History 72200 The Geopoliticization of Sex: Histories and Theories

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Aug. 28 Introduction to the class. There will be 9 weekly sessions with intensive reading; then 2 sessions for student presentations. 2 questions per text due each week by 8 am Tuesday; 1 formal conference paper with ppt images due at end; final research paper an alternate option.

1 Sep. 4 Sex? Rights? Causation?


Also see: The Yogyakarta Principles, https://yogyakartaprinciples.org/.

Sep. 11 and Sep. 18 No classes – CUNY rearranged schedule. Start research on your independent projects (mix one present with two pasts and two theoretical approaches).

2 Sep. 25 Family Planning

3 Oct. 2 LGBTQIA

4 Oct. 9 Sexual Violence and the Problem of Pleasure in Genocides and Military Conflicts

5 Oct. 16 Colonialism->Postcolonialism

6 Oct. 23 Slavery’s Legacies
7 Oct. 30 Saving “Others”

8 Nov. 6 Disability/Welfare/Eugenics

9 Nov. 13 Religion and Secularization, Sex and Sexism

Nov. 20 No class

Nov. 27 Project presentations #1-6

Dec. 4 Project presentations #7-12

Dec. 11 No class. *Final papers due Dec. 18.*