Speakers

- Marianne Bjelland Kartzow (University of Oslo, Norway)
- Bernadette Brooten (Brandeis University, Waltham, MA, USA)
- Annette Bourland Huizenga (University of Dubuque, IA, USA)
- Maria Elisa Estevez Lopez (Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Spain)
- Irmtraud Fischer (Karl-Franzens-Universität Graz, Austria)
- Beate Kowalski (Technische Universität Dortmund, Germany)
- Dominika Kurek-Chomycz (Liverpool Hope University, UK)
- Peter Lampe (Universität Heidelberg, Germany)
- Lehel Lészai (Babeș-Bolyai University, Cluj, Romania)
- Heidrun Mader (Universität Heidelberg, Germany)
- Silke Petersen (Universität Hamburg, Germany)
- Uta Poplutz (Bergische Universität Wuppertal, Germany)
- María José Schultz (Universidad de Deusto, Bilbao, Spain)
- Michael Sommer (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany)
- Angela Standhartinger (Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany)
- Xavér Szabó OFM (Sapiencia Szerzetesi Hittudományi Főiskola, Budapest, Hungary)
- Ekaterini Tsalampouni (Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece)
- Korinna Zamfir (Babeș-Bolyai University, Cluj, Romania)
June 20
Arrival. Accommodation at Hotel Universitas (Pandurilor 7)
Registration at the Centre for Biblical Studies (17.00-18.45)
19.00 Dinner (Rhédey Café, Piata Unirii 9)

June 21
9.00-9.20 Opening, welcome (Conference Room of Hotel Universitas)
Anna Soós, Vice-rector, Babes-Bolyai University
Lehel Lészai, Director of the Centre for Biblical Studies

9.20-9.40 Irmtraud Fischer: Introducing The Bible and Women Project

Cultural, Social and Religious Context
9.40-10.00 Korinna Zamfir, Uta Poplutz: Introducing Women in the Epistles. The Ideology of Gender Spaces and Roles in the Greco-Roman World

10.00-10.40 Peter Lampe: The Rhetoric of Gender in the Epistles of the New Testament

10.40-11.00 Coffee

11.00-11.40 Bernadette Brooten: Jewish Female Leaders and Benefactors (Archisynagogai, Elders, Mothers of the Synagogue, Hierisai)

Women in the Household (I)
11.40-12.10 Christine Gerber and Tanja Forderer: Wives, Separation, Divorce
12.10-12.40 Discussion

13.00-14.50 Lunch (Hotel Universitas - Restaurant)


15.30-16.10 Angela Stanghartinger: Duties of Age. Old Women in New Testament Epistles

16.10-16.30 Coffee

16.30-17.10 Michael Sommer: Widows. Remarriage, Spiritual Marriage, and the Example of the Univira

17.10-17.50 María José Schultz: The Submission of Women in First Peter

17.50-18.30 Discussion

20.00 Dinner (Rhédey Café, Piata Unirii 9)

June 22
Women in the Ekklesia

9.00-9.40 Dominika Kurek-Chomycz: Women Apostles, Co-Workers, Itinerant Teachers and Hosts of Domestic Ekklesiai

9.40-10.20 Ekaterini Tsalampouni: Diakonoi in the Corpus Paulinum and Beyond

10.20-10.50 Coffee

10.50-11.30 Korinna Zamfir: Women as Learners and Teachers. Women’s (Lack of) Authority

11.30-12.00 Irmtraud Fischer: Conclusions

12.30-15.00 Lunch (Sinaia Restaurant, 1 Decembrie 1918 110)

The Rhetoric of Gender

15.00-15.40 Silke Petersen: Is the Gospel Liberating for Women? Freedom, Equality and Submission

15.40-16.20 Marianne Bjelland Kartzow: A Polyphony of Silence and Speech? The Ambiguous Female Voices of the Corpus Paulinum

16.20-16.50 Coffee

16.50-17.30 Beate Kowalski: God and Metaphors of Femininity in the Epistles

18.00-20.00 Cultural walk in the old town

20.00 Dinner (Café Bulgakov, Inocentiu Micu Klein 17)

June 23
Theology of Gender / Gendering Theology
9.00-9.40 Heidrun Mader: Circumcised Hagar, the Slave, and Uncircumcised Sarah, the Free Woman: Feminizing the Circumcision Scenario of the Galatian Congregations

9.40-10.20 Xavér Szabó OFM: Women as Examples of Faith in the Letter to the Hebrews

10.20-10.50 Coffee

10.50-11.30 Maria Elisa Estevez Lopez: The Woman – From Companion to the Deceived Deceiver. The Reception of Gen 1-2 in the Epistles

11.30-12.00 Irmtraud Fischer: Conclusions

13.00 Lunch (Nuka Bistro, Piata Unirii 16)