

AMENDED PSC 262-2C – F '05 -- Course Schedule
11:00AM-12:15PM UW 228

GLOBAL POLICY ISSUES/WOMEN AND WORLD POLITICS



PART I – GENDER AND CULTURAL POLITICS

8/18 – Introduction

8/23 -- Of Customs and Culture, Rites and Rights

Passport to Dignity Please read chapter 1 up to the section on Bangladesh.

Passport to Dignity. Ch. 3, entire.

ASSIGNMENT 1 DUE.

8/25 -- Women, Islam, and Muslim Laws

Gender equality Please read chapter one through the conclusion.

Cultural relativism

Honour killings in Pakistan

8/30 -- “Slave”

Slave, Chapters 1-6

9/1 – “Slave” & FGM

Slave, Chapter 7

FGM & International Law

Passport to Dignity Ch. 7

9/6 – “Slave”

Slave, Chs. 8-13

ASSIGNMENT 2 DUE.

9/13 – “Slave”

Slave, Chs. 14-25

9/15 – “Slave”

Chs. 26-end

ASSIGNMENT 3 DUE.

PART II – WOMEN AND DEVELOPMENT

9/20 -- Exam I

9/22-- Ecology & Women

Passport to Dignity Ch. 13

ASSIGNMENT 4 DUE.

9/27 -- Poverty and the Household Economy

Can Anyone Hear Us? Ch. 5

Passport to Dignity, Ch. 5

9/29 -- Women’s Achievements in Education

Gender Parity and Primary Education

Passport to Dignity, Ch. 6

ASSIGNMENT 5 DUE.

10/4 – Women, Reproduction, and HIV/AIDS

Reproductive Health Please read all sections.

UNFPA on AIDS Please read all sections.

Girls, HIV/AIDS and Education Please read the report, but skim over the tables.

ASSIGNMENT 6 DUE.

10/7 -- Micro-Credit for Women

Grameen Bank Introduction Please read all pages that are linked to the first three *columns* of the table at the bottom.

10/11 – Women and Elective Office

Global women's suffrage timeline

Convention on the Political Rights of Women

Passport to Dignity, Ch. 11

ASSIGNMENT 7 DUE.

10/13 -- Queens and other Leading Ladies. In-class film.

Welcome to the Official Web Site of the British Monarchy Please read “The Monarchy Today” and “The Royal Family.”

BBC News | UK | Queen drops down rich list

BBC News | EUROPE | Mrs Milosevic - Belgrade's scapegoat?

BBC News | ASIA-PACIFIC | Homage to Imelda's shoes

BBC News | ASIA-PACIFIC | The day I met Imelda Marcos

10/18 – Women of World Politics

Sirimavo Bandaranaike of Sri Lanka Dies at 84; First Woman Premier

Margaret Thatcher -- "Moral Foundations of Society"

ASSIGNMENT 8 DUE

10/20 – Exam II.

PART III – WOMEN, WAR, AND PEACE

10/25 – Goldstein, Ch. 1, Gender Roles in War

ASSIGNMENT 9 DUE

10/27 – Goldstein, Ch. 2, Women Warriors, begin

11/1 – Goldstein, Ch. 2, Women Warriors, continued

11/3 --Goldstein, Ch. 3, War and Bodies

FIRST DRAFT OF PAPER DUE! (ASSIGNMENT 10)

11/8 – Goldstein, Ch. 4, Groups

11/10 — Goldstein, Ch. 5, Heroes

11/15 – Goldstein, Ch. 6, Conquests

11/17 – MOVIE DAY – To be announced!!

REVISED PAPER DUE AT THE BEGINNING OF CLASS!

11/22 CEDAW and beyond

CEDAW

Passport to Dignity, Ch. 4

11/29 -- Student presentations of position papers

12/1 -- Student presentations of position papers

12/8 -- FINAL EXAM (Exam III, on Section III) – 10:45 a.m.-11:15 a.m.

