WST 399: Topics in Gender & Sexuality

Sex, Politics, Families

Professor Liz Montegary
M/W | 4:00-5:20pm | Frey Hall 326

- Take a closer look at the family to see how our supposedly private lives are actually entangled with power & politics
- Study the racialized regulation of sex, intimacy, and kinship in the United States from the 19th century to the present
- Learn how capitalism has shaped our ideas about what counts as a good parent and a happy & healthy child
- Explore the ways people creatively rework, (un)knowingly reject, or vehemently resist the rules of family life

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