



KEYNOTE
DIGITAL SPACES
UNCONFERENCE
SIZE MATTERS
TO LESBIANS TOO

Queer Trans Feminist
Interventions into Data,
Algorithms, and Visualizations

Jen Jack Giesecking

Assistant Professor of Public Humanities
American Studies Program, Trinity College

APRIL 30

Bard College

Reem-Kayden Center, 4:30pm

Contact:

Annie Swaford swafforj@newpaltz.edu
Melissa Rock myrock@newpaltz.edu

For more information, see
<https://hawksites.newpaltz.edu/digitalspaces/>

Does “not tiny” data ever qualify as big enough when marginalized people do not have the resources to produce, self-categorize, analyze, or store “big data”? How can algorithms and data visualizations support projects of resistance and resilience, rather than merely enact processes of data sorting and surveillance? Drawing upon research into LGBTQ organizational records and the #ftm and #mtf hashtags on Tumblr, Giesecking reveals how efforts of resistance around data, algorithms, and data visualizations can offer new narratives of lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, and queer (LGBTQ) people’s history, spaces, and lives.

Sponsored by:



The Digital Arts, Sciences,
and Humanities (DASH)
Lab at SUNY New Paltz

Bard College

The Experimental Humanities
concentration at Bard College