

Aston University's Centre for Critical Inquiry into Society and Culture (CCISC) is pleased to invite you to a public talk by our Distinguished Visitor, Professor Pamela Dickey Young, on **Tuesday 3rd July, 17.30, at Aston University, Birmingham.**

Professor Young's talk is "What's Religion Got to Do with It? How Young Adults in Canada make Decisions about 'Premarital' Sex".

Professor Young is Professor of Religion at Queen's University, Kingston, Canada, and is an expert on religion, gender and sexuality. Her previous publications include *Women and Religious Traditions* (now in its third edition; Oxford University Press Canada; 2014 - with L. Anderson), *Religion, Sex and Politics: Christian Churches and Same-Sex Marriage in Canada* (Fernwood Publishing; 2012) and *Feminist Theology/Christian Theology* (Wipf and Stock Publishers; 2000). Professor Young's latest work focuses on gender and sexuality in relation to youth, focusing on the attitudes and experiences of both religious and non-religious cohorts.

The event starts with a drinks reception at 17.30, followed by the public talk between 18.00 and 19.30. This will also include a Q+A.

The event is free. Academics, students, practitioners and members of the public are welcome. Places are limited - **to book please contact iss_researchsupport@aston.ac.uk**

Please do feel free to pass this invitation on to others in your networks who may be interested.