Seminar in Gender, Sexuality, and Race HIS 543

THEME SEMINAR

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Thursdays 4-6:50pm SBS N-303

This course stands at the intersection of race, gender, sexuality, nation (origin and citizenship), and class. Of particular interest are communities formed as alternative and, at times, transformative spaces. In addition to reading both classic and path breaking historical works, you will be assembling your findings from the archive. How do we narrate the experiences of the undocumented, the marginalized, the colonized, the queer, the subaltern? To uncover those stories, the archive is broadly defined, ranging from traditional repositories to songs to the body to ephemeral spaces. The course is open to those who seek to craft academic narratives as well as to those who wish to explore innovative writing techniques. **Enrollment in History MA or PhD Program or Permission of Instructor.**