

Psy-technologies, subjectivities and inter-disciplinary languages: a conversation on biopolitics and contexts

*A one-day workshop by Advanced Centre for Women's Studies, School of Development Studies, TISS,
Mumbai, in collaboration with University of Sheffield*

Venue: School of Health System Studies Meeting Room
Time: 10:30 am to 3:00 pm

10:30 Am to 10:45 AM:

Introduction to the Workshop: China Mills, University of Sheffield, Asha Achuthan & Bindhulakshmi P, Advanced Centre for Women's Studies, TISS

10 45 Am to 11 30 AM:

Governance mechanisms, questions of subjectivity, technology, digitisation and the health-industrial complex

Lead discussants: Asha Achuthan, Mathew George, China Mills

11 30 AM: Tea break

11.45 to 12.30 PM:

Feminist and postcolonial perspectives on and critiques of biomedical sciences and structures

Lead discussants: Bindhulakshmi P, Kimberley Lacroix, Gita Chaddha, Amrita Banerjee

12.30 to 1.15 pm

Revisiting Mental Health Service provisions in India today

Lead discussants: Ketki Ranade, Rajani Konatambigi, Shubhada Maitra

1.15 pm – lunch

2 to 2.45 pm:

Relating the broader contexts of recent shifts in governance/ surveillance and citizenship – in Indian contexts – the questions of Aadhaar and digitisation

Lead discussants: Nandini Manjrekar, China Mills, Asha Achuthan

2.45 to 3.30 pm:

Curricularisation – the changing historical meanings of 'gender and health' in medical and social science curricula

Lead discussants: Gita Chadha, Nandini Manjrekar, Bindhulakshmi P.

Tea and closing remarks