

Sex/Gender, Neuroscience: What do We Know?

IAS WORKSHOP

25 June 2025
14.00 › 17.00



IAS Room
Floor 0
MSA Belval



Registration
mandatory

PROGRAMME

14.00 › 14.10

Welcome

By Prof. Dr. Claus Vögele, Head of IAS

14.10 › 15.30

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By Prof. Dr. Anelis Kaiser Trujillo, Guest speaker

Professor at Center for Gender Studies - University of Basel (Switzerland)

15.30 › 17.00

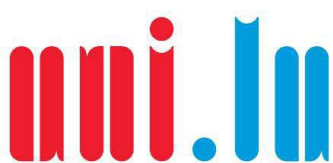
Coffee break and networking

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Speaker

Prof. Dr. Anelis Kaiser Trujillo

Professor of gender studies at MINT, University of Freiburg.



Anelis Kaiser Trujillo was a professor of Gender Studies in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) at the University of Freiburg, Germany, from 2017 to 2023. Today, she is an affiliated professor at the Center for Gender Studies at the University of Basel, Switzerland.

She earned her PhD from the University of Basel in 2008 and has since conducted pioneering interdisciplinary research at the intersection of neuroscience, gender studies, and social psychology. Her work critically examines the impact of heteronormative norms on scientific understandings of sexual orientation and challenges deterministic approaches to sex and gender in neuroscience. This led her to co-found The NeuroGenderings Network, a research initiative dedicated to questioning and deconstructing gender stereotypes in brain science.

Kaiser Trujillo's research combines functional magnetic resonance imaging (fMRI) with intersectional gender theory, emphasizing that sex and gender cannot be studied in isolation but must be understood in relation to factors such as race, social class, sexuality, and disability. Her transdisciplinary approach has expanded her work beyond neuroscience, fostering collaborations with experts in computer science, biotechnology, microsystem engineering, and environmental research.

In recognition of her innovative contributions to feminist scholarship and the study of social inequalities, Anelis Kaiser Trujillo was awarded the Emma Goldman Award 2021, presented by the FLAX Foundation.