

Ph.D. Course, Gendering the Classics
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Course Instructions

Sessions

Each course session is composed of:

- A brief lecture given by a teacher to provide an overview of the literature under a specific course theme and highlight the connections between mainstream social science theories and their gender/feminist counterparts.
- A seminar at which course participants make group presentations to critically reflect upon various themes, aspects, questions, and concerns identified in the course readings to create dialogue between mainstream social science theories and gender/feminist perspectives. Group presentations should be prepared by participants prior to the seminar and uploaded on Canvas after the course session.
- At the seminar, all participants consider as to whether and the ways in which concepts and questions identified by the presenting group might be of relevance for their research.
- The course is built on participants' reading of the course literature and active participation.

Final Essay

- ✓ The final essay should relate directly to course participants' own doctoral research.
- ✓ Each course participant writes a final essay designed as a thesis chapter or a scientific article to engage with classical social science theories and their gender/feminist counterparts.
- ✓ The final essay should engage with at least 50% of the course themes and use minimum 70% of the course literature.
- ✓ In the final essay participants critically scrutinize central analytical concepts, the extent to which these might be gendered, the contribution of feminist theories to classic social science texts, and how central analytical concepts might be of relevance for participants' own research.
- ✓ The final essay should be of 8-10 pages, written in Times New Roman 12, 1.5 spacing.
- ✓ In addition, the final essay should include a front page with the author's name, affiliation, and email address as well as a page with a bibliography.
- ✓ Final essays should be uploaded on Canvas.