

Syllabus
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Required Reading

Taylor, Whittier, Rupp, *Feminist Frontiers*, 7th edition (referred to as FF)
Joni Seager, *The Penguin Atlas of Women in the World*, 3rd edition (referred to as ATLAS)
Boston Women's Healthbook Collective, *Our Bodies, Ourselves* (optional, but highly recommended)

A number of required articles are available at the library's Online Reserves site. To access them, go to the Library's site and under Resources bring up the Course Reserves Catalog. All of the articles are filed under my name, but it will be easier to find them if you search by author or by title. You will be able to open the article on-line and print it for your own use. (The Course Reserves Catalog is referred to in the assignments as CR)

Note on buying texts: They are available in the college bookstore. They may also be available from on-line booksellers. If you are going to get these outside the BC system, be sure you get the seventh edition of *Feminist Frontiers* and the third edition of Seager. If you are going to use an on-line seller, I encourage you to use independent bookstores: I recommend Powells Books (www.powells.com) or a very good feminist bookstore, A Room of One's Own, (www.roomofonesown.com). Copies of all books are on reserve in the BC library.

In addition, you should look regularly at the web-based feminist news service, www.womensenews.org. Also, check out the section on women in the Human Rights Watch web site: <http://www.hrw.org/women/>

Course Requirements

PARTICIPATION

You are expected to attend all classes (Tuesdays 4:30 – 5:30) and all discussion group meetings (Thursdays 4:30 – 6:15). The discussion groups offer an innovative opportunity for interactive learning, not one that you will find in most other courses. This is both an opportunity and an obligation: we expect you to engage in your own education in a conscientious and serious manner – at a minimum, this means you must have done the readings and be prepared to participate in discussions in a thoughtful, engaged, and respectful manner. The Thursday discussions are led by teams of student-leaders who have taken this class previously and who have been selected through a rigorous screening process.

Attendance and participation in discussion sections constitutes 35% of the final grade.

WEEKLY ESSAYS

Each student will write a weekly reaction paper based on readings, lectures, discussion, and current events. This essay is designed to provoke written reflection on the course materials. 1) evidence that you have done the reading 2) evidence of critical thought and assessment 3) internal coherence and consistency 4) evidence of self-reflection (including examples from personal experience if appropriate) 5) evidence of an accumulation of understanding (drawing on past readings, for example, to illustrate a current issue). On occasion, discussion-group teachers may assign a particular theme or topic.

Essays should be typed or written legibly on individual sheets of paper, which should be stapled together (no paper clips, no expensive plastic report covers--manila folders okay). Do not e-mail your paper unless, under exceptional circumstances, your discussion leader gives you permission to do so. If you use a computer, please spell-check your paper. In any case, please proofread for spelling errors or typos.

The essays are to be handed in at Thursday discussion sections. Essays will be graded weekly on a system of 1-10 points; late essays will be graded down one point per day.

The essays constitute 35% of the final grade.

Final Exam

There will be a take-home exam consisting of essay questions related to the assigned readings, lectures and discussions. The nature of the exam will be explained in more detail in the weeks prior to the end of the semester.

The final exam constitutes 30% of the final grade.

Reading assignments:

1/15 - Introduction

Adrienne Rich, "Claiming an Education" in Rich, *On Lies, Secrets and Silence*, CR
 Marge Piercy, "Unlearning to Not Speak" in Piercy, *Circles on the Water*, CR
 Adrienne Rich, "Diving into the Wreck" in Rich, *Diving into the Wreck*, CR
 Alice Walker, "Womanist," FF, p. 93
 Maureen Dowd, "What's a Modern Girl to Do?" New York Times Magazine, 10/30/05, CR
 Jennifer Baumgardner and Amy Richards, "Prologue" & "What is Feminism?" from *ManifestA*, CR
 ATLAS, Maps 1, 2, 3

1/22 - The Women's Rights Movement from the 14th to 20th centuries

Joan Kelly, "Early Feminist Theory and the *Querelle des Femmes*, 1400-1789," in *Women, History and Theory: The Essays of Joan Kelly*, CR
 Mary Wollstonecraft, excerpt from A Vindication of the Rights of Women, CR
 Olympe de Gouges, *The Rights of Women*. CR
 Sojourner Truth, "Ain't I a Woman?" FF, p. 33
 Simone de Beauvoir, *The Second Sex*, Introduction, CR
 Taylor, Whittier, Pelak, "The Women's Movement: Persistence through Transformation, FF, #47
 Aronson, "Feminists or Postfeminist"? Young Women's Attitudes toward Feminism and Gender Relations," FF #48
 Jervis, "The End of Feminism's Third Wave," FF, p. 532
 Cynthia Enloe, "Nationalism and Masculinity," in *Bananas, Beaches & Bases*, pp. 42-64.
 Zinn & Dill, "Theorizing Difference from Multiracial Feminism," FF, #8
 Mohanty, "Feminism without Borders," FF #9
 Audre Lorde, "Sexism: An American Disease in Blackface," in *Sister Outsider*, pp. 60-65, CR
 Urvashi Vaid, "Linking Arms and Movements," in *The Advocate*, 6/8/99, CR
ATLAS, Map 40.

1/29 – Images of Women: Body Image – PLEASE NOTE SPECIAL TIME & PLACE

Film and panel discussion: Absolutely Safe, 7:00 pm, Higgins 300

Gimlin, "Cosmetic Surgery: Paying for Your Beauty," FF #12
 Galler, "The Myth of the Perfect Body," FF, p. 119-120
 Onishi, "Globalization of Beauty Makes Slimness Trendy, FF p. 494
 Larry Rohter, IDEAS & TRENDS; REFRAMED; In the Land of Bold Beauty, A Trusted Mirror Cracks," NY Times, 1/14/07, CR
 Judith Warner, "The Cleavage Conundrum," NY Times, 7/28/07, CR
 Davis, "Loose Lips Sink Ships," FF #35
 Sarah Green, "Plastic Makes Perfect," Boston Phoenix, 4/15/05, CR
 Daphne Merkin, "Our Vaginas, Ourselves," NY Times, 1/1/06, CR
 "Barbie Doll," in Marge Piercy, *To Be of Use*, CR
 Jeré Longman, "Athletes Embrace Size, Rejecting Stereotypes," NY Times, 2/8/07, CR
 Sam Dillon, "Sorority Evictions Raise Issue of Looks and Bias," NY Times, 2/25/07, CR.

2/5- Images of Women: Cultural Representations

Film: Dreamworlds

Richardson, "Gender Stereotyping in the English Language," FF # 11
 Allen, "Where I Come From is Like This," FF # 4
 Thompson, "A Way Outa No Way": Eating Problems among African-American, Latina , and White

Women, FF #34

Cheryl L., Keyes, "Empower Self, Making Choices, Creating Spaces: Black Female Identity via Rap Music Performance," FF #14

Patricia Hill Collins, "Black Sexual Politics," FF #30

Bob Herbert, "Why Aren't We Shocked?" *NY Times*, 10/16/06, CR

Maureen Dowd, "What's up Slut?" *NY Times*, 7/15/06, CR

David Picker, "Gate D: More Fans, More Security, More Abuse," *NY Times*, 12/10/07, CR

"**Bikini Lawn Care – Tiger Time Lawn Care,**" **Fox News, on Youtube – url:**

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z0ICJ7E3CU>

Vanessa E. Jones, "Hip-Hop Lyrics and Videos...", *Boston Globe*, 3/22/05, CR

2/12 - Violence against Women

Martin & Hummer, "Fraternalities and Rape on Campus," FF #38

Allen & Kivel, "Men Changing Men," FF, p. 426

Steinem, "Supremacy Crimes," FF # 39

Crenshaw, "Mapping the Margins: Intersectionality, Identity Politics, and Violence Against Women of Color," FF #40

Donohue, "Femicide in Juarez," FF p. 483.

Robin Warshaw, Foreword, Introduction, "Reality of Acquaintance Rape," in *I Never Called it Rape*, CR

Jackie MacMullan, "Once Silent, Now Strong Voice Hnida Speaking Out, *Boston Globe*, 3/31/2005, CR

"2 Academies Faulted on Treatment of Women," *NY Times*, 8/26/05, CR

John R. Ellement, "Woman describes alleged assault by lawyer," *Boston Globe*, 1/10/08, CR

Ross, Sauer & Rood, "Victim: Gang-Rape Cover-Up by U.S., Halliburton.KBR," abcnews, "20/20,"

12/10/07, CR

"In Memoriam," *Boston Globe*, 12/31/08, CR

Jon Elliston & Catherine Lutz, "Hidden Casualties: An epidemic of domestic violence when troops return from war," in *Southern Exposure* (Spring 2003), CR

Donna St. George, "Many New or Expectant Mothers Die Violent Deaths," *Washington Post*, 12/19/04, CR

Donna St. George, "Violence Intersects Lives of Promise," *Washington Post*, 12/20/2004, CR

Neil MacFarquhar, "Abused Muslim Women in U.S. Gain Advocates," *NY Times*, 1/6/08, CR

Healey & Barrios, "Technology Against Violence," *Boston Globe*, 1/11/07, CR

Nicholas Kristof, "A Policy of Rape," *NY Times*, 6/5/05, CR

Sharon LaFraniere, "Entrenched Epidemic: Wife-Beatings in Africa," *NY Times*, 8/11/05, CR

Sharon LaFraniere, "Sex Abuse of Girls is Stubborn Scourge in Africa," *NY Times*, 12/1/06, CR

Carlotta Gall, "Pakistan Bid to End Abuse of Women Reporting Rape Hits Snag," *NY Times*, 9/14/06, CR

Rasheed Abou-Alsamh, "Ruling Jolts Even Saudis: 200 Lashes for Rape Victim," *NY Times*, 11/16/07,

CR

Traci Wilkinson, "Turkey tries to take the 'honor' out of killing women," *Boston Globe*, 1/21/07, CR

Nicholas D. Kristof, "Another Face of Terror," *NY Times*, 7/31/05, CR

Nicholas Kristof, "The Good Daughter, in a Brothel," *NY Times*, 12/17/06, CR

ATLAS Maps 7, 8, 19, 21

2/19 - Images of Women: But what if I'm not white?

McIntosh, "White Privilege and Male Privilege," FF #2

Lopez & Hasso, "Frontlines and Borders: Identity Thresholds for Latinas and Arab American Women," FF

#3

Lorde, "The Master's Tools will Never Dismantle the Master's House," FF #5

Twine, "Brown-Skinned White Girls: Class, Culture, and the Construction of White Identity in Suburban Communities," FF #18

Audre Lorde, "The Transformation of Silence into Action," pp. 40-44; "Scratching the Surface: Some Notes on Barriers to Women and Loving," pp. 45-52, in *Sister Outsider*, CR

Ellen Goodman, "The Mythology of Rosa Parks," *Boston Globe*, 10/28/2005, CR

Gail Collins, "The Women Behind the Men," *NY Times*, 9/22/07, CR

bell hooks, "Learning in the Shadow of Race and Class," CR

Cherie Moraga, "La Guera," in *This Bridge Called My Back. Writings by Radical Women of Color*, CR

Patricia J. Williams, "Notes From a Small World," *The New Yorker*, week of 4/29-5/6/1996, pp. 87-92, CR

Jodi Kantor, "Nanny Hunt Can be a 'Slap in the Face' for Blacks," NY Times, 12/26/06, CR
 ATLAS, Maps 22, 23,25, 26, 27

2/26 – Women in Iraq: A Firsthand Account

Talk by Dahlia Lamy, Iraqi Fulbright Scholar

Sandler, "The Ms. Of Baghdad," FF, p. 104

Nicholas Kristof, "Iraq's Little Secret," NY Times, 10/1/02

"Background on Women's Status in Iraq Prior to the fall of the Hussein Government, 11/2003," Human Rights Watch Briefing Paper, CR

Marjorie P. Lasky, "Iraqi Women Under Siege," CR

Isobel Coleman, "Women, Islam, and the New Iraq," Foreign Affairs, Jan/Feb 2006, CR

Peter Beaumont, "Hidden victims of a brutal conflict: Iraq's women," The Observer, 10/8/06, CR

Terri Judd, "For the women of Iraq, the war is just beginning," The Independent, 8 June 2006, CR

Ruth Rosen, "The Hidden War on Women in Iraq," 7/13/06, CommonDreams.org, CR

Marie Colvin & W. Moussa, "Men in black terrorise Iraq's women," The Sunday Times, 6/4/06, CR

Brian Bennett, "Stolen Away," Time, 4/23/06, CR

Kavita N. Ramdas, "Women's rights another victim of the Iraq catastrophe," Baltimore Sun, 12/22/06, CR

"Who is Killing the Women of Basra," MADRE.org, url:

<http://www.madre.org/articles/me/womenbasra010908.html>

3/11 – Women and Militarism

Lecture: "Where are the Women in the Iraq War?,,Why does it matter?" - Professor Cynthia Enloe, Research Professor, International Development and Women's Studies, Clark University

Chapters 4, 5 and 6 in Cynthia Enloe, *Globalization and Militarism: Feminists Make the Link*, CR

Cynthia Enloe, "Macho, Macho Military," The Nation, 3/20/06, CR

Nagel, "Sex and War: Fighting Men, Comfort Women, and the Military-Sexual Complex," FF #41

Ryn Gluckman, "Pro-whose-life: Ten Reasons why Militarism is bad for your health," *Women's Review of Books*, Sept., 2004

Lisa Featherstone, "Pink thongs and patriarchy," *Women's Review of Books*, Sept., 2004

Elizabeth Rubin, "Fern Holland's War," *New York Times Magazine*, 9/19/2004, CR

Cynthia Gorney, "A Mother's War," NY Times, 5/29/05, CR

Naomi Klein, "The Mother of all Anti-War Forces," AlterNet, 3/29/06

Richard W. Stevenson, "Of the Many Deaths in Iraq, One Mother's Loss," NY Times, 8/8/05, CR

Maureen Dowd, "Why no Tea and Sympathy?" NY Times, 8/10/2005, CR

Damien Cave, "A Military Town Talks of Casualties," NY Times, 6/27/05, CR

Lizette Alvarez, "Jane, We Hardly Knew Ye Died," NY Times, 9/24/06, CR

Sara Corbett, "The Women's War," NY Times, 3/18/07

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ADDITIONAL READINGS MAY BE ASSIGNED

3/18 Women, Health Care, and the Medical Profession

Suzanne Kessler, "The Medical Construction of Gender," FF #7

Anne Fausto-Sterling, "Hormonal Hurricanes: Menstruation, Menopause, and Female Behavior, FF # 33

Barbara Ehrenreich, "Welcome to Cancerland," FF #3

Karen Houppert, "Final Period," NY Times, 7/17/07, CR

Nicholas D. Kristof, "Mr. Bush, This is Pro-Life?" NY Times, 10/23/05, CR

Nicholas D. Kristof, "When Marriage Kills," NY Times, 8/30/2005, CR

Ronald Kotulak, "Medical Profession undergoes major changes as women take over," Chicago Tribune, 1/12/05, CR

"Women's Health Risks," *Health & Medicine Week*, 10/11/04, CR

Ingrid Walter, "No woman, no cry," *The Black Commentator*, 9/28/06, CR

ATLAS, Maps 15,16

Look through Our Bodies, Ourselves

3/25 - Women and Politics

Lecture by Dr. Evelyn Murphy, former Lt. Governor of Massachusetts

Robin Toner, "Women Feeling Freer to Suggest 'Vote for Mom'," NY Times, 1/29/07

Marcia Angell, "Hillary Clinton and the Glass Ceiling," Boston Globe, 2/19/07, CR

Ellen Goodman, "Trumped by the gender card," Boston Globe, 11/9/07

Maureen Dowd, "Rush to Judgment," NY Times, 12/19/07

Gloria Steinem, "Women are Never Front-Runners," NY Times, 1/8/08

Jodi Kantor, "Women's Support for Clinton Rises in Wake of Perceived Sexism," NY Times, 1/10/08

Ellen Goodman, "Hillary's Fine Line," Boston Globe, 1/1/08

Alison Bowen, "Political Moms Make Family Values their Baby," Women's eNews, 1/9/08

Brenda Gazzar, "Women's Mideast Peace Movement Marks 20 Long Years," Women's eNews, 12/27/07

4/1 Women, Work and Family

Hondagnue-Sotelo, "Maid in L.A.," FF #22

Gerson, "Moral Dilemmas, Moral Strategies, and the Transformation of Gender, Lessons from Two Generations of Work and Family Change," FF # 24

Segura, "Working at Motherhood: Chicana and Mexicana Immigrant Mothers and Employment," FF #25

Enloe, "The Globe Trotting Sneaker," FF #42

Chang, "From the Third World to the 'Third World Within,' Asian Women Workers Fighting Globalization," FF #43

Mink, "The Lady and the Tramp (II): Feminist Welfare Politics, Poor Single Mothers, and the Challenge of Welfare Justice," FF # 46

Navarro, "Las Mujeres Invisibles/The Invisible Women," FF, #44

Jenny Anderson, "Wall Street's Women Face a Fork in the Road," NY Times, 8/6/06, CR

Eduardo Porter, "Stretched to Limit, Women Stall March to Work," NY Times, 3/2/06, CR

Ellen Goodman, "A third gender in the workplace," Boston Globe, 5/11/07, CR

Barbara Ehrenreich and Arlie Hochschild, "Introduction," in Ehrenreich and Hochschild, *Global Woman*, CR

Susan Cheever, "The Nanny Dilemma," in Ehrenreich and Hochschild, *Global Woman* CR,

Amy Waldman, "Sri Lankan Maids' High Price for Foreign Jobs," NY Times, 5/8/05, CR

Lizette Alvarez & John M. Broder, "More and More, Women Risk all to Enter US," NY Times, 1/10/06, CR

Lizette Alvarez, "Fear and Hope in Immigrant's Furtive Existence," NY Times, 12/20/06, CR

Louise Story, "Many Women at Elite Colleges Set Career Path to Motherhood," N.Y. Times, 9/20/05, CR.

Katha Pollitt, "Desperate Housewives of the Ivy League?", *The Nation*, 10/17/05, CR

Terry Martin Hekker, "Paradise Lost (Domestic Division)," NY Times, 1/1/06, CR

Ellen Goodman, "Desperate Ex-Housewives," Boston Globe, 1/6/06, CR

Claudia Goldin, "Working it Out," NY Times, 3/15/06, CR

Lisa Belkin, "After Baby, Boss Comes Calling," NY Times, 5/17/07, CR

David Leonhardt, "He's Happier, She's Less So," NY Times, 9/26/07

Look through *Our Bodies, Ourselves*, "Women and Work"

Atlas, Part 5, Work, Maps 22-27

4/8 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION AND SEX DISCRIMINATION IN THE WORKPLACE

Bose & Whaley, "Sex Segregation in the U.S. Labor Force," FF #19

Padavic & Reskin, "Median Annual Earnings of Full-Time, Year-Round Workers by Education, Race and Hispanic Origin," FF, p. 204

Reskin, "The Realities of Affirmative Action in Employment, p. 229.

Boris, "The Living Wage as a Women's Issue," p. 250

Evelyn Murphy & E.J. Graff, "The Wage Gap," Boston Globe, 10/9/2005, CR

Linda Greenhouse, "Justices' Ruling Limits Suits on Pay Disparity," NY Times, 5/30/07, CR

Fran Hawthorne, "For Women, Greater Obstacles to Retirement," NY Times, 10/23/07, CR

Julie Creswell, "How Suite it Isn't: A Dearth of Female Bosses," NY Times, 12/17/06, CR

Lisa Belkin, "Jobs the Revolution Passed By," NY Times, 5/21/06, CR

Maureen Dowd, "How Carly Lost Her Gender Groove," 11/11/06, CR

Timothy L. O'Brien, "Why Do So Few Women Reach the Top of Big Law Firms?" NY Times, 3/19/06, CR

Cornelia Dean, "Institutions Hinder Female Academics, Panel Says," NY Times, 9/18/06, CR

Cornelia Dean, "Women in Science: The Battle Moves to the Trenches," NY Times, 12/19/06, CR

- Amanda Millner-Fairbanks, "Girls Make History by Sweeping Top Honors at a Science Contest," *NY Times*, 12/4/07, CR
- Alan Finder, "Women on Faculty Still Lag at Harvard, Report Finds," *NY Times*, 6/14/06, CR
- Nicolai Ouroussoff, "Keeping Houses, Not Building Them," *NY Times*, 10/31/07, CR
- Neela Banerjee, "Clergywomen Find Hard Path to Bigger Pulpit," *NY Times*, 8/26/06, CR
- Catalyst, "Catalyst Report Outlines Unique Challenges Faced by African American Women in Business," CR
- Claudia Deutsch, "A Woman to be Chief at PepsiCo," *NY Times*, 8/15/06, CR
- Lisa Belkin, "The Feminine Critique," *NY Times*, 11/1/07, CR
- Annie Correal, "New York's Construction Boom Puts More Women in Hard Hats," *NY Times*, 1/26/07, CR
- "Depression: Gender inequality appears to be a cause of depressive symptoms in women," *Health & Medicine Week*, 3/28/05, CR
- Jen Ross, "Chile's New Sex-Harassment Law Takes Off," *Women's eNews*, 6/30/05, CR
- Martin Fackler, "Career Women in Japan Find a Blocked Path," *NY Times*, 8/6/07, CR
- Somini Sengupta, "Careers Give India's Women New Independence," *NY Times*, 11/23/07, CR
- ATLAS, Map 24

4/15 **The Construction of Sexuality**

Lecture by Helene Norton-Russell

- Judith Lorber, "'Night to His Day': The Social Construction of Gender," FF # 6
- Deborah L. Tolman, "Doing Desire: Adolescent Girls' Struggles for/with Sexuality", FF #28
- Risman & Schwartz, "After the Sexual Revolution: Gender Politics in Teen Dating," FF # 29
- Stryker, "My Words to Victor Frankenstein....," FF, p. 346.
- Leila J. Rupp, "Toward a Global History of Same-Sex Sexuality," FF # 31
- Adrienne Rich, "Compulsory Heterosexuality and Lesbian Existence," CR
- Marjorie Gerber [sic], "Introduction: Vice Versa," CR
- "Supporting Boys or Girls When the Line Isn't Clear," *NY Times*, 12/2/06, CR
- Dinita Smith, "Love that Dare not Squeak its Name," *NY Times*, 2/7/04, CR
- Gloria Steinem, "Erotica vs. Pornography," in *Outrageous Acts and Everyday Rebellions*, CR
- ATLAS, Map 6

4/22 **Parenthood, Reproduction and Reproductive Rights: A Matter of Choice**

- Marge Piercy, "Right to Life," in *Circles on the Water: selected poems of Marge Piercy*, CR
- Planned Parenthood, "Bush administration record on reproductive rights," CR
- Susan Faludi, "Reproductive rights under the backlash: the invasion of women's bodies, in *Backlash*, CR
- Wagle, "Abstinence-Only: Breeding Ignorance," FF, p. 257
- Linda Greenhouse, "Justices Back Ban on Method of Abortion," *NY Times*, 4/19/07, CR
- Dorothy Samuels, "Reflections on the New Abortion Ruling and the Roberts Court," *NY Times*, 4/27/07,

CR

- Kenneth C. Edelin, "Risking women's health," *Boston Globe*, 4/22/07, CR
- Judith Warner, "Poisonous Choices: Women at Risk," *NY Times*, 8/7/07, CR
- Katha Pollitt, "With Facts on our Side," *The Nation*, 11/5/07, CR
- Gretchen Voss, "My Late-Term Abortion," *Boston Globe Magazine*, 1/25/04, CR
- Jack Hitt, "Pro-Life Nation," *NY Times Magazine*, 4/9/06, CR
- Russell Shorto, "Contra-Contraception," *NY Times*, 5/7/06, CR
- Susan Brownmiller, "Abortion is a Women's Right," in *In our Time: Memoir of a Revolution*, CR
- Linda Greenhouse, "The Evolution of a Justice," *N.Y. Times*, 4/10/2005, CR
- Monica Davey & Pam Belluck, "Pharmacies Balk on After-Sex Pill," *NY Times*, 4/19/05, CR
- Natalie Angier, "One Thing They Aren't: Maternal," *NY Times*, 5/9/06, CR
- Natalie Angier, "For Motherly X Chromosome, Gender is Only the Beginning," *NY Times*, 5/1/07, CR
- Naples, "Queer Parenting in the New Millennium," FF #27
- ATLAS, Maps 4, 5, all of Part 3

4/29 - **The Global State of Women**

Film: "Beyond Beijing"

- “Abu-Lughod, “Do Muslim Women Really Need Saving? Anthropological Reflections on Cultural Relativism and Its Others,” FF #45
- Darraj, “It’s Not an Oxymoron: The Search for an Arab Feminism,” FF #50
- “UN Commission Approves Declaration...,” FF, p. 556
- “Fourth World Conference on Women Beijing Declaration,” FF p. 557
- Katha Pollitt, “The Cheese Stands Alone,” *The Nation*, 3/21/05, CR
- “Promoting a United Nations 5th World Conference on Women,” Council of Europe, Parliamentary Assembly, Doc. 10643
- Michael Slackman, “A Quiet Revolution in Algeria: Gains by Women,” NY Times, 5/26/07, CR
- Nicholas D. Kristof, “In India, One Woman’s Stand Says ‘Enough,’” NY Times, 1/15/06, CR
- Hassan M. Fattah, “First Time Out, Kuwaiti Women Become a Political Force,” NY Times, 6/26/06, CR
- Helene Cooper, “Waiting for their Moment in the Worst Place on Earth to be a Woman,” NY Times, 11/16/05, CR
- Hassan M. Fattah, “Saudis Rethink Taboo on Women Behind the Wheel,” NY Times, 9/28/07
- ATLAS, Maps 20, 96, 98