## Dr. Luis M. Hernández Aguilar

## A brief history of feminist thought

6/9 ECTS

Seminar (Präsenzveranstaltung): MASS: Wahlpflichtmodul: Gender Studies und Queer Theory

Veranstaltungsbeginn: 09.04.2024 Di, 11:15 - 12:45 Uhr, Ort: GD 302

The BA Seminar History of feminist thought welcomes students interested in learning on core social scientific strands of theories of women's and gender studies by exploring and analyzing key texts of feminist knowledge production ranging from liberal feminism, Marxist feminism, black feminism, postcolonial and decolonial feminism as well as post secular and ecofeminism. The seminar is designed to provide and discuss knowledge of social movement research (feminist movement) and of gender studies' connectivity with humanistic, cultural and social scientific as well as economic disciplines.

**Teilnahmevoraussetzungen:** Methods: During the seminar, students will present the topic of the session, followed by a group discussion. The presentations should comprise groups of 2 or 3 students addressing and engaging with all of the texts of the session, everyone should prepare and present the main ideas of the texts, while critically engaging with the content.

Sprache: Englisch

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## ConspiRacism: Conspiracy Theories and their entanglement with racism, antisemitism and Islamophobia

3/6/9 ECTS

Seminar (Präsenzveranstaltung): MASS: Wahlpflichtmodul: Migration, Ethnizität, Ethnozentrismus

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The seminar welcome students interested in the scientific study of conspiracy theories, and the historical and contemporary instances where conspiracy theories were articulated through racial characterizations. The seminar is structured to cover four arenas and major themes in the study of conspiracy theories: a) conceptual and theoretical approaches to conspiracy theories; b) a brief historical account of conspiracy theories; c) conspiracy theories and antisemitism, and d)conspiracy theories on the great replacement.

**Teilnahmevoraussetzungen:** Each session is structured around one or two compulsory readings. Before each session students are required to read the mandatory texts and write a half page reflection on the texts, The reflections will serve to organize discussions in class. There are additional readings for each session, these are not mandatory, but can serve to further interrogate issues of the session, and as additional readings for the final essay. Furthermore, during the seminar, students will present the topic of the session, followed by a

group discussion. The presentations should comprise groups of 1, 2 or 3 students (depending on group size) addressing and engaging with all of the texts of the session, everyone in the presenting team should prepare and present the main ideas of the texts, while critically engaging with the content.

**Leistungsnachweise:** 3 ECTS: regelmäßige aktive Mitarbeit, Übernahme eines Referats. / 6 ECTS: wie für 3, zusätzlich Hausarbeit von 12 Seiten Gesamtumfang. / 9 ECTS: wie für 3 zusätzlich Hausarbeit von 25 Seiten

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