In this course, an interdisciplinary perspective will be taken in examining the unique historical and contemporary forces that have shaped the lives of Black Women in America. Black women have been victimized by multiple oppressions, and it is the goal of this course to examine the impact of the oppressions on empowering as well as disabling them. Literature from psychology, sociology, history, and women’s studies will be utilized in exploring issues of Black Women’s economic, social, and psychological well-being.

Full attendance and participation in class is required, in addition to the completion of written assignments and a research project/paper.

MEETS TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
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