

**CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS**  
***Youth, Gender and Sexuality: Contemporary Debates***

*Wednesday 25 January 2012*  
*09:00-18:00*  
*East Midlands Conference Centre*  
*University of Nottingham, UK*

**Organisers:**

Dr. Andrew Kam-Tuck Yip, University of Nottingham, UK  
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**Aim:**

This conference aims to bring together scholars in the social sciences and humanities who are doing cutting-edge theoretical and/or empirical research on young people's lived experiences in relation to gender and/or sexuality in contemporary society.

This deliberately small-scale conference, involving no more than 15 participants, will provide a platform for in-depth and productive dialogue. The organisers intend to publish selected contributions as an edited volume or a special issue for a journal.

The conference is free. Refreshments and lunch will be provided on the day.

**Abstract Submission:**

Please submit, by **15 October 2011**, an abstract of no more than 250 words, alongside a brief biographical note (max. 100 words) to Dr. Yip ([andrew.yip@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:andrew.yip@nottingham.ac.uk)) and Dr. Page ([sarah-jane.page@durham.ac.uk](mailto:sarah-jane.page@durham.ac.uk)).

**Preparation for Conference:**

All participants must submit a fairly developed paper of 5000 words to the organisers by 5 January 2012, which will be distributed among participants in advance of the conference to facilitate in-depth discussion on the day. More guidelines will follow.

Following the conference, fully developed papers selected for publication must be submitted to the organisers by 26 March 2012.