



## WOMEN'S STUDIES RESOURCES

### SPRAGUE LIBRARY ONLINE CATALOG

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Check the library's catalog for books and other materials. Begin with some basic **keyword** searches, combining a few terms that relate to your topic, for example:

African-American Women  
Feminism  
Feminists – United States  
Mothers – United States  
Radicalism  
Sex Roles  
Sexism  
Stanton, Elizabeth Cady  
Women

Women And Socialism  
Women Artists  
Women Immigrants  
Women in politics  
Women, Jewish  
Women -- Employment  
Women – United States  
Women's Liberation Movement  
Women's Rights

### AUTOBIOGRAPHY & BIOGRAPHY

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Searching for autobiographies in the online catalog:  
Look under the person's name in the **AUTHOR/TITLE** sections.

Searching for biographies in the online catalog:  
Look under the person's name in the **SUBJECT** section.

**Black Women In America: An Historical Encyclopedia**  
REF E185.86 .B542 1993

**Continuum Dictionary Of Women's Biography**  
REF CT3202 .N67 1999

**Women In World History: A Biographical Encyclopedia**  
REF HQ1115 .W6 1999

**Women Remembered: A Guide To Landmarks Of Women's History In The United States**  
E159 .T56 1986

**Dictionary Of Literary Biography**  
REF CT8620 .D5

Each volume in this collection is devoted to a particular topic, period or genre. The biographies strive to "place the authors in the larger perspective of literary history" with scholars' appraisals of their work. The latest volume acts as an index to all previous volumes.

**Who's Who Of American Women**  
REF E176 .W647

**Notable American Women, 1607-1950: A Biographical Dictionary**  
REF CT3260 .N57

### **Current Biography**

REF CT100 .C8

This is an excellent general biographical source with bibliographic references.

### **Notable American Women, The Modern Period: A Biographical Dictionary**

REF CT3260 .N573

These books include one or two pages of biographical information with bibliographic references.

## **BIBLIOGRAPHIES (SPECIALIZED AND GENERAL)**

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### **American Diaries: An Annotated Bibliography Of Published American Diaries And Journals**

CT214 .A74 1983

### **Women's Diaries, Journals, And Letters: An Annotated Bibliography**

REF Z7963.B6C55 1989

### **First Person Female American: A Selected And Annotated Bibliography Of The Autobiographies Of American Women Living After 1950**

REF Z7963.A8 F57

### **An Annotated Bibliography Of American Indian And Eskimo Autobiographies**

REF Z1209 .B78

### **Women And Feminism In American History : A Guide To Information Sources**

REF Z7964.U49 T52

### **Antifeminism In American Thought: An Annotated Bibliography**

REF Z7964.U49 K56 1986

### **The Equal Rights Amendment: An Annotated Bibliography Of The Issues, 1976-1985**

REF KF4758.A1 F45 1986

### **The Sexual Barrier: Legal, Medical, Economic, And Social Aspects Of Sex Discrimination**

REF Z7961 .H8

### **An Annotated Critical Bibliography Of Feminist Criticism**

REF Z7963.F44 H85 1987

### **Through A Woman's I: An Annotated Bibliography Of American Women's Autobiographical Writings, 1946-1976**

REF Z7963.B6 A32 1983

## **CHRONOLOGIES**

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### **Chronology Of Women's History**

HQ1121 .O47 1994

### **The Women's Chronology: A Year-By-Year Record From Prehistory To The Present**

HQ1122 .T73 1994

## **DIRECTORIES**

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### **Women's Information Directory**

REF HV1445 .W656 1993

Listing of publications, publishers, booksellers, educational and cultural institutions and programs, scholarships and other sources.

### **Women's Movements Of The World: An International Directory And Reference Guide**

REF HQ1883 .W63 1988

## ENCYCLOPEDIAS, DICTIONARIES, QUOTATIONS AND HANDBOOKS

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**The Dictionary Of Feminist Theory**  
REF HQ1115 .H86 1995

**Handbook Of American Women's History**  
REF HQ1410.H36 1990

**Historical Dictionary Of Feminism**  
REF HQ1115 .B65 1996

**The Routledge Critical Dictionary Of Feminism And Post Feminism**  
HQ1115 .R68 2000

**Women In The Third World: An Encyclopedia Of Contemporary Issues**  
HQ1870.9 .W6548 1998

**Women's Studies Encyclopedia**  
REF HQ1115.W645 1989

**Encyclopedia Of Women And Gender: Sex Similarities And Differences And The Impact Of Society On Gender**  
REF HQ1115 .E43 2001

**A Dictionary Of Sexist Quotations**  
REF HQ1075 .D52 1984

**The New Quotable Woman**  
REF PN6081.5 .N49 1992

**Encyclopedia Of Women In American Politics**  
REF HQ1236.5.U6 E53 1999

**Routledge International Encyclopedia Of Women: Global Women's Issues And Knowledge**  
REF HQ1115 .R69 2000

**The Nature Of Woman: An Encyclopedia & Guide To The Literature**  
HQ1115 .W37

## GUIDES TO THE LITERATURE

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**Introduction To Library Research In Women's Studies**  
REF Z7961 .S42 1985

**Women's Studies: A Guide To Information Sources**  
REF Z7961 .C37 1990

**Reader's Guide To Women's Studies**  
REF HQ1180 .R42 1998

**Women Of Color In The United States: A Guide To The Literature**  
REF Z7964.U49R4 1989

## INDEXES & ABSTRACTS

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**Biography Index (Annual)**  
REF Z5301 .B5

Indexes biographies and autobiographies in books and periodicals. Covers living and deceased people from all countries, occupations and time periods.

**Index To Women Of The World From Ancient To Modern Times: Biographies And Portraits**  
REF Z7963.B6 I73

Analyzes 945 collective biographies covering 13,000 women, arranged by personal name.

**Women Studies Abstracts**  
REF Z7962 .W65 [Index Tables]

This service is issued quarterly with an annually cumulated index. Despite its name, few entries are actually abstracted. Both scholarly and general interest periodical articles in the area of Women's Studies are covered and accessible by subject.

**Alternative Press Index: An Index to Alternative and Radical Publications**  
REF AI3 .A27 [Index Tables]

**Studies On Women Abstracts**  
REF HQ1 I80 .S78 [Index Tables]

This abstract is issued every two months with annually cumulated author and subject indexes. Both journals and books are indexed, with a leaning towards British books. Lengthy abstract.

## **ELECTRONIC RESOURCES (DATABASES)**

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**EBSCO Academic**  
Index to articles of general academic interest. Full text of many articles available. Also contains book reviews.

**America: History and Life**  
Abstracts of journal articles, books, and dissertations on United States and Canadian history from prehistoric times to the present.

**Historical Abstracts**  
Abstracts of journal articles, citations to books, and dissertations on the history of the world (excluding North America) from 1450 to the present.

**PsychINFO**  
The Web version of Psychological Abstracts from 1887 to the present.

**Lexis-Nexis**  
Full text database of news, business, and legal sources with some medical information as well. Also contains book reviews.

**Reader's Guide**  
Index to popular and general periodicals in all subject areas. Coverage from 1890 to date (Paper). 1983 to date (WWW). Also contains book reviews.

**Genderwatch**  
Full text database of periodical articles and other publications that focus on the impact of gender across a broad spectrum of subject areas.

**ERIC**  
Index to articles (identified as "EJ") and documents (identified as "ED") on all aspects of education. Documents with ED # are available on microfiche in the Multimedia Resources Department.

**MLA**  
Index to articles and other material on modern languages, literature, linguistics and folklore. Covers subjects from prose to poetry, genres to literary forms, national literatures and regional dialects.

**Sociological Abstracts**  
Index to publications in the fields of sociology, social sciences and related disciplines from 1986 to the present. Also contains book reviews.

**JSTOR**  
Archive of full-text journal articles in African American studies, African studies, anthropology, archaeology, Asian studies, Classical studies, ecology, economics, education, geography, history, languages and literature, Latin American studies, Middle East studies, philosophy, political science, population studies, sociology, and statistics. Also contains book reviews.

## PERIODICALS (SELECTED TITLES)

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Advancing Women In Leadership	Women in Management
Journal Of International Women's Studies	Women in Sport & Physical Activity Journal
Journal Of Women & Aging	Women's Health Collection
Journal Of Women And Religion	Women's Health Law Weekly
Journal Of Women's History	Women's History
Psychology Of Women Quarterly	Women's Quarterly
Signs: Journal Of Women In Culture And Society	Women's Review of Books
Women & Criminal Justice	Women's Sports & Fitness
Women & Health	Women's Studies
Women & Politics	Women's Studies in Communication
Women and Language	Women's Studies International Forum
Women in Business	Women's Studies Quarterly

## STATISTICS

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**Statistical Handbook On Women In America**  
REF HQ1420 .T34 1996

**Statistical Record Of Women Worldwide**  
REF HQ1101 .S73 1995

**Where Women Stand: An International Report On The Status Of Women In 140 Countries, 1997-1998**  
HQ1154 .N39 1997

**The World's Women, 1995: Trends And Statistics**  
HQ1154 .W95 1995

**Handbook Of International Data On Women**  
HQ1115.H36

## MICROFILM

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### **Herstory (Microfilm no. 74)**

More than 400 titles assembled from the holdings of the International Women's History (Periodical) Archive at the Women's History Research Center, the collection comprises 821 newsletters, journals and newspapers published by and about women's liberation, civic, professional, religious and peace groups. Most of the material included was published between 1968 and 1974; some titles, however, date back as far as 1956.

## INTERNET RESOURCES

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**Women of Color Web**  
<http://www.hsph.harvard.edu/grhf/WoC/>

Writings by about women of color in America; concentrates on feminisms, sexualities, and reproductive rights; sponsored by the Global Reproductive Health Forum at the Harvard School of Public Health.

**Women's Studies Database**  
<http://www.mith2.umd.edu/WomensStudies/>

Useful sources for a whole host of information on women's issues including conferences, bibliographies, calls for papers, employment, film reviews, gender issues, and the Reading Room which is a collection of text by and about women. Maintained by the U. of Maryland.

### **Women Writers Online**

<http://www.wwp.brown.edu/texts/woentry.html>

Provides texts of books by women from 1400 to 1850.

### **Digital Schomburg African American Women Writers of the 19th Century**

[http://digital.nypl.org/schomburg/writers\\_aa19/toc.html](http://digital.nypl.org/schomburg/writers_aa19/toc.html)

*African American Women Writers of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century* is a digital collection of some 52 published works by 19<sup>th</sup>-century black women writers. A part of the Digital Schomburg, this collection provides access to the thought, perspectives and creative abilities of black women as captured in books and pamphlets published prior to 1920. A full text database of 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup>-century titles, this digital library is key-word-searchable.

### **Women and Social Movements in the United States, 1600-2000**

<http://www.alexanderstreet6.com/wasm/index.html>

This resource brings together books, images, documents, scholarly essays, commentaries and bibliographies documenting the multiplicity of women's reform activities.

### **Women and Gender Studies Web Sites**

<http://libr.org/wss/WSSLinks/index.html>

WSSLINKS, developed and maintained by the Women's Studies Section of the Association of College & Research Libraries. The purpose of WSSLINKS is to provide access to a wide range of resources in support of Women's Studies.

For additional Internet resources, please consult the Sprague Library guide **Women's Studies Resources on the Internet**, which can be located at <http://library.montclair.edu/guides1.html>

### **Early Modern Women Database**

<http://www.lib.umd.edu/ETC/LOCAL/emw/emw.php3>

The Early Modern Women Database provides links to Web resources useful for the study of women in early modern Europe and the Americas. It focuses on the period from ca. 1500 to ca. 1800 and includes links to Web sites about the Medieval period and 19th Century as well. Resources have been selected for their scholarly value by librarians of the University of Maryland Libraries. Materials range from bibliographic databases to full-text resources, images, and sound recordings. Most of the resources linked here are free. Some require a license for access.

### **The Suffragists Oral History Project**

<http://bancroft.berkeley.edu/ROHO/projects/suffragist/>

In the early 1970s the Suffragists Oral History Project, under the auspices of the University of California – Berkeley, Bancroft Library's Regional Oral History Office, collected interviews with twelve leaders and participants in the woman's suffrage movement.

### **Women's Organizations**

<http://www.library.wisc.edu/libraries/WomensStudies/orgs.htm>

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