

Workshop in Urban Feminist Research: ETHNOGRAPHIC RESEARCH TOOLS

Sat. 28 + Sun. 29 July 2018

10:00 – 17:00

Khalil alSakakini Cultural Centre

Situated within the dynamic early 21st century context of urbanization, the project “**Urbanization, Gender and the Global South: a transformative knowledge network**” will conduct research and engage in public education and policy enrichment in 7 cities in lower middle-income countries to advance understanding of how the relationship between poverty and inequality is being transformed, focusing in particular on how this is reconstituting gender relations and women’s right to the city in post- and neo-colonial contexts. This research bases on an interdisciplinary and comparative partnership between 35 feminist urban scholars and activists from 10 countries. Partners include universities, women’s organizations, civil society groups, policy organizations and the multilateral UN Habitat Gender Hub.

Within this framework, we are holding a workshop on Ethnographic Research Tools in the context on Urban and Feminist Research. The aim of the workshop is to train field researchers with techniques and some of the basic relevant information needed to conduct original research. The workshop program is as follows:

Day 1	INPUTS
10:00 – 10:15	Introduction
10:15 – 11:45	Session 1 What is urban research? What is feminist research? What can urban feminist research do?
11:45 – 12:15	Coffee Break
12:15 – 13:45	Session 2 Ethnographic research in Palestine: methods, challenges and potentials
13:45 – 15:00	Lunch Break
15:00 – 16:30	Session 3 Working in and communication with local communities in Palestine
16:30 – 17:00	Closing of Day 1
Day 2	PRACTICE
10:00 – 11:30	Session 4 Research methods: overview on the quantitative and qualitative divide and the methods of the GenUrb project
11:30 – 12:00	Coffee Break
12:00 – 13:30	Session 5 Practice 1: Conducting Qualitative Interviews
13:30 – 14:45	Lunch Break
15:00 – 16:30	Session 6 Practice 2: Conducting Mental Mapping Workshops
16:30 – 17:00	Closing of Day 2

Trainers: Dr. Linda Peake, City Institute, York University, Canada
Dr. Rabab Tamish, Centre for Excellence in Teaching & Learning, Bethlehem University, Palestine

Participants: The workshop will be limited to 12 participants

Registration: please write to genurb@ur-bana.com