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**Call for Papers**  
**Gender & Crime –**  
**Sexual self-determination and gender-based violence**  
Virtual conference  
**24-25<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

Dear Colleagues,

We hereby cordially invite you to the second Gender & Crime conference. The considerable response at the first event showed us how great the interest is for gender aspects in criminal law, criminology, victimology and correctional science and how diverse these topics are. A particular focus of the inaugural conference – both in the presentations and in the discussions – were the topics of sexual self-determination and gender-based violence, with catcalling and femicide being among the central issues. The interdisciplinary approach to these phenomena has made it clear to us how important a continuous exchange of information on current research and the resulting findings is. On account of this, we want to specifically address topics that deal with sexual autonomy as well as gender-based, anti-feminist violence this year. We would therefore particularly welcome abstracts concerning violence in interpersonal relationships, (image-based) sexualized violence, hate crime against women and members of the LGBTQIA+ community, femicide, catcalling, anti-feminist ideologies, for instance amongst incels or in right-wing extremism, but also on topics related to sexual self-determination and gender-based violence. Through this focus we wish to establish a guiding theme for this year's convention, but at the same time other contributions which deal with the connection between gender and crime are also welcome. As we wish to include more international perspectives this year, we welcome abstracts written in English.

The specialist conference will take place on **Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup>** and **Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup>**, and will once again be held in the form of a virtual meeting. The intended format for both days is panel discussions with short presentations (max. 15 minutes each) followed by a discussion. In addition to keynote speeches and panel sessions, workshops will provide the opportunity to present and discuss current research results. We therefore also encourage the submission of workshop ideas. In addition, more time will be dedicated to social exchange this year in order to identify research questions and perspectives, and to offer scientists working in this field greater opportunities for networking. A post-conference summary in a Nomos anthology is also planned for this year.

Abstracts can be submitted from now until **31.05.2022** via email to [genderandcrime@kfn.de](mailto:genderandcrime@kfn.de). They should consist of a text no more than 1500 characters (including spaces) with the subject "Abstract Gender & Crime 2022". Abstracts should be sent in conjunction with a short CV (max. 2 pages). A decision on acceptance of the contributions will be made by the end of July.

The organizing team is looking forward to your participation!



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