This class will draw on the recent works of the moral and political philosopher, Kate Manne, to think critically about the nature, logic, and structure of misogyny in our society. Manne understands misogyny as the ‘law and order’ branch of patriarchy. Her analysis draws on current events to show how we all participate in these social structures that are harmful to all. While our focus is on misogyny, Manne’s analysis lends itself to understanding other systems of domination, including racism, xenophobia, classism, ageism, ableism, homophobia, transphobia, etc. We will pay special attention to how misogyny manifests itself in medical contexts.

Prerequisite: Completion of Tier 1 Writing Requirement

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