CENTRE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION AND EQUITY RESEARCH

ESW Open Seminar Series

Monday 31 October, 5-6.30pm Room 118, Jubilee

Professor Miriam David, University College London, Institute of Education, UK

Misogyny in Higher Education

Professor David will present the theme of her two recently published, complementary books:

Reclaiming Feminism: Challenging Everyday Misogyny
(Bristol: Policy Press, 2016) is a memoir of being an academic and activist. She reflects on changes in the global, neo-liberal academy and how feminism is now everywhere and nowhere influential.

Professor David focuses especially on recent changes on campus about sexual abuse and harassment.

A Feminist Manifesto for Education (Cambridge: Polity Press, 2016) focuses on Professor David's EU-funded research on sexual violence in the context of changing international policies and practices. How to educate and train professionals within higher education to challenge gender-related violence amongst children and young people was our key focus. What does this tell us about transforming sex and relationships education for the future?

