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History of Gender and Sexuality Prelims List (U.S.)  
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Colonial History, Early America, Nineteenth Century and U.S. West


Anne McClintock, *Imperial Leather: Race, Gender, and Sexuality in the Colonial Contest* (Routledge, 1995).


Modernity/Late-Nineteenth and Early-Twentieth Century


**Women’s Movements, Gender, and Trans/Gender**

Jeanne Boydston, “Gender as a Question of Historical Analysis,” forthcoming article.


**Race Theory, Queer Theory**


Evelynn M. Hammonds, “Black (W)holes and the Geometry of Black Female Sexuality.”
Jose Esteban Munoz, Disidentifications: Queers of Color and the Performance of Politics (University of Minnesota Press, 1999), “Preface” and “Introduction.”

Gay History


Siobhan Somerville, excerpt from “Queering the Color Line.”


**Migrations, Diasporas, and Non-U.S. Histories**


James Green, *Beyond Carnival: Male Homosexuality in Twentieth Century Brazil* (University of Chicago, 1999).


Cindy Patton and Benigno Sanchez Eppler, eds., *Queer Diasporas* (Duke, 2000).


**Post-WWII Culture and Sexuality**


Beth L. Bailey, *From Front Porch to Back Seat: Courtship in Twentieth Century America*
Since then, I have (pretty much) settled my reading list for my second historical field, Transatlantic History in the Long Nineteenth Century. I am posting that list below, both to provide an example of what a reading list for this sort of field might look like and to provoke some conversation among our readers about what such a list ought to look like. Both the Transatlantic and the long nineteenth century cross (some) conventional boundaries of historical specialization. Holding those two terms in tension, I have worked with my supervising professor for this field to put together a list that makes sense, and that makes sense for me in terms of contributing to the overall coherence of my training as an Americanist and an intellectual and cultural historian. History 287 Colonial Latin America History 297 Nineteenth-Century United States: Experiment to Empire History 307 Beastly Modernity History 314 Colonial Moment in Africa History 320 Alexander and the Hellenistic History 322 Palestinian-Israeli Conflict History 330 Hail Caesar - Roman Revolution History 331 Carthage and Rome History 332 Conversion, Crusade, Conquest History 333 Never-Ending Revolution: France History 335 Modern European Imperialism History. Social Justice History 112 Modern Africa History 188 Modern Latin America History 204 Syria: From Ruin(ation) to Restoration... 1 America Before Columbus and the Problem of History. 2 The Americas in Ancient Times. 3 The Eastern Woodlands, 1000â€“1300. Chapter 12: White Women and Gender. 1 Gender and the Settler Experience in the Seventeenth Century. 2 Regional Variations. 3 Gender in a Commercializing Culture: The Eighteenth-Century Refined Lady. 4 Gender in a Commercializing Culture: Middling and Working White Women. Chapter 13: British North American Religion, Education, and Culture, 1689â€“1760. 1 Religion. Over time the scope of historians' questions about early British American history broadened. Scholars began to look not only at the roots of political democracy and social mobility but also at the origins of institutions such as slavery and indentured servitude. Themes: Gender and sexuality, Exploring identity. Published: 25 May 2016. The women's movements of the 1960s and 70s gave rise to a new era for women's writing. We meet Anna Wulf, a writer and single mother with writer's block, exploring her disillusionment with men, communism, and violent resistance. She decides to keep four notebooks, one for each part of her life: black for her experiences in Africa, red for politics, yellow for a fictionalised version of herself, and blue for a diary, weaving around a novel-within-the-novel, titled 'Free Women.' Reflections on the History of an Idea, ed. by Rosalind C Morris (New York: Columbia University Press, 2010). Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, 'Can the Subaltern Speak?', Marxism and the Interpretation of Culture, eds.