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Migration has emerged, over the last decade, a defining global phenomenon. Contingent upon war, economic precarity, climate change, and political instability, it has profoundly altered debates on citizenship, borders, and belonging. It has not only transformed demographic realities but has also become a central metaphor framing questions of home, loss, memory, and pathways to future. The COVID-19 pandemic accelerated this precarity. There is a general consensus among migration scholars about migration being a gendered phenomenon. Even though scholars like Anastasia Christou, Eleanore Kofman, Parvathi Raghunath and many others have significantly contributed to the field by synthesising research on gender and migration, the domain remains under-theorised. To address this lacunae, the July 2026 issue of the *Women's Link* invites original, unpublished research papers that address, but are not limited to, the themes listed below:

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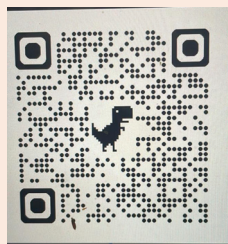
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