



**London Canada**  
**Department of Gender, Sexuality, and Women's Studies**

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**No prerequisites**

**Longer Description:**

This course is an introductory and interdisciplinary survey of the diverse and changing roles of gender, sex, and sexuality in contemporary society. Together we will tackle several questions over the course of the year, including:

- How does gender and wom
- institutional practices, and changing global dynamics?
- What are the possibilities and our responsibilities for change and social justice in both local and international feminist movements? And,
- How do principles of feminist thought allow us to navigate controversial issues, including



religion, or identity and offer an analysis of the issues and methods of resistance, informed by our course texts.

### **Midterm (December Exam Period, 15%)**

The midterm exam will be scheduled by the Office of the Registrar: date to be announced. The midterm may consist of multiple choice-style questions, short answer questions, and an essay. The mid-term will run in-person. If the University/Covid/other compels our move to online delivery, the exam will be delivered via OWL without the use of ProctorTrack or similar software. 2hrs.

### **Art and Activism (10%)**

Alone or with a partner and taking a course reading as a point of reference, create a piece of art you have had moving through the world as a gendered being (keeping in mind the ways in which sexuality, race, class, dis/ability, age, religion, nationality, or.... intersect with gender). The format for this assignment is flexible and could include an infographic, a comic, a piece of art (e.g., painting, dance, poetry, music, etc), or another method of your choosing in consultation with your TA or the prof.

### **Final Research Essay (20%)**

Write a research essay (5-6 pages) on a question of interest to you and the course (e.g., a topic with relevance to an intersectional approach of the field (broadly defined) of gender, sexuality, that question through an argumentative thesis.

### **Final Exam (April Exam Period, 30%)**

The final exam will be scheduled by the Office of the Registrar: date to be announced. The final exam may consist of multiple choice-style questions, short answer questions, and an essay. The final exam will run in-person. If the University/Covid/other compels our move to online delivery, the exam will be delivered via OWL without the use of ProctorTrack or similar software. 3 hrs.