

Course	CDNS 5202: Gendering Canada: Queer of Color Critiques
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COURSE DESCRIPTION / INSTRUCTOR'S STATEMENT

“Queer of Color Critiques” refers to political theories and activism that emerge from LGBTQI2S+ people of color to examine the intersections between race, sexuality, and gender. This course addresses these intersections through theory, history, and activism. While this course will begin with “canadian” articulations of race, genders, and sexualities, we will also be troubling restrictive ideas of the border to discuss how migration (forced or by choice) as well as diaspora create different conditions for queer and trans people of color to navigate within the current canadian settler-colonial project. We will outline the relationships between racism, homophobia, transphobia, and other forms of oppression, simultaneously engaging with ongoing resistances to these systems of power. We will read, talk, write, play, imagine, and create together to map out the relationships between queer of color critiques and multiple critical theories from other areas of study.

EVALUATION