Reading List:	Gender
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This list is intended as a general guide to assist you in preparation for the Ph.D. Comprehensive Examination in Gender. The list is organized according to basic theoretical, conceptual, and empirical areas of study in the field. It is neither exhaustive nor comprehensive. Students are expected to keep up with new publications (books and journal articles) and new ideas. Students should, for example, review new research appearing in such journals as, *American Sociological Review, Gender & Society*, and *Social Problems*. It will also help to review readings from courses offered in the gender sequence. Additionally, each student is expected to concentrate in an area of study of her or his particular interest. This will involve constructing your own bibliography in your chosen area of specialization. You must develop your list in consultation with a faculty member on the exam committee. Your concentration should consist of *at least* one page of readings and should constitute the most important texts in the sub-area. Please refer to the supplemental list to begin your development of a concentration.

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