



# RENEWED CALL FOR CRITICAL ESSAYS CARIBBEAN REVIEW OF GENDER STUDIES SPECIAL ISSUE READING, WRITING, SEEING GENDER IN MEDIA

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Media narrates life, framing significance, memory and social character. Media technologies, as they continue to evolve, enhance and nuance our experience of identity, relationships, culture and representations. In the contemporary moment, our connectivity can be immediate, precise, quick and low cost. The effects of these dynamic characteristics of media, both traditional communication and digital technologies (especially social media), preoccupy our attention in this issue of the CRGS. We are interested in how technological developments and the changes in accessibility have impacted gendered social relations and perspectives on intersecting social identities such as gender, ethnicity, class, sexuality, religion, ability, nationality, etc. We are also interested in how digital media technologies are used to create change by feminist and other social activists.

Therefore, we ask for engagements in the Caribbean context with the following questions: What are the new and continuing conversations about gender and sexual justice and feminist activisms taking place through digital media? How have these conversations been transformed or are being transformed through these technologies? What is particular and unique within Caribbean media in terms of how we read, write, and see gender and/or sexual identities? How have new forms of media been used by community organisers and activists around issues related to gender and sexuality?

Overall, we seek to understand how gender and sexuality are read, written and seen in contemporary Caribbean societies, especially through digital media technologies.

Therefore, we invite you to submit critical essays (no more than 6,000 words), which explore any of the following themes:

- Caribbean digital media and intersecting social identities
- Caribbean Cyberfeminism and social justice activism
- Performances of gender and sexuality in Caribbean digital media
- Building movements for gender and sexual justice through Caribbean digital media
- Community building, safer spaces, and digital media in the Caribbean
- Gender, Sexuality and Race on social media in the Caribbean

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