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DIVISION MEETING

The annual meeting of the Division on Women and Crime will be held on Friday, October 31 from 8:30 to 11:00 A.M. in Whitehall. Coffee and doughnuts will be provided.

Divisional business will include elections for new officers of the Division and the usual reports from committees of the Division.

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SESSIONS DEALING WITH GENDER AT THE 1986 MEETINGS

The following is a list of sessions which deal specifically with gender and crime. Thanks to Barbara Price, Program Chair, and Donna Hale, liaison from the Division, we have a fine program this year, with over 30 sessions at which our members may learn about the most recent research on gender and interact with one another. We also expect good attendance from those who are not members of our Division, as we have had in the past. The program looks exciting — read on!

Wednesday 11:30-12:45

"Interpersonal Violence Involving Women"
"Theoretical Issues in the Study of Domestic Violence"

Wednesday 2:45-4:15

"Feminist Criminology: The Juncture of Women's Place, Women's Crime and Women's Victimization"

Wednesday 4:30-5:45

"Issues in Sexual Victimization"
"Literary Views of Women Criminals"

Wednesday 6:00-7:15

"Women and Crime in View of Biohygenics"
"Domestic Violence and the Popular Press"
"Victim Response to Rape: Research on Prevention and Treatment"
Thursday  8:00-9:30
"Women as Police Officers: Inside and Outside the Organization"
"Violence and Women"
"The Female Criminal: From Initial Cause to Execution"

Thursday  11:30-12:45
"Economic Issues: Women and Crime"

Thursday  2:45-4:15
"The Role of Officer Gender in Violent Encounters with Citizens"
"Family Violence: An African Perspective"
"Women and Children in Crisis: State Policy"
"The Victim's Perspective: Legislation, Litigation and Media"

Thursday  6:00-7:15
"Delinquency and Schools"

Friday  8:00-9:30
The Female Offender: A Potpourri"

Friday  9:45-11:15
"Batterer and Victim Characteristics: Implications and Interventions"

Friday  1:00-2:30
"Women Murderers: The Clue to the Etiology of Homicide"
"Victimization of Women: Theory and Examination: Domestic Violence Among Minorities"
"Child Abuse: Issues and Controversies"
"Inmate Mothers and Their Children"
"Comparative Prostitution: Past and Present"

Friday  2:45-4:15
"Female Homicide and Domestic Violence"

Saturday  10:45-12:15
"Family Violence Research: Linking Police, Health and Social Service Records"

Saturday  12:30-2:00
"Women Incarcerated: Adjustment Behind Bars"
"Women as Victims and Victimizers:"
"The Battered Woman's World: Questions of Self, Home and Shelter"
"Interrelationships Between Victimization, Alcohol, Drugs and Delinquency for Male and Female Adolescents"
"Social and Legal Issues Concerning Domestic Violence"
As you can see, we are victims of our own success! Many of the panels dealing with gender and crime overlap each other time-wise. There are so many papers being presented in our area now, that they must overlap.

Be sure to check your program when you arrive in Atlanta, as there may be some last-minute changes.

NO-HOST COCKTAIL PARTY

The Division on Women and Crime will again co-sponsor a cocktail party with the International Division. This function is from 6:30 to 8:00 on Thursday night. Though the divisions are always too poor to give away drinks, we may have snacks this year! See you there!

We look forward to some exciting sessions, good companionship and general fun in Atlanta, October 29 - November 1!