EMERGENT FEMINISMS

Complicating a Postfeminist Media Culture

Edited by Jessalynn Keller and Maureen E. Ryan



CONTENTS

List of Figures		vii
Lis	st of Contributors	ix
Acknowledgments		xii
	Introduction: Mapping Emergent Feminisms Jessalynn Keller and Maureen E. Ryan	1
Identities		23
1	Being Mary Jane and Postfeminism's Problem With Race Amanda Rossie	25
2	"Are you a Feminist?": Celebrity, Publicity, and the Making of a PR-Friendly Feminism Bryce Renninger	42
3	"I'm Cool With It": The Popular Feminism of Inside Amy Schumer Taylor Nygaard	57
4	Playing in the Closet: Female Rock Musicians, Fashion, and Citational Feminism Alyxandra Vesey	73

vi Contents

Solidarities		91
5	#iammorethanadistraction: Connecting Local Body Politics to a Digital Feminist Movement Emilie Zaslow	93
6	Indignant Feminism: Parsing the Ironic Grammar of YouTube Activism Sujata Moorti	108
7	From Pro-Equality to Anti-Sexual Violence: The Feminist Logics of Title IX in Media Culture Sarah Projansky	126
8	Black "Rantings": Indigenous Feminisms Online Verity Trott	143
An	nbivalences	159
9	The New Afro in a Postfeminist Media Culture: Rachel Dolezal, Beyoncé's "Formation," and the Politics of Choice Cheryl Thompson	161
10	#WomenAgainstFeminism: Towards a Phenomenology of Incoherence Jonathan Cohn	176
11	Lean In or Bend Over? Postfeminism, Neoliberalism, and Hong Kong's Wonder Women Gina Marchetti	193
12	@NoToFeminism, #FeministsAreUgly, and Misandry Memes: How Social Media Feminist Humor is Calling out Antifeminism Emilie Lawrence and Jessica Ringrose	211
Index		233