



Political Liberalism, Welfare, Gender and Human Capabilities University of Tromsø, August 10.-11, 2004

Tuesday August 10th

- 10.00-10.30 Registration (Coffee/Tea)
10.30-11.00 Welcome
11.00-12.00 **Martha Nussbaum**, University of Chicago Law School, USA:
Capabilities, Gender, and Social Justice
12.00-13.00 Lunch
13.00-13.40 **Kirsten Ketscher**, Faculties of Law, University of Copenhagen, Denmark:
About Women's Fundamental Rights in a Welfare Society under Increasing Liberalism
13.40-13.50 Break
13.50-14.30 **Mari Teigen**, Institute for Social Research (ISF), Oslo, Norway:
An Argument in Favour of Gender Balance
14.30-14.50 Break
14.50-15.30 **Hege Skjeie**, Department of Political Science, University of Oslo, Norway:
Democracy and the Politics of Rights
15.30-16.00 Session round up. The floor is open for more comments and questions.
19.00 Conference Dinner

Wednesday August 11th

- 09.00-09.30 Registration (Coffee/Tea)
09.30-10.10 **Natalia Kukarenko**, Pomor University, Archangelsk, Russia:
Perspectives from Russia.
10.10-10.20 Break
10.20-11.00 **Kari Wærness**, Department of Sociology, University of Bergen, Norway:
The Rationality of Caring in a Global Perspective
11.00-11.20 Break
11.20-12.00 **Georges Midré**, Department of Sociology, University of Tromsø, Norway:
Human Needs and Room for Manoeuvre. Indigenous Leaders and Poverty in Guatemala
12.00-13.00 Lunch

Paper presentations:

- 13.00-13.30 **Hilde Bojer**, Department of Economics, University of Oslo, Norway:
The Social Contract, Unpaid Child Care and Women's Economic Capability
13.30-14.00 **Ann Stewart**, University of Warwick Law School, Great Britain:
Families and Feminism: Caring for Mum and Dad
14.00-14.30 Break
14.30-16.00 **Discussion (Introductory comments by Martha Nussbaum)**
16.00 Closing of Conference