

Gender and Economic Development in the Third World

An Introduction to Econ 5560/6560/Gndr5560

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What is the course about?

Gender dimensions of economic development and globalization from the perspective of feminist economics.

Highlights:

I. Central tenets of feminist economics

II. Historical overview of the policy-oriented, interdisciplinary field of gender and development

III. Globalization and Gender Inequalities

- ▶ World Bank/IMF Structural Adjustment and Neoliberal Policies
- ▶ Feminization of export employment,
- ▶ Working conditions in global factories,

What is the course about?

- ▶ Gender and poverty,
- ▶ International Migration and Trafficking,

IV. Policies/Strategies for Advancing Gender Equitable Well-being

- ▶ Access to Credit
- ▶ Conditional Cash Transfers
- ▶ Control over Assets
- ▶ Engendering Development Policies
- ▶ Sustainable Development Goals

Texts

- ▶ Beneria, Berik, and Floro, *Gender, Development, and Globalization: Economics as if All People Mattered*, Routledge 2015
- ▶ Readings on Canvas and books/ebooks are on Marriott Library Reserve

Requirements and Grading*

5560 Students:

- ▶ Participation (15%)
- ▶ Midterm Exam (20%)
- ▶ Short Assignments (20%)
- ▶ A Wikipedia article (in lieu of a term paper) (45%)

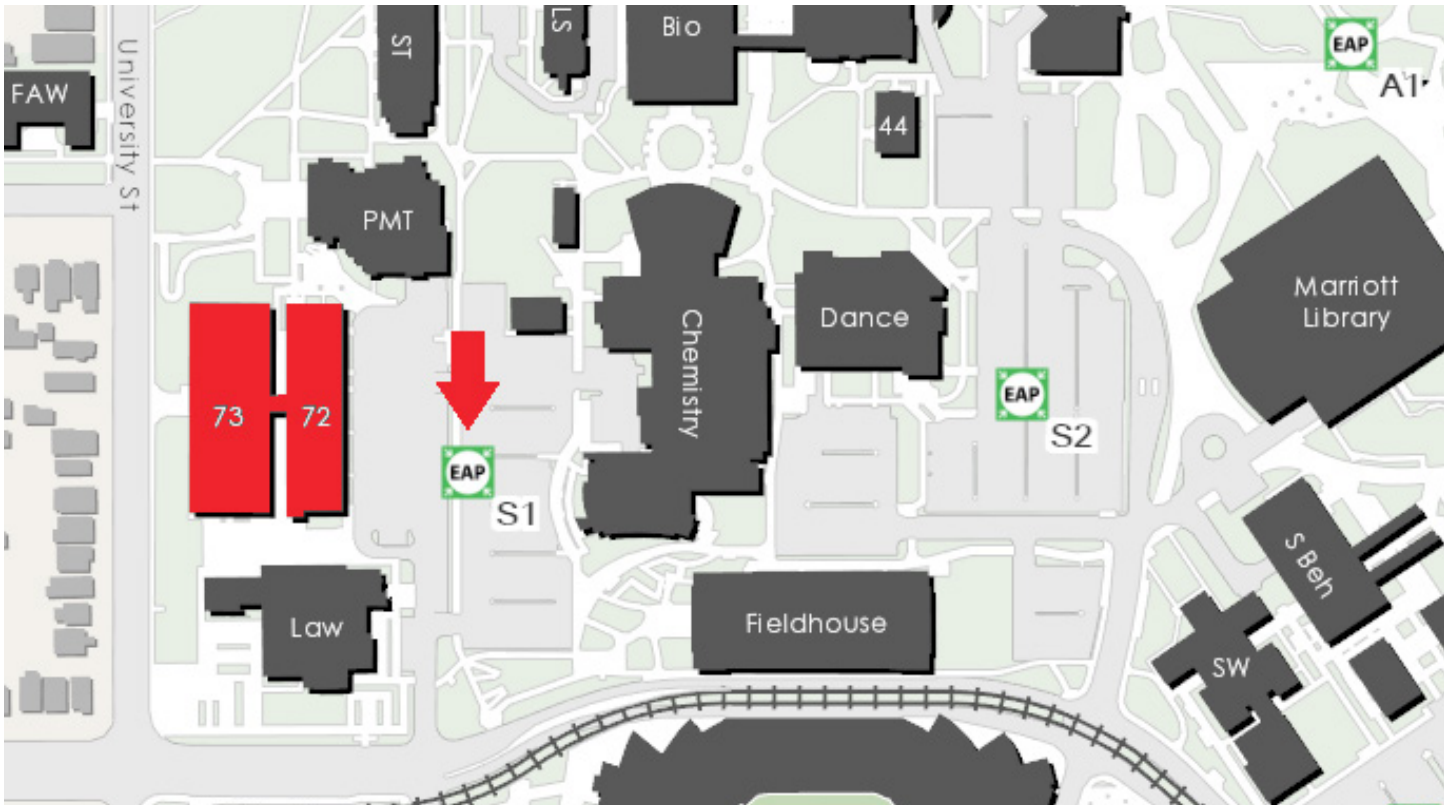
6560 Students:

- ▶ Will be held to higher standards and will write a longer Wikipedia article

*To be finalized January 4, 2018, along with the syllabus

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