

MEMORANDUM

TO: University Community

FROM: Dr. Vilas A. Prabhu
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

DATE: January 12, 2018

RE: APPOINTMENT OF COORDINATOR OF WOMEN'S STUDIES MINOR

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. Christine Filippone as the Coordinator of the Women's Studies minor, effective January 22, 2018. Her term will begin as Dr. Frederika Schmitt's term as Interim Coordinator ends. This position reports to the Dean of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences. Dr. Christine Filippone is Associate Professor of Art & Design at Millersville University, where she has taught since 2009.

Dr. Filippone received her M.A. in Art History from The Pennsylvania State University and a Ph.D. in Art History from Rutgers University. Her research examines the intersections of science, technology, and feminism; and she was awarded a Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship in 2014 at the Philips Museum of Art at Franklin & Marshall College, where she researched and planned an exhibition titled *The Aesthetics of Open Systems in Cold War America* that examined the role of systems theory on social art practices in the late 1960s.

Dr. Filippone looks forward to working to grow the minor and increase its visibility both on campus and in the greater community.

I would like to thank the Women's Studies Curriculum Committee members for their assistance in the selection process.

Please join me in congratulating Dr. Filippone on her appointment as Coordinator of the Women's Studies Minor at Millersville University.