well as numerous articles on medical definition of sexual and racial identities, on the French veil debate, on Foucault, on Fanon and post-colonial “mythologies.” She is currently working on a book concerning self-defense.

**Koray Yılmaz-Günay** has been working as an activist, author and trainer in political education on the topics of racism, sexism, antisemitism and homophobia and their intersections in practical work for more than ten years. The concrete function of ideas of inequality forms the focus of his work. He is an advisor and the head of the Migration Unit at the Rosa Luxemburg Foundation.

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