



VI International Scientific Conference on **Women in Science**

entitled

„Masculinity and femininity: towards gender complementarity”

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The Team for Best Practices, a member of EPWS (European Platform of Women Scientists), the Institute of Sociology at Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw along with the Polish Sociological Association are pleased to announce the VIth International Scientific Conference on *Women in Science* to be held on **10 April 2019** entitled:

Masculinity and femininity: towards gender complementarity

at the Institute of Sociology at the Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw (Wóycickiego 1/3 str., Warsaw, Poland).

Reflection on femininity, the assessment of social position of women and a critical analysis of the division of life into two spheres – private and public, encourage us to discuss issues such as masculinity, men's social situation and the consequences for men caused by dual approach of culture, society and human condition. Our aim is to invite scholars to discussion about gender issues and problems of discriminations by concerning topics related to the male identity and the situation of contemporary men which is driven by social and cultural changes.

This year we will comprise the broad range of issues of masculinity and femininity transformations in contemporary societies. While stereotypical thinking about gender is becoming less popular and different variants of fulfilling social roles are becoming more popular, we propose to discuss about not only gender differences but mainly about gender complementarity.

This year, the discourse of the sixth annual conference will be focused on the following areas:

- ✓ transformations within femininity and masculinity;
- ✓ social, family and professional roles of women and men;
- ✓ gender complementarity;
- ✓ femininity and masculinity in traditional and modern approach;
- ✓ redefinition / negotiation of the division of duties and family and household tasks;
- ✓ practicing science by women and men;
- ✓ female and male academic career models;

We are also open to other topic suggestions.

We invite researchers representing various academic disciplines: sociologists, psychologists, economists, lawyers and representatives of other sciences interested in the subject to attend the conference. We accept all paper types, including conceptual papers, research papers and case studies.

Abstracts in Polish or English should be sent by **15th March 2019** to email address: **womeninsciencezdsdp@gmail.com**. They should not exceed 500 words. Confirmation of acceptance will be sent by **20th March 2019**. Organizers plan to publish book of abstracts. The official languages of the conference will be Polish and English.

In case of any questions regarding conference, scientific program or submissions, please do not hesitate to contact us (womeninsciencezdsdp@gmail.com).

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Venue of the conference:

Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw
Faculty of History and Social Sciences
Institute of Sociology
Wóycickiego 1/3 str., 01-938 Warsaw, Poland

Important Dates:

15th March 2019 – abstract submission deadline
20th March 2019 – acceptance notification to authors
31st March 2019 – deadline for conference fee
30th April 2019 – full papers submission deadline

Conference fee:

Full participation (presentation during the conference and publishing the article) – 400 PLN (95 EUR)
Only presentation during the conference without publishing the article – 300 PLN (70 EUR)
Only publishing the article without the presentation during the conference – 300 PLN (70 EUR)

The conference fee must be paid until **31 March 2019** to the Polish Sociological Association (PSA) account:

ul. Nowy Świat 72, 00-330 Warszawa

Account number:

PL 75 1020 1156 0000 7802 0059 7252 (payment in PLN)

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All Invoices will be issued by the PSA for the person or institution that will provide payments.

The conference fee includes: the conference's materials, coffee break and lunch.

Conference fees are non-refundable. Participants are to cover travel and accommodation expenses on their own.

We aim to publish the conference proceedings in a special volume. The final decision about publication will depend on achieving a positive review. All papers must be written in accordance with the editing requirements and sent before the end of April 2019 to the above email address: womeninscienczdsdp@gmail.com. Editorial requirements will be sent later.