



# Gender & Sexuality Studies

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**The interdisciplinary study of gender identity and sexual orientation** is no longer a new field, but it is certainly one of the most dynamic in academia. The rapid growth of sexual diversity studies has generated demand for more accessible sources for LGBTQ+ history, and related civil rights movements, as well as authentic narratives from these communities.

With ProQuest collections, researchers can explore topics in LGBTQ+ history, culture, rights, social movements, marriage equality, families, physical/mental health issues, and more. Users can also analyze how race, ethnicity, location, class, nationality, religion and disability, intersect with the categories of gender and sexuality. Primary sources from various places and periods of history chart the ways in which LGBTQ+ individuals and groups have challenged bias, discrimination, and oppression.

These collections have cross-disciplinary relevance beyond gender and sexuality courses, serving research and teaching needs in history, sociology, anthropology, psychology, counseling, political science, human rights studies, cultural studies, and religious studies.

**Take a look at what ProQuest has to offer!**

## LGBT MAGAZINE ARCHIVE

27 Influential Magazines

Magazines serving the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and related communities are, in many cases, the principal source of documentation on LGBTQ+ cultures, lives, and events. Dating back to the 1950s, this new digital collection features major periodicals devoted to LGBTQ+ interests, covering prominent topics like health, lifestyle, politics, social attitudes, law, activism, LGBTQ+ rights, arts, and literature.

- Features the archives of many of the longest-running, most influential publications covering LGBTQ+ interests. Popular titles include: *The Advocate*, *Gay Times*, *The Pink Paper*, *Transgender Tapestry*, *Man and Society*, and many more.
- Details critical and newsworthy topics throughout history – including activism, homophobia, transgender issues, psychological matters and counseling for sexual minorities, radical feminism, LGBTQ+ family life, and more.
- Coverage is, by default, from volume 1 issue 1 to 2015 (or the publication ceased date) and issues are digitized from cover to cover in full color, including advertisements and other non-article content.
- Interdisciplinary material serves researchers not only in LGBTQ+ studies, but also in many other areas, including sociology, political science, history, literature, and cultural studies.



## LGBT THOUGHT AND CULTURE

An unprecedented look into LGBT life

Featuring key works and archival documentation of LGBTQ+ political and social movements from the 19th century to today, the collection contains 150,000 pages of rare archival content – including seminal texts, letters, periodicals, speeches, interviews, and ephemera. A significant portion of this collection is available exclusively through Alexander Street/ProQuest, including:

- **The Pat Rocco Collection:** Acquired from the ONE National Gay & Lesbian Archives, this collection features ephemera and correspondence from gay rights organizer and filmmaker Pat Rocco, documenting his impact in Southern California and Hawaii in the '60s and '70s. Includes letters from SPREE (The Society of Pat Rocco Enlightened Enthusiasts)
- **The Jeanne Cordova Papers:** The collection offers ephemera documenting the 1970's activism of editor Jeanne Cordova. It includes correspondence regarding her magazine *The Lesbian Tide*, and other letters that provide insight into her role as a leader for Los Angeles-based LGBT and feminist movements.
- **The Magnus Hirschfeld Collection,** including the professional correspondence, publications, confidential reports, news clippings, court documents, and other materials from renowned German sex researcher Magnus Hirschfeld (1868–1935).

**“The content here is unusual and exceptional... LGBT Thought and Culture will be a useful acquisition for libraries serving serious researchers in anthropology, cultural studies, history, human rights, philosophy, political science, psychology, and queer studies.”**

– Library Journal

## LGBT STUDIES IN VIDEO

A cinematic survey of the lives of the LGBTQ+ community

This first-of-its-kind collection features award-winning documentaries, interviews, archival footage, and select feature films exploring LGBT history, gay culture and subcultures, civil rights, marriage equality, LGBT families, AIDS, transgender issues, religious perspectives on homosexuality, and more. In addition to documenting the lives of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people, it also gives context to the cultural and political evolution of the LGBT community.

Highlights include:

- **Abomination: Homosexuality and the Ex-Gay Movement**, profiling the journeys of four gay Christians who did everything possible to become heterosexual by following the “treatment” protocols of the so-called ex-gay ministries.
- **For Love and For Life: The 1987 March on Washington for Lesbian and Gay Rights**, a compilation of footage documenting the Great March where 650,000 lesbians, gay men, and their supporters came to Washington, DC and made history.
- **Hand on the Pulse**, includes interviews and rare archival footage of the life of feminist and activist Joan Nestle who became a co-founder of the Lesbian Herstory Archive in New York City.
- **Paris Was a Woman**, a documentary featuring the lives of lesbian ex-patriots living in France between The Great War and WWII, including Berenice Abbot, Djuna Barnes, and Gertrude Stein.
- **Just Married: The Epic Battle Over Gay Marriage**, which examines the events in Massachusetts following the state supreme court’s 4:3 ruling in favor of same-sex marriage.
- **A Jihad for Love**, a film that highlights gay, lesbian, and transgender Muslims across the Muslim and Western worlds.
- **Metamorphosis: Man into Woman**, which presents a candid, non-sensational look at the physical and emotional preparation in advance of gender reassignment surgery.

## GENDERWATCH

300 full-text periodicals

Enhancing gender and women’s studies, and gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender (GLBT) research by providing authoritative perspectives from 1970 to present, this well-established and highly reviewed resource offers over 350 titles, with more than 300 in full-text, from an array of academic, radical, community, and independent presses. Researchers and teachers may access more than 500,000 full-text articles on wide-ranging topics like sexuality, religion, societal roles, feminism, masculinity, eating disorders, healthcare, and the workplace.

GenderWatch’s strong collection of important, current titles provides users comprehensive support for gender, family, ethnic, and societal studies from both academic and grassroots perspectives. Users will find essential titles such as *Sex Roles* and *Feminist Review*, international titles such as *Sister Namibia* and *Estudos Femenistas*, newspapers and magazines such as the *Gay & Lesbian Review Worldwide* and the *Windy City Times*, and many other diverse and interdisciplinary publications.

## WOMEN AND SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN THE UNITED STATES, 2020 EDITION

Series 2 (Edited by Rebecca Jo Plant and Judy Tzu-Chun Wu, 2019-present)

Spring 2020 edition is focused on “Sexualities and Bodies,” featuring a very rich document project by Jamie Wagman entitled “Transgender in the Heartland: Transitioning and Seeking Community in Middle America.” This project consists of oral history interviews, including both audio files and transcripts, of twenty transgender women and men who grew up or currently live in the Midwest, many in small towns and rural areas.

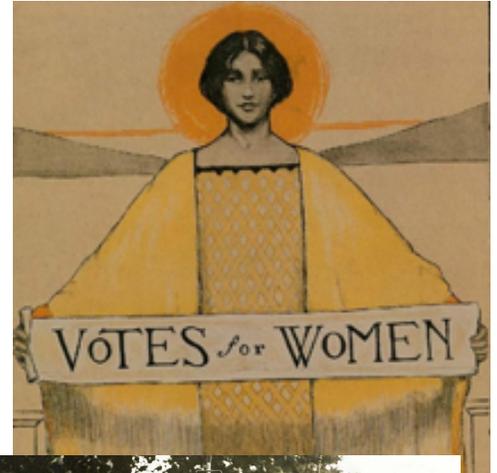
Also included is a roundtable, “Women, Gender, and Sexuality in the Archives,” featuring contributions from Morna Gerrard, archivist for Women and Gender Collections at Georgia State University Library; Jeff Snapp, formerly of the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Project Archivist at ONE Archive; and Liana Zhou, Director of the Kinsey Institute Library and Special Collection.



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- Southern Life and African American History, Plantation Records, Parts 1,2



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