



# WOMEN'S STUDIES

## Subject Guide

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### Reference Books

#### "REF" = REFERENCE COLLECTION, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

*Encyclopedia of gender and society* (2 vols.)  
REF HQ1115 .E54 2009

*Battleground: Women, gender, and sexuality* (2 vols.)  
REF HQ1115 .B38 2008

*Girl culture: An encyclopedia* (2 vols.) REF HQ798 .G523 2008

*Women, science, and myth: Gender beliefs from antiquity to the present* REF HQ1075 .W675 2008

*Gender & education: An encyclopedia*  
REF LC213.G425 2007

*Encyclopedia of women in the Renaissance: Italy, France, and England* REF HQ1148 .W67 2007

*Reel women: An international directory of contemporary feature films about women* REF PN1995.9.W6 S63 2007

*Writing African American women: An encyclopedia of literature by and about women of color*  
REF PS153.N5 W756 2006

*Encyclopedia of gender and information technology*  
REF HD6060.6 .E53 2006 (2 vols.)

*Women and gender in medieval Europe: An encyclopedia*  
REF HQ1147.E85 W66 2006

*The women's movement today: An encyclopedia of third-wave feminism* (2 vols.) REF HQ1115 .W644 2006

*Women and war: A historical encyclopedia from antiquity to the present* (2 vols.) REF U24 .W69 2006

*American first ladies* REF E176.2 .A4 2006

*The world's women, 2005: Progress in statistics*  
REF HQ1154 .W95 2006

*Sporting equality: Title IX thirty years later*  
REF GV709.18.U6 S67 2005

*Skirting the issue: Stories of Indiana's historical women artists*  
REF N6530.I6 N48 2004

*Encyclopedia of feminist literature*  
REF PN471 .W455 2004

*New Harvard guide to women's health*  
REF RA778 .C2164 2004

*Women during the Civil War: An encyclopedia*  
REF E628 .H37 2004

*Women in the labor force: A databook*  
REF HD6094 .W63 2004

*Women in the Middle Ages: An encyclopedia*  
REF HQ1143 .W643 2004

*International encyclopedia of marriage and family*  
REF HQ9 .E52 2003

*Mistresses of mayhem: The book of women criminals*  
REF HV6245 .H67 2002

*Women in medicine: An encyclopedia*  
REF R692 .W545 2002

*Encyclopedia of women and gender: Sex similarities and differences and the impact of society on gender*  
REF HQ1115 .E52 2001

*Encyclopedia of women in the ancient world*  
REF HQ1127 .S25 2001

*Handbook of the psychology of women and gender*  
REF HQ1206 .H2385 2001

*Supreme Court decisions and women's rights: Milestones to equality* REF KF4758 .A7 S87 2001

*Wimmin, wimps & wallflowers: An encyclopaedic dictionary of gender and sexual orientation bias in the United States* REF HQ76 .45 .U5 H47 2001

*American women in technology: An encyclopedia*  
REF T36 .Z54 2000

*Encyclopedia of feminist theories* REF HQ1190 .E63 2000

*Female genital mutilation: A guide to laws and policies*  
REF K5304 .F46 2000

*Handbook of family diversity* REF HQ518 .H1538 2000

*Lesbian histories and cultures: An encyclopedia*  
REF HQ75.5 .L4395 2000

*The new A to Z of women's health: A concise encyclopedia*  
REF RA778 .A494 2000

*Notable women scientists* REF Q141 .N736 1999

*Women's studies encyclopedia* REF HQ1115 .W645 1999

*Notable women in mathematics: A biographical dictionary*  
REF QA28 .N68 1998

*Women's rights on trial: 101 historical trails from Anne Hutchinson to the Virginia Military Institute cadets*  
REF KF220 .F76 1997

### E-Books (via NetLibrary database) (full-text and searchable)

*Woman question & 'Higher education'* (2008)

*Women in business* (2007)

*Women's roles in the Middle Ages* (2007)

*Women directors and their films* (2007)

*Third wave feminism and television* (2007)

*Women and information technology: Research on underrepresentation* (2006)

*Companion to gender history* (2004)

*Notable American women: A biographical dictionary completing The twentieth century* (2004)

*Women in Asia: Tradition, modernity, and globalism* (2000)

### DVDs and Videos, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

#### Selected titles

*Generation M misogyny in media & culture*  
(DVD, 2008) 305.42 .G466

*20/20 Gender, it's bigger than sex* (DVD, 2007) 155.33 .T84

*The beauty backlash* (DVD, 2007) 659.1 .B43

*Missing women: Female-selective abortion & infanticide*  
(DVD, 2006) 304.668.M57

*A history of women's achievement in America*  
(4 DVDs, 2006) 305.40973 .H57

*Maquilapolis City of factories* (DVD, 2006) 338.4767 .M37

*The Trojan women* (DVD, 2004) 791.45 .T765

*Beyond killing us softly: The strength to resist; The impact of media images on women and girls* (VHS, 2000) 659.1 .B49

*VDay until the violence stops* (DVD, 2004) 362.883.V33

*Dying to be thin* (VHS, 2000) 616.8526.D95

*He said, she said: Gender, language & communication*  
(VHS, 2000) 305.3 .H4

*Sexism in language* (DVD, 2003) 410 .S492

*Sexual stereotypes in the media* (DVD, 2002) 302.23 .M434

*Sexual stereotypes in media: Superman and the bride*  
(DVD, 2003) 302.23 .S49

*So deep a violence: Prostitution, trafficking and the global sex industry* (VHS, 2000) 306.74 .S6

*Socio-historical gender roles 20th century*  
(VHS, 1995) 305.42 .S63

#### Selected list of women's studies journals available full-text in library databases

Subject to change

See Journal Finder at

<http://at4m6hm3f.search.serialssolutions.com/>  
for most up-to-date listings.

Feminist collections (Madison, Wis.)

Feminist issues

Feminist review

Gender issues

Gender, place and culture

Hypatia (Edwardsville, Ill.)

Journal of international women's studies

Journal of women & aging

Journal of women and religion

Journal of women's health

Journal of women's history

Media report to women

NWSA journal

Off our backs

Psychology of women quarterly

Women & music

Women & therapy

Women in business

Women in management review

Women's review of books

Working women

### Recommended Web Sites

Click for [Web Sites recommended by USI faculty and librarians](#)

Women's Studies Resources, University of Iowa  
<http://bailiwick.lib.uiowa.edu/wstudies/>

Women's Studies Librarian's Office, University of Wisconsin  
<http://womenst.library.wisc.edu>

American Women's History: A Research Guide  
<http://frank.mtsu.edu/~kmiddlelet/history/women.html>

BBC Women in Power  
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/people/features/wiwp/index.shtml>

Librarian's Internet Index: Women  
<http://liiwww.ischool.drexel.edu/pub/topic/women>

American Women Library of Congress  
<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/awhhtml>

National Archives Women Resources  
<http://www.archives.gov/research/alic/reference/womens-history.html#suffrage>

New York Public Library, Women's Studies  
<http://www.nypl.org/links/index.cfm?Trg=1&d1=72&d3=Women%27s%20Studies>

### Suggested Databases

- Communication & Mass Media Complete
- JSTOR
- PsycINFO
- America: History & Life
- Historical Abstracts
- Academic Search Premier
- ProQuest Research Library

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<http://www.usi.edu/library/index.asp>

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- Click on name of database you want to search
- The **Database Login** page will appear
- Enter your **MyUSI username** and **password**
- Click **Login**

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<http://www.usi.edu/library/qsSOCIALSCIENCES07.asp>