

Women's Studies Research Guide

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I. Introduction

This is a selective guide to Women's Studies resources available at Xavier University Library Resource Center. Women's Studies are the interdisciplinary study of the status and societal contributions of women and the relationship of power and gender.

II. Dictionaries

Hoult, Thomas Ford. 1969. *Dictionary of modern sociology*. Totowa, N.J.: Littlefield, Adams.
R 301.3 H838d

III. Handbooks

Chafetz, Janet Saltzman. 2006. *Handbook of the sociology of gender*. Handbooks of sociology and social research. New York: Springer.
R 305.3 H236c 2006

IV. Encyclopedias

Boynton, Victoria, and Jo Malin. 2005. *Encyclopedia of women's autobiography*. Westport, Conn: Greenwood Press.
R 305.40922 E56b2 2005 V.1 (A-J) – V.2 (K-Z)

Lawler, Jennifer. 2001. *Encyclopedia of women in the Middle Ages*. Jefferson, N.C.: McFarland.
R 305.40902 L 418e 2001

Tierney, Helen. 1989. *Women's studies encyclopedia*. New York: Greenwood Press.
R 305.403 W872t 1991

V. Books

Campbell, Karlyn Kohrs. 1994. *Women public speakers in the United States, 1925-1993: a bio-critical sourcebook*. Westport, Conn: Greenwood Press.
R 305.42 W982c 1993

Greenspan, Karen. 1994. *The timetables of women's history: a chronology of the most important people and events in women's history*. New York: Simon & Schuster.
R 305.409 G815t 1994

Hughes, Sarah S., and Brady Hughes. 1995. *Women in world history*. Sources and studies in world history. Armonk, N.Y.: M.E. Sharpe.
R 305.409 H894w

Miles, Rosalind. 2001. *Who cooked the Last Supper?: the women's history of the world*. New York: Three Rivers Press.
R 305.409 M643w

Rosen, Martha. 1980. *"... and John, don't forget the ladies": an annotated bibliography on women*. Eunice: Louisiana State University.
Archives 305.4016 R813a 1980

Scott, Anne Firor. 1993. *Unheard voices: the first historians of southern women*. Charlottesville: University of Virginia.
R 305.40975 U57s 1993

VI. Indexes

Social Science Index (library has: volumes 17-28, 29-31, 33)
R 300 S678 1990-2007

VII. Periodicals

American Sociological Review
Library has: 1936 - 2007
Periodical 305 A512s

Social Science Quarterly
Library has: 1992 - Present
Periodical 300 S678sq

VIII. On-line Resources

[Academic Search Premier](#) – Provides full-text articles for several scholarly social science journals.

[CQ Researcher](#) – This database provides coverage of health, social trends and international affairs.

[JSTOR](#) – This database provides full text articles from social science journals

LexisNexis Academic – A database of news, business, legal and medical research.

IX. Internet Resources

Ms. Magazine Online | <http://www.msmagazine.com>

This site of Ms. Magazine presents information on issues relating to women's status, women's rights, and women's points of view.

X. Organizations/Associations

National Organization for Women | NOW | <http://www.now.org>

National Women's Studies Association | NWSA | <http://www.nwsa.org>

National Popular Culture & American Culture Associations | <http://pcaaca.org>

XI. Additional Sources

Women Make Movies | <http://www.wmm.com> | this national non-profit feminist media arts organization provides multicultural programs and resources for both users and producers of media by *women*.

XII. Library Contact

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