

## Forum for GenderCompetence in Architecture Landscape Planning (gender\_archland)

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## Impressions of the Foundation Ceremony on July 2nd, 2008



Talking about  
research - education - transfer



Discussing  
Networking

Looking forward to a faculty future with  
gender\_archland



## Initiative at the Faculty of Architecture and Landscape Sciences

- an interdisciplinary platform aiming to integrate gender perspectives in disciplines of planning and designing
- Forum for inter- and transdisciplinary approaches
- seeking for cooperation with research institutes, political and administrative institutions on regional, national, international level
- active within the three fields: research - education - transfer

around 60 active supporters from universities, planning offices and networks in Germany and from abroad

since 2011: Section of the "Circle of Friends" of the Leibniz University Hannover e.V.

## Intentions of gender\_archland

- bringing together GenderCompetence in the fields of spatial / environmental planning in history, presence and future
- promoting communication, cooperation, networking
- implementing gender knowledge into research, education and practice
- establishing gender approaches in planning sciences
- understanding as a National Focal Point of Gender Planning

## Activities in research

### ForschungsForen (ForFo) \_ Fora of Research for working and networking

2009, January	kick-off gender perspectives
2009, October	history of planning professions
2010, April	gender planning theory
2010, November	rural development
2011, ...	migration
	safety / security
	...

## Activities in research

### Funded Projects

EFRE      Prospects of tailored-to-demand retail trade structures in the rural regions of Lower Saxony (feasibility study)

IKEA      Housing in Germany  
(updating the famous Silbermann study out of the 1960es)

### Preparing further Acquisition

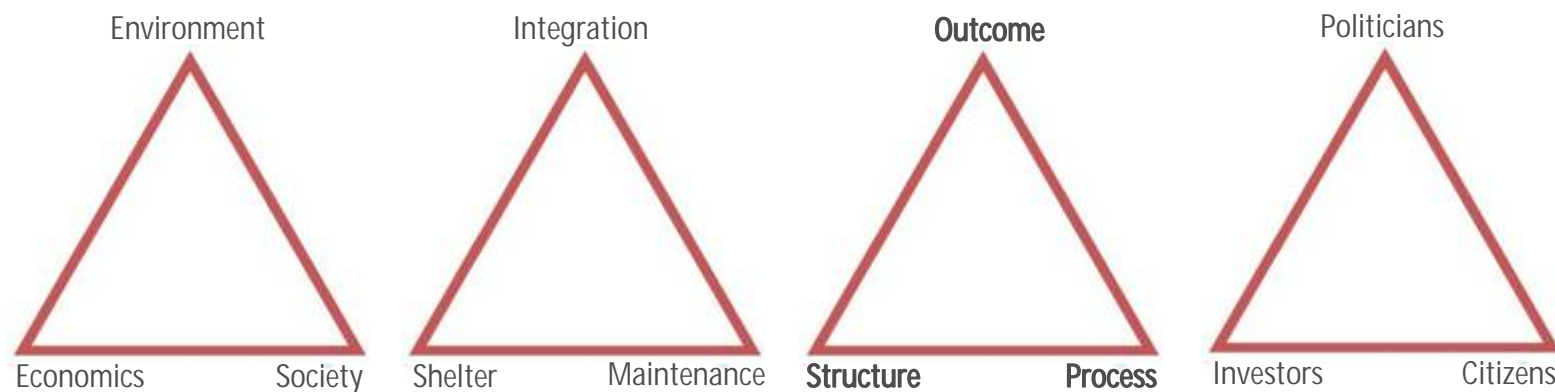
Female migrants as founders of new businesses

European metropolitan areas (guiding principles)  
Characters / personalities in planning (biography and status)

## Forming gender planning theory (step: Ashgate publication)

### Gender and Sustainability and the future of the European City

- magic triangle of sustainability
- sustainability triangle of housing
- **triangle of gender mainstreaming**
- triangle of good governance



## Activities in education

### Interdisciplinary Gender Moduls

### Women and men in (landscape) architecture and planning

B.Sc. Architecture

B.Sc. Landscape architecture and Environmental planning

### Gender Studies in Spatial sciences

M.Sc. Architecture and Urbanism

M.Sc. Landscape architecture

M.Sc. Environmental planning



## Activities in education

### International Guest Professorships based on GDUS network connections

2009-10	Lidewij Tummers (NL)
2010-11	Eva Alvarez (E)
2011	Doris Damyanovic (A)
2012	...

Seeking for perpetuity

Searching for funding



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## Activities in transfer

### Gender Trainings in municipalities Freiburg – Wolfsburg – Nürnberg





## Activities in transfer

### (International) Gender Lectures

Within the Faculty's lecture series „di um 6“ (on Tuesdays at 6)

2008, November	Kerstin Zillmann, Hamburg
2010, April	Lidewij Tummers, Delft / Rotterdam
2010, June	Marlies Rohmer, Amsterdam
2010, July	Cristina Garcia-Rosales+Ana Estrado, Madrid
2011, January	Eva Maria Alvarez
2011, May	Round Table with selected (Landscape) Architects from Lower Saxony
2011, June	Doris Damyanovic, Vienna

## Activities in transfer

Series *weiter\_denken* „thinking beyond“

### Vol. 1: History of profession

Beate Ahr, Roswitha Kirsch-Stracke

Women as pioneers in nature conservancy and education

Margarete Ida Boie (1880-1946), Helene Varges (1877-1946)



### Vol. 2: A different way to practise

Lidewij Tummers, Johanna Niescken

German (landscape) architects in international comparison  
a transdisciplinary project / preparing an exhibition



## Series *weiter\_denken*

### Vol. 3: Results in research education transfer of three years *gender\_archland*(working title)

Who we are

What we want

Activities 2008 – 2010

Looking forward to the next steps

release planned in 2011



## Activities in transfer

### From university to public\_ a student's exhibition

First idea: La Mujer construye

Next step: A different way to practise

Result: On stage!



### Further step(s)

Traveling to Valencia ... Vienna ... anywhere else  
where GDUS women live and work?

## Future activities

### Research

- National grants
- European context
- GDUS?

### Education

- Guest professors (from GDUS?)
- Junior professorship "Space and Gender"?
- Basics in gender planning theory

### Networking

- On regional – national – European level