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School of Law and Social Sciences Centre for Social Justice and Global Responsibility  
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Gender and Sexualities Research Group @genderandsexualitiesLSBU  
present:

**'1918-2018: 100 Years of the Women's Vote in Britain: How Far Have We Come'  
Saturday 16 June 2018,  
London South Bank University  
90 London Road  
London, SE1 6NL**

**#100yearsvote**

## **Conference Programme**

### **9.30-10am Registration**

**10am-11am Keynote address:** Sam Smethers (CEO The Fawcett Society)  
'Courage calls: it's #Ourtimenow: why 2018 is a tipping point for gender equality'

### **11am-11.30am Refreshments**

### **11.30am-1pm: Panel 1 and Panel 2**

#### Panel 1: Women in Justice

Chair: Craig Barker (LSBU)

Chris Magill (LSBU): 'Reflections on Teaching Gender in Criminology'

Yasmin Rehman (Feminist, human rights activist and researcher): 'Roadblocks to Justice'

Baljit Ubhey (Crown Prosecution Service): 'Prosecuting Cases of Violence Against Women and Girls'

## Panel 2: Women in Academia

Chair: Clara Eroukhmanoff (LSBU)

Nicholas Allen (Royal Holloway) and Heather Savigny (De Montfort University): 'Cultural Sexism in UK Academia'

Asiya Islam (University of Cambridge): 'The Myth of the Academic Genius'

Deborah Gabriel (Bournemouth University): 'Women of Colour and (In)Equality Inside the Ivory Tower: How Far Have We Come and How Far Have We To Go?'

### **1pm-2pm: Lunch + Short film screenings and market stalls**

#### **1.30pm-2pm: Performance by Naomi Paxton**

Naomi is a researcher, writer and performer. Her research interests include the performative propaganda of the suffrage movement, and networks and cultural histories of feminist theatre.

### **2pm-3.30pm Panel 3 and Panel 4**

#### Panel 3 Women and Work

Chair: Shaminder Takhar (LSBU)

Helen Glew (University of Westminster): 'Side by side with the claim for the vote': the significance and legacy of the suffrage campaigns for women's rights in the workplace, 1918-1946'.

Caitriona Beaumont (LSBU): 'Housewives and Citizenship: What did having the vote mean to women working in the home in the 1950s and 1960s Britain?'

Barbara Lindsay (Advisor on race, equality and diversity): 'Issues/Challenges faced by Black Women in the workplace'

#### Panel 4: Women, Migration and Agency

Chair: Jaya Gajparia (LSBU)

Elaine Bauer (LSBU): "'She's always the person with a very global vision": The Gender Dynamics of Migration, Narratives Interpretation and the Case of Jamaican Transnational Families'

Ann Phoenix (UCL): 'Destabilising historical homes: Women, migration and the "Windrush generation"'

Suzanne Scafe (LSBU): 'Black British Feminisms and the archival turn'

### **3.30pm-4pm: Refreshments**

### **4pm-5.30pm: Panel 5 and Panel 6**

Panel 5: Women in the future of STEM

Chair: Maggie Hammond (LSBU)

Kathleen Richardson (De Montfort University): Title TBC

Gabriela Gallegos Garrido (LSBU/University of Cambridge): Title TBC

Safia Barikzai (LSBU): Title TBC

Panel 6: Women in Politics and Activism

Chair: Caitríona Beaumont (LSBU)

Sarah Childs (Birkbeck, UoL): 'if we can't have quotas can we at least have Section 106?'

Gita Saghal (Secular Space): 'Feminists who challenged empire and built a new world: the UN and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights'

Shaminder Takhar (LSBU): 'Political activism, minority ethnic women and the challenge of electoral politics'

**5.30pm-5.45pm: break**

**5.45pm-7pm: Plenary Roundtable**

**'Looking back/Looking forward: 100 years – how far have we come? A personal reflection'**

Chair: Clara Eroukhmanoff (LSBU)

Participants: Sarah Childs (Birkbeck, UoL), Shân Wareing (LSBU), Louise Ryan (University of Sheffield), Yasmin Rehman (Feminist, human rights activist and researcher).

7pm-8pm: Reception

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