

**Gender & Politics**

**Instructor:**

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**GWST/POLS 4630**

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**Course Description:**

Using theoretical perspectives of pluralism, elitism, and intersectionality, this course examines how sex and gender operate in U.S. political processes, including elections, parties, interest groups, and social movements. Specific focus will be on women in politics and analyses of power dynamics in shaping marginalized identities; sex/gender, race and ethnicity, sexual orientation, class and ability.

**Prerequisites:**

GWST/ENGL 1080, GWST 2000, or POLS 1000; at least 9 combined credit hours in POLS or GWST, and junior standing.

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