

**PLAN DE COURS  
ACADEMIC SYLLABUS**

<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>Gender Studies</b>			
<b>Titre du cours Course title</b>	<b>Gender &amp; Politics</b>			
	Langue Language	Heures Hours	ECTS	Année du Diplôme
	<b>English</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2A</b>
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<b>Objectifs du cours / Course objectives</b>	<b>To explore the familiar fields of political thought, political life and political institutions through the prism of gender studies. The aim is to ponder the extent to which politics is a uniquely gendered domain of human activity, and the consequences this has for how women and men take part in it.</b>			
<b>Compétences acquises/ Learning outcomes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Good command of the four insights of Gender Studies</b></li> <li>• <b>Ability to use the tools of gender studies to analyse texts in political theory</b></li> <li>• <b>Ability to use the tools of gender studies to analyse political life, particularly elections</b></li> <li>• <b>Ability to use the tools of gender studies to analyse political institutions, particularly the State</b></li> </ul>			

Contenu du cours par session/ Course content per session	Nombre d'heures/ Number of hours
Introduction: <i>Gender Studies and the study of Politics</i>	3 hs
Section one, <i>Gender and Political Theory</i>	5 hs
1. From misogyny to separate spheres: Aristotle to Rousseau	
2. Contemporary political theory: gender neutral?	
Section two, <i>Gender in Political Life</i>	
1. Parties and Trade Unions	5 hs
2. Social Reform Movements	
3. Elections	
Section three, <i>Gender and Political Institutions</i>	
1. Governments and Parliaments	5 hs
2. The State	
The last session is spent on preparing for the exam: the format is explained and past exam questions are discussed in detail.	2 hs

**Bibliographie - Auteur, titre, année, éditeur/ Bibliography - Author, title, year, publisher**

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In addition to the texts above, a number of academic articles are available on a dedicated page of AMU's virtual learning environment, AMETICE. The access code for this site will be given to students in the first lesson.

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**Mini CV de l'enseignant/ Mini CV of the lecturer**

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2011-present : Lecturer, 19th century British History, Département d'Etudes du Monde Anglophone, Faculté de Lettres, Aix-Marseille Université

2004-2009 : Doctoral fellow, Goldsmiths College, University of London

- PhD: *Feminism and the Challenge of War: responses of the Women's Suffrage Movement to the Great War*
- Directors: Richard Grayson and Michael Levin

2001-2002: MSc Political Theory, London School of Economics and Political Science

1997-2001: Institut d'Etudes Politiques d'Aix-en-Provence

**Publications**

- **The Great War in the History of British Feminism: Debates and Controversies, 1914 to the Present**, *Revue française de civilisation britannique*, 2015

- **Women! Your Country Needs You! " Fleeing Feminism or Gendering Citizenship in Great War Britain?** *Minerva Journal of Women and War*, McFarland & Co, 2008

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