

# **Grounding Our Concerns**

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# New families



# Gender



- Patriarchal bargains
- Normative mothers & infants
- Genetic parenthood – a male model
- Objectification of women & their reproductive organs
- Stratification & exploitation



⇒ **Repro-genetics is a women's issue**

# An Ethic of Care



- **The tyranny of biology**
- **Technological fixes**
  - Greed & desire
  - Entitlement & addiction
- **New forms of suffering**
- **Women as moral bioneers**



⇒ **From right to responsibility:  
receptivity, responsiveness, relatedness**



# Matter and Spirit

- Human – technology – nature
- New forms of human ‘being’
- Child as gift ⇔ project
- Human dignity as self-reflection
- From rational to emotional intelligence



⇒ **The wisdom of the heart**

# אתיקה של אכפתיות

