

Gender, Violence & Armed Conflict Symposium & Dialogue

**April 14
11:30-5:00**

Liu Institute For Global Issues

The symposium addresses themes such as the inter-relationship between gender and the use of violence against civilians in intra-state conflicts, and the motivations and interests of states, non-state armed groups and global actors that operate within these landscapes of violence.

12:00 Panel One: Voice and Catharsis: Critical Reflections on Survival and Agency Amidst Violence

13:30 Panel Two: Praxis and Partnership: The Influence of Epistemic Communities on Violence.

Join Us Afterward for Refreshments And A Free Film Screening

Gender Against Men

Gender Against Men is a production of the Refugee Law Project, Faculty of Law, Makerere University and winner of best documentary at the 2009 Kenya International Film Festival. The film exposes the hidden world of sexual and gender-based violence against men in the conflicts of the Great Lakes Region. It demonstrates how male identities are under attack and how rape when used as a weapon of war affects husbands, fathers, brothers and the community.

For more information, please check our website:

<http://www.wix.com/genderviolence/symposiumgvac#!programme>