



UNIVERSIDAD COMPLUTENSE DE MADRID
Universidades Norteamericanas Reunidas
(Brief Course Description)

Gender Studies: Feminisms and Queer Theory (Fall Semester)

This subject aims to bring students closer to the concepts, content and problems that have shaped gender studies, feminism and reflections on affective-sexual diversity.

The subject develops a journey from the origins of gender studies up to the present, to finally tackle a reflection on the contemporary discourse and debates taking place in this discipline. The students will attain an introductory knowledge about the theories related to gender, feminisms and queer reflections on notions such as identity, difference, the body, sexuality, power, discourse, diversity or justice. Likewise, the students will learn about works that have contributed significantly to nurturing gender theory up to the present time.

Based on this knowledge, students will be able to reflect and analyse the most relevant debates and demands through an intersectional and interdisciplinary approach. Attention will also be paid to the most relevant debates in the local and international public space and to social, cultural, economic, environmental and social demands. recognition and redistribution policies that feminist and LGTBI + collectives currently propose, from the framework of gender studies.

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