Pre-Conference workshops
The AMSA pre-conference workshops have become a popular addition to the conference. They are designed to be of special help for professionals and students in a variety of fields who work on issues related to men and masculinities.

Pre-conference workshops require a $35 (U.S.) registration fee (see the registration form) and are scheduled for 9:00-11:30 AM on Friday, April 3. Pre-registration is encouraged.

Teaching Workshop

Teaching Men’s Studies: Unique Pedagogies

Presenters:
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Mathew Johnson, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Sociology, Siena College

Continuing in AMSA’s tradition of encouraging, equipping and inspiring faculty engaged in teaching courses in the critical study of men and masculinities or those that include a unit on masculinities in courses focused on gender or sexuality, this hands-on workshop provides participants with a host of successful in-class lessons and experiences. Presented techniques include an exploration of gender stereotyping, gendered development over the life course, the intersection of gender and social structure, sex education in the classroom as well as the use of literary and dramatic texts.

For each unique course application participants will be given complete instructions, processing outlines and during the workshop, will have the opportunity to learn the modality by experiencing and discussing it. Participants will take home a new tool box full of useful one-day exercises, projects and semester assignments that will enhance their ability to engage their students in the critical study of men and masculinities.