

POLS : Sel Topics

LGBT Politics

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2 Course Overview

This research seminar provides a survey of the literature on LGBT politics.

3 Schedule

This schedule is not set in stone and is subject to change. I will notify you via blackboard and in class if and when the schedule changes.

Table 1: Course Schedule

Week	Topic(s)
1.	Introduction
2.	Identity / Intersectionality
3.	LGBT Rights
4.	The study of LGBT Rights in Developing Countries
5.	Morality politics
6.	Public opinion & behavior
7.	Public attitudes on gay rights
8.	Social Movements and the Global Paper
9.	Legislative Policymaking
10.	LGBT Representation
11.	Media
12.	Pride events and visibility
13.	Understanding the T in LGBT

4 Class Readings

Week 1 - Introduction

- Dennis Altman. *Global Sex*. University of Chicago Press, 2001
- JK Taylor BL Tadlock. Where has the field gone? an investigation of lgbtq political science research. In Christine Keating Marla Brettschneider, Susan Burgess, editor, *LGBTQ Politics: A Critical Reader*. 2017
- Simon LeVay. *Gay, Straight, and the Reason Why*. Oxford University Press, 2011 [Chapters 1-3]
- Judith B. Bradford and Kenneth H. Mayer. Demography and the lgbt population: What we know, don't know, and how the information helps to inform clinical practice. In Harvey J. Makadon, Kenneth H. Mayer, Jennifer Potter, and Hilary Goldhammer, editors, *Fenway Guide to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Health*. The Fenway Institute, 2008

Recommended

- Lillian Faderman. *The Gay Revolution: The Story of the Struggle*. Simon & Schuster, 2015
- Shane Phelan and Mark Blasius, editors. *We Are Everywhere: A Historical Sourcebook of Gay and Lesbian Politics*. Routledge, 1997
- Gregory B. Lewis. Lifting the ban on gays in the civil service: Federal policy toward gay and lesbian employees since the cold war. *Public Administration Review*, 57(5):387–395, 1997

Week 2 - Identity

- Amin Ghaziani, Verta Taylor, and Amy Stone. Cycles of sameness and difference in lgbt social movements. *Annual Review of Sociology*, 42:165–179, 2016
- M.V. Lee Badgett, Laura E. Durso, and Alyssa Schneebaum. New patterns of poverty in the lesbian, gay, and bisexual community. Technical report, The Williams Institute, 2013
- Simon LeVay. *Gay, Straight, and the Reason Why*. Oxford University Press, 2011 [Chapters 4-7]
- Amber Hollibaugh. Queers without money: They are everywhere. but we refuse to see them. In Susan J. Ferguson, editor, *Race, Gender, Sexuality, and Social Class: Dimensions of Inequality*, pages 259–262. Sage Press, Los Angeles, 2012
- Marcus Anthony Hunter. All the gays are white and all the blacks are straight: Black gay men, identity, and community. *Sexuality Research and Social Policy*, 7(2):81–92, 2010

Recommended

- Kimberle Crenshaw. Mapping the margins: Intersectionality, identity politics, and violence against women of color. *Stanford Law Review*, 43(6):1241–1299, 1991

- Julie L. Nagoshi, Stephan/ie Brzuzy, and Heather K. Terrell. Deconstructing the complex perceptions of gender roles, gender identity, and sexual orientation among transgender individuals. *Feminism & Psychology*, 22(4):405–422, 2012

Week 3 - LGBT Rights

- Gary Mucciaroni. *Same Sex, Different Politics: Successes and Failures in the Struggle Over Gay Rights*. University of Chicago Press, 2008
- George Chauncey. *Why Marriage? The History Shaping Today's Debate over Gay Equality*. Basic Books, 2004

Recommended

- Craig A. Rimmerman and Clyde Wilcox, editors. *The Politics of Same-Sex Marriage*. University of Chicago Press., 2007
- Joseph Nicholas DeFilippis, Michael W. Yarbrough, and Angela Jones, editors. *Queer Activism After Marriage Equality*. Routledge, 2018
- Kelly Kollman. *The Same-Sex Unions Revolution in Western Democracies: International Norms and Domestic Policy Change*. Manchester University Press, 2013

Week 4 - The study of LGBT Rights in Developing Countries

- Javier Corrales and Mario Pecheny, editors. *The Politics of Sexuality in Latin America*. Pittsburgh University Press, 2010
- Omar Encarnación. *Decentering Gay Politics in Latin America*. Oxford University Press, 2016

Recommended

- Amy. 2009 Lind. Governing intimacy, struggling for sexual rights: Challenging heteronormativity in the global development industry. *Development*, 52(1):34–42, 2009
- Javier Corrales. *LGBT Rights and Representation in Latin America and the Caribbean: The Influence of Structure, Movements, Institutions, and Culture*. University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, 2015
- Jordi Díez. *The Politics of Gay Marriage in Latin America*. Cambridge University Press, 2015
- Elisa. Facio. Jineterismo during the special period. In Eloise Linger and John Cotman, editors, *Cuban Transitions at the Millenium.*, pages 55–74. International Development Options, 2000
- Shawn Schulenberg. The lavender tide. In Shawn Schulenberg, Jason Pierceson, and Adriana Piatti-Crocker, editors, *Same-Sex Marriage in Latin America: Promise and Resistance*, pages 23–39. Lexington Books, 2013

Week 5 - Morality Politics

- N Polikoff. We will get what we ask for: Why legalizing gay and lesbian marriage will not “dismantle the legal structure of gender in every marriage”. *Virginia Law Review*, 79(7):1535–50, 1993
- David Johnson. *The Lavender Scare: The Cold War Persecution of Gays and Lesbians in the Federal Government*. The University of Chicago Press, 2004
- R. J. Cravens. The politics of queer religion. *Politics and Religion*, 2018

Recommended

- Michelle L Dion and Jordi Díez. Democratic values, religiosity, and support for same-sex marriage in latin america. *Latin American Politics and Society*, 2017
- S Hurka, C Knill, and L Rivière. Four worlds of morality politics: the impact of institutional venues and party cleavages. *West European Politics*, 2018
- John Gallagher and Chris Bull. *Perfect Enemies: The Religious Right, the Gay Movement, and the Politics of the 1990s*. Crown, 1996 [Chapters 1 and 3]
- Kevin B. Smith. Typologies, taxonomies, and the benefits of policy classification. *Policy Studies Journal*, 30(3):379–395, 2002

Week 6 - Public opinion and political behavior

- Samara Klar. The influence of competing identity primes on political preferences. *Journal of Politics*, 75(4):1108–1124, 2013
- M. Kent Jennings, Laura Stoker, and Jake Bowers. Politics across generations: Family transmission reexamined. *Journal of Politics*, 71(3):782–799, 2009
- Gary Mucciaroni. *Same Sex, Different Politics: Successes and Failures in the Struggle Over Gay Rights*. University of Chicago Press, 2008 [Chapter 1]
- Stephen C. Craig, Michael D. Martinez, James G. Kane, and Jason Gainous. Core values, value conflict, and citizens’ ambivalence about gay rights source. *Political Research Quarterly*, 58:5–17, 2005
- Jeffrey Lax and Justin Phillips. Gay rights in the states: Public opinion and policy responsiveness. *American Political Science Review*, 103(3):367–386, 2009

Recommended

- Gregory B. Lewis. The friends and family plan: Contact with gays and support for gay rights. *Policy Studies Journal*, 39(2):217–238, 2011

Week 7 - Public Attitudes on Gay Rights

- Allan Bérubé. *Coming Out Under Fire: The History of Gay Men and Women in World War Two*. Plume books, 1990

- Jeffrey Lax, Justin Phillips, and Alissa Stollwerk. Are survey respondents lying about their support for same-sex marriage? lessons from a recent list experiment,. *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 80(2):510–33, 2016
- Daniel C. Lewis, Barry L. Tadlock, and Jami K. Taylor. Transgender politics as body politics: Effects of disgust sensitivity and authoritarianism on transgender rights attitudes. *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, 5(1):4–24, 2017
- Andrew R. Flores. Reexamining context and same-sex marriage: The effect of demography on public support for same-sex relationship recognition. *International Journal of Public Opinion Research*, 26(3):283–300, 2014

Recommended

- D.M Rayside. *Queer inclusions, continental divisions: Public recognition of sexual diversity in Canada and the United States*. University of Toronto Press, 2008
- Andrew R. Flores. Examining variation in surveying attitudes on same-sex marriage: A meta-analysis. *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 79(2):580–593, 2015

Week 8 - Social Movements and the Global Paper

- Phillip M. Ayoub. *When States Come Out*. Cambridge University Press, 2016
- Joshua Gamson. Silence, death, and the invisible enemy: Aids activism and social movement 'newness.'. *Social Problems*, 36:351–67, 1989
- Alice EM. Underwood. The politics of pride: The lgbt movement and post-soviet democracy. *Harvard international review*, 33(1):42, 2011
- Kelly Kollman. Same-sex unions: the globalization of an idea. *International Studies Quarterly*, 51(2):329–357, 2007

Recommended

- Omar Encarnación. *Out in the Periphery*. Oxford University Press, 2016
- Mala Htun. *Sex and the State*. Cambridge University Press, 2003
- Lisa Baldez. Gender. In Peter Kingstone and Deborah Yashar, editors, *Routledge Handbook of Latin American Politics*, pages 319–332. Routledge, 2012
- Scott Barclay, Mary Bernstein, and Anna-Maria Marshall. *Queer Mobilizations: LGBT Activists Confront the Law*. New York Press, 2009

Week 9 - Legislative Policy making

- Lisa Duggan. Queering the state. *Social Text*, (39):1–14, 1994
- David F. Damore, Ted G. Jelen, and Michael W. Bowers. Sweet land of liberty: The gay marriage amendment in nevada. In Paul A. Djupe and Laura R. Olson, editors, *Religious*

Interests in Community Conflict: Beyond the Culture Wars, pages 51–72. Baylor University Press, 2007

- Gregory B. Lewis. Doma and enda: Congress votes on gay rights. In Craig A. Rimmerman, Kenneth D. Wald, and Clyde Wilcox, editors, *The Politics of Gay Rights*. University of Chicago Press, 2000
- Phillip M. Ayoub. Contested norms in new-adopter states: International determinants of lgbt rights legislation. *European Journal of International Relations*, 21(2):293, 2015
- Kelly Kollman and D Paternotte. Regulating intimate relationships in the european polity: same-sex unions and policy convergence. *Social Politics*, 20(4):510–533, 2013

Recommended

- Donald P. Haider-Markel and KJ Meie. The politics of gay and lesbian rights: Expanding the scope of the conflict. *The Journal of Politics*, 1996
- L.R. Helfer and E. Voeten. International courts as agents of legal change: Evidence from lgbt rights in europe. *International Organization*, 68(1):77–110, 2014
- Aaron Belkin, Morten G. Ender, Nathaniel Frank, Stacie Furia, George Lucas, Gary Packard, Steven Samuels, Tammy Schultz, and David R. Segal. Readiness and dadt repeal: Has the new policy of open service undermined the military? *Armed Forces & Society*, 39(4):587–601, 2012
- Daniel C. Lewis. Bypassing the representational filter?: Minority rights policies under direct democracy institutions in the u.s. states. *State Politics and Policy Quarterly*, 11:198–222, 2011

Week 10 - LGBT Representation

- Donald P. Haider-Markel. Political representation and a brief history of the american lgbt movement. In Donald P. Haider-Markel, editor, *Out and Running: Gay and Lesbian Candidates, Elections, and Policy Representation*. Georgetown University Press, 2010
- Andrew Reynolds. Representation and rights: The impact of lgbt legislators in comparative perspective. *American Political Science Review*, 107(2):259–274, 2013
- Eric R. Hansen and Sarah A. Treul. The symbolic and substantive representation of lgbt americans in the u.s. house. *The Journal of Politics*, 77(4):955–967, 2015
- Katherine L. Krimmel, Jeffrey R. Lax, and Justin H. Phillips. Gay rights in congress: Public opinion and (mis)representation. *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 80(4):888–913, 2013

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- Gregory B. Lewis, Nark A. Rogers, and Kenneth Sherrill. Lesbian, gay, and bisexual voters in the 2000 u.s. presidential election. *Politics & Policy*, 39(5):655–677, 2011
- Douglas Page. When does sexuality-based discrimination motivate political participation? *Political Behavior*, 2017
- Andrew Reynolds. *The Children of Harvey Milk: How LGBTQ Politicians Changed the World*. Oxford University Press, 2018

- Gregory Lewis and David W. Pitts. Representation of lesbians and gay men in federal, state, and local bureaucracies. *Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory*, 21:159–180, 2011

Week 11 - Media

- Alison Bechdel. *Fun Home: A Family Tragicomic*. First Mariner Books, 2007
- Thomas E. Nelson, Rosalee A. Clawson, and Zoe M. Oxley. Media framing of a civil liberties conflict and its effect on tolerance. *American Political Science Review*, 91(3):567–583, 1997
- Katherine McFarland. Media influence and frame diversity in the debate over same-sex marriage. *The Communication Review*, 14(4):255–278, 2011
- Phillip M. Ayoub and J Garretson. Getting the message out: Media context and global changes in attitudes toward homosexuality. *Comparative Political Studies*, 50(8):1055–1085, 2017

Recommended

- Michelle Dion and Jordi Díez. New media and support for same-sex marriage. *Latin American Research Review*, 53(3), 2018
- Eve Ng. A “post-gay” era? media gaystreaming, homonormativity, and the politics of lgbt integration. *Communication, Culture and Critique*, 6(2):258–283, 2013
- Eir-Anne Edgar. “xtravaganza!”: Drag representation and articulation in ‘rupaul’s drag race.’. *Studies in Popular Culture*, 34(1):133–146, 2011

Week 12 - Pride events and visibility

- Katherine McFarland Bruce. *Pride Parades*. NYU Press, 2016
- Abby Peterson, Mattias Wahlström, and Magnus Wennerhag. ‘normalized’ pride? pride parade participants in six european countries. *Sexualities*, 2017
- Amin Ghaziani. *Dividends of Dissent: How Conflict and Culture Work in Lesbian and Gay Marches on Washington*. University of Chicago Press, 2008

Recommended

- Scott Barclay, Mary Bernstein, and Anna-Maria Marshall. *Queer Mobilizations: LGBT Activists Confront the Law*. New York Press, 2009

Week 13 - Understanding the T in LGBT

- Susan Stryker. (de)subjugated knowledges: An introduction to transgender studies. In Susan Stryker and Stephen Whittle, editors, *The Transgender Studies Reader*. Taylor and Francis, 2006
- Andrew R. Flores. Attitudes toward transgender rights: perceived knowledge and secondary interpersonal contact. *Politics, Groups, and Identities*, 3(3):398–416, 2015

- Andrew R Flores, Jody L Herman, and Christy Mallory. Transgender inclusion in state non-discrimination policies: The democratic deficit and political powerlessness. *Research & Politics*, 2(4), 2015