

PHIL470/POLS404: The Politics of the Body
Schedule for critical questions

Week 3: January 23: Bodies and phenomenological method II

Drew Leder, *The Absent Body*, 69-99: Emily D.; TJ; Brittne; Brendan

Drew Leder, *The Absent Body*, 126-148: Andrew; Tim; Danny; Darren

Week 4: January 30: from phenomenology to Foucault

Todd May, "Foucault's Relation to Phenomenology:" Emily D.; Aaron; Mike; Brett

Discipline and Punish, 3-31: Spencer; Bradley; Kristina; Lowell

Week 5: February 6: Docile bodies

Discipline and Punish, 135-169: Emily R.; Mike; Roxanne; Tori

Discipline and Punish, 170-194: Tim; Lowell; Kristina; Sonam

Week 6: February 13: Disciplinary and bio-power

Discipline and Punish, 195-228: Zamir; Nicolette; Darren; Raquel

Discipline and Punish, 293-308: Emily R.; Andrew; TJ; Brett

READING WEEK

Week 8: February 27: Prisons

Lisa Guenther, "Beyond Dehumanization: A Post-Humanist Critique of Solitary Confinement:"

Andrew; Tim; Bradley; Mike

Sarah Pemberton, "Neoliberal Prisons: Revisiting *Discipline and Punish* in the 21st Century:" Spencer;

Aaron; Zamir; Sonam

Week 9: March 6: "Feminine" body comporment

Sandra Bartky, "Foucault, Femininity, and the Modernization of Patriarchal Power:" Emily R.;

Roxanne; Sonam; Tori

Iris Marion Young, "Throwing Like a Girl: A Phenomenology of Feminine Body Comportment, Motility, and Spatiality:" Nicolette; Kristina; Brittne; Raquel

Dianne Chisholm, "Climbing Like a Girl: An Exemplary Adventure in Feminist Phenomenology:"

Andrew; Brett; Danny; Brendan

Week 10: March 13: Sexual experience

Linda Alcoff, "Dangerous Pleasures: Foucault and the Politics of Pedophilia:" Darren; Spencer;

Bradley; Brendan

Linda Alcoff, "Phenomenology, Poststructuralism, and Feminist Theory on the Concept of Experience:" Nicolette; Emily D.; Brittne; Danny

Johanna Oksala, "Sexual Experience: Foucault, Phenomenology, and Feminist Theory:" Lowell; TJ;

Raquel; Tori

Week 11: March 20: Queer phenomenology

Sara Ahmed, "Orientations: Toward a Queer Phenomenology:" Roxanne; Emily D.; Kristina;

Brett

Gayle Salamon, "Boys of the Lex: Transgenderism and Rhetorics of Materiality:" Aaron; Sonam;

Spencer; Emily R.

Week 12: March 27: Race

Ladelle McWhorter, "Racism and Biopower:" **Zamir; Nicolette; Lowell; Raquel**

Linda Alcoff, "Toward a Phenomenology of Racial Embodiment:" **Roxanne; Darren; Bradley; TJ**

Week 13: April 3: Racialized/gendered bodies

Gayle Salamon, "'The Place Where Life Hides Away': Merleau-Ponty, Fanon, and the Location of Bodily Being:" **Zamir; Mike; Danny; Brendan**

Alia Al-Saji, "The Racialization of Muslim Veils: A Philosophical Analysis:" **Tim; Aaron; Tori; Brittne**