

Workshop Participant Consent Form

Title of this Study: Feminist Cartographies: Theory and Practice for Map Design

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Description of Research:

You are invited to participate in a study aimed at improving map design with a feminist lens. Specifically, this study investigates the theoretical and practical application of feminist theory to the mapping process, from data collection and selection to mapping techniques and map design or map form.

What will my participation involve?

If you decide to participate in this research, you will participate in a mapping workshop. This workshop will take approximate 2-3 hours to complete. You will be asked to complete mapping exercises individually and in groups.

As part of the research study, you will be asked to complete a survey at the end of the workshop and the exercise materials and products that you produce during the workshop will be collected or photographed. Researchers will take observational notes during the workshop and request to use copies of mapping exercises and products created during the workshop for research purposes. You will be invited to do a follow-up interview after the workshop is over.

Are there any risks to me?

Risk to participation is minimal. Thus, there are no foreseeable physical or mental risks to participation beyond those encountered in the normal course of everyday life.

Are there any benefits to me?

Your responses to the survey will be used to develop a better understanding of feminist mapping in practice.

How will my confidentiality be protected?

No personally identifiable or sensitive information will be collected or maintained. Group characteristics will be reported in publications of research findings. Researchers may wish to quote you without your name in publications of research findings. All data will be maintained indefinitely for future research without personal identifiers.

Whom should I contact if I have questions?

You may ask any questions about the research at any time. If you have questions about the research after you leave today you should contact Robert E. Roth, PhD (PI) at 608-262-1453. If you are not satisfied with the response of the research team, have more questions, or want to talk with someone about your rights as a research participant, you should contact the University of Wisconsin-Madison Education Research and Social & Behavioral Science IRB Office at 608-263-2320. Your participation is completely voluntary and you can withdraw from the study at any time without penalty.

Your signature indicates that you have read this consent form, had an opportunity to ask any questions about your participation in this research, and voluntarily consent to participate. You will receive a copy of this form for your records.

_____ I give my permission to be quoted directly in publications without using my name.

Name of Participant (please print): _____

Signature

Date