ANTH/SOC*6460 Gender and Development
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Class Time: Mondays 7:00-9:50pm
Class location: TBA
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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The aim of this course is to help students broaden their understanding of the field of gender and development. We will begin with an overview of the formation of Gender and Development as a field of research and practice. We will then explore more recent topics and issues in the field. This course is designed to respond to current events and urgent issues beyond the academy, so we will examine gender and development issues by drawing on insights offered by important theoretical approaches. Topics covered may include:

- Capabilities & human security: food, education, health, autonomy
- Globalization & precarity: employment, feminization of poverty, economic instability and neoliberalism
- Migrations: conflict, displacement, structural violence, peacekeeping & peacebuilding, tourism
- Identities: culture, gender, sexuality, and human rights

FORMAT: Seminar

Students will be expected to come to class having done the readings and prepared to engage in meaningful discussion. Short presentations and class discussion will form part of the evaluation. Students will work on individual research projects and engage with one another through shared readings.

READINGS: TBA

EVALUATION:

- Participation (20%)
- Facilitation Presentation (10%)
- Research Presentation (20%)
- Research Essay Proposal (20%): 5-7, typed, double-spaced pages.