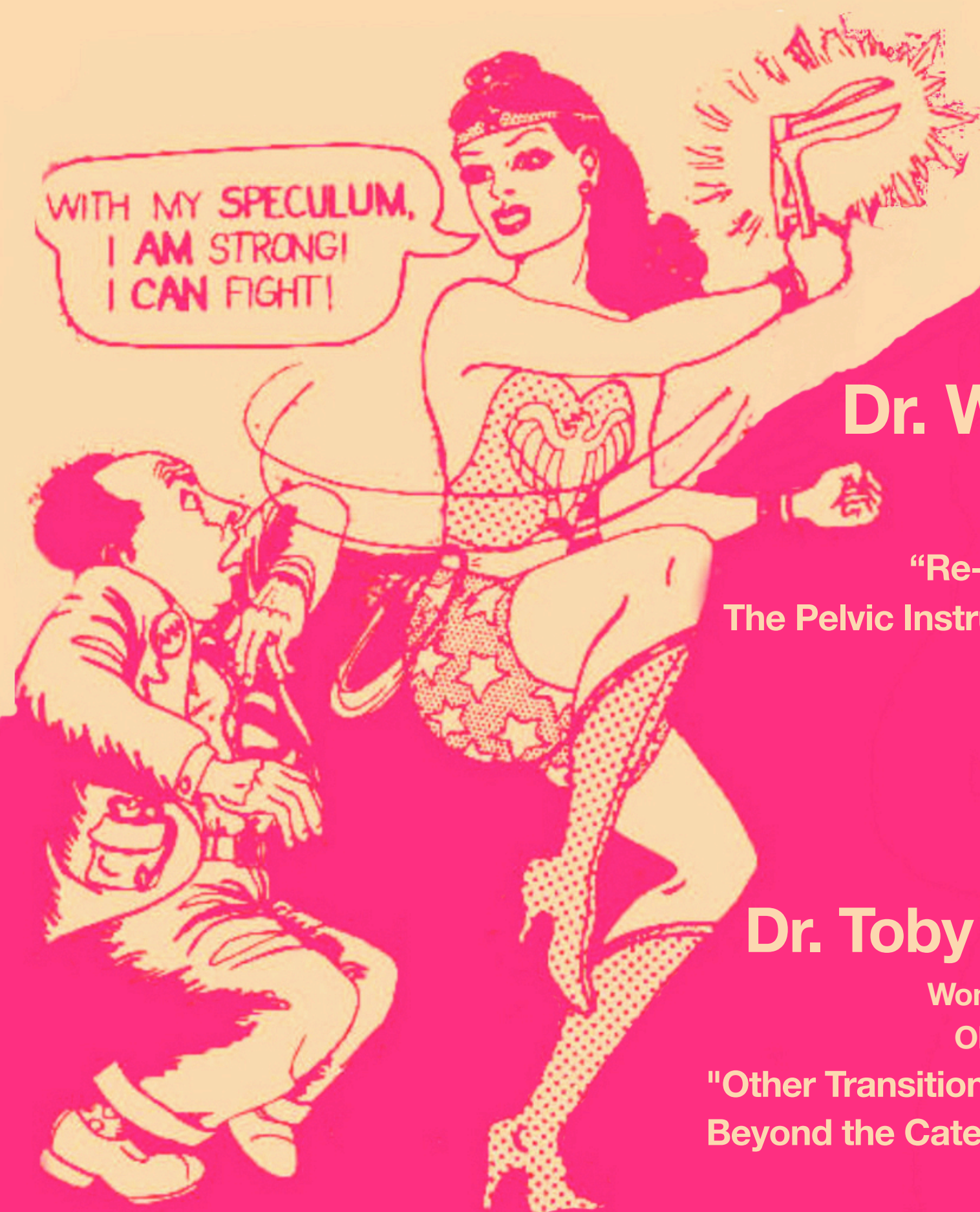


QUEER, FEMINIST, AND TRANS STUDIES AND THE

UNDISCIPLINING OF SCIENCE

MAY 16-17, 2013



Keynotes:

Thurs, May 16

Dr. Wendy Kline

History,

University of Cincinnati

"Re-examining the Pelvic:

The Pelvic Instruction Controversy of
the 1970s"

Fri, May 16

Dr. Toby Beauchamp

Women and Gender Studies,

Oklahoma State University

"Other Transitions: Hormonal Balance
Beyond the Category of Transgender"

STUDENT COMMUNITY CENTER

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Conference Schedule

THURSDAY, MAY 16

11:30-12pm **Conference Registration and Welcome | Room A**

12-1pm **Pursuing graduate work in Queer, Feminist and Trans studies | Room A**

Light refreshments served

Undergraduates interested in grad school for queer/feminist/trans studies are cordially invited to an informal conversation with current graduate students working in this field. Bring any questions you may have!

1:10-2:30pm **Panel 1: Medical Discourses of Eugenics and Reproduction | Room A**

- ◆ William Schlesinger: "Essentializing Reproduction and Reproducing Essentialism: Gender and Sexual Identity in the Discourse of Reproductive Biology"
- ◆ Krysten Lobisch: "Imperfect Vessels: Science, Technocracy and the Creation of the Pregnant Body"
- ◆ Matt Franks: "Blackness, Queerness, and Eugenic Negativity"

2:40-3:30pm **Panel 2: Surveilling Sexuality | Room A**

- ◆ Gelare Khoshgozaran: "Sex Tape: A Document(ation)"
- ◆ Alex Fine: "From Symptom to Syndrome: Perversion and the Queer Politics of Rehabilitation"

3:45-4:45pm **Panel 3: The Unclassifiable Body in Medical Discourse | Room A**

- ◆ Jessica Lewis-Turner: "Cul-de-Sac: Case Narratives of Hermaphroditism and the Birth of Queer Modernism"
- ◆ Xan Chacko: "Ambiguous Bodies and their Role in the Anatomy of Gender"

5pm | Keynote Address | Room D

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FRIDAY, MAY 17

9-10:15 **Professionalization & the Job Search in Queer, Feminist and Trans studies | Room E**

Light refreshments served

Graduate students seeking academic careers in queer/feminist/trans studies are cordially invited to an informal conversation with Dr. Toby Beauchamp, recent graduate of UCD's Cultural Studies Graduate Group and current Assistant Professor of Women's and Gender Studies at Oklahoma State University.

10:30-11:45am **Panel 4: Born this Way: Queering Birth Narratives of Sexual Identity | Room B**

- ◆ Jim Sydnor: "Disidentify this way: (Sexual) Identity and the Metaphysics of Birth"
- ◆ Natalie Turrin: "Got it From my Mama! Epigenetics and the Evolutionary "Mystery" of Homosexuality"

12:30-2pm **Panel 5: Trans-cending Medicalization: Queer Approaches to Trans Health | Room B**

- ◆ Taylor Cruz: "Revisiting Normativity, Queerness and Biomedical Participation: A Qualitative Exploration of Transgender, Gender Non-conforming, and Queer Experiences in Relation to Medical Discourse"
- ◆ Cristoph Hanssman: "Neutral Desires: Transgender Classification and the Search for the "Neutral" Diagnosis"
- ◆ Alex Niculescu: "Fixing Gender: The Specter of Eugenics and the Production of Transsexual Bodies"

3:10-4pm **Panel 6: Undisciplining the Early Modern | Room B**

- ◆ Karolyn Reddy: "Disciplining Science: Epistemology, Violence and Susanna Centlivre's "Philosophical Girl""
- ◆ Emily Kuffner: "Pox and Paradox: The Early Modern Prostitute as Disease and Cure"
- ◆ Winfried Schleiner: "Reflections on 35 Years of Study in Early Modern Same Sex Relations"

4pm | Keynote Address | Room D

Other Transitions:

Hormonal Balance Beyond the Category of Transgender

Dr. Toby Beachamp, Oklahoma State University