

SOCIOLOGY OF GENDER



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This course adopts a sociological view of gender, which moves beyond biology in understanding what gender is and how social institutions operate to perpetuate (or challenge) gendered norms and practices. Throughout the course, we will seek to understand how gender as an axis of social differentiation works in society, and to develop critical tools to analyze how society is organized around gender, by focusing specifically on how gender intersects with race/ethnicity, social class, sexuality, and ability. The main learning objectives of this course are to introduce students to the main sociological concepts, theories, and research that explain gender as a social construction, to draw connections between personal experiences and sociological analysis, and to encourage critical thinking skills that demonstrate students' ability to analyze social phenomena from a gender perspective.

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