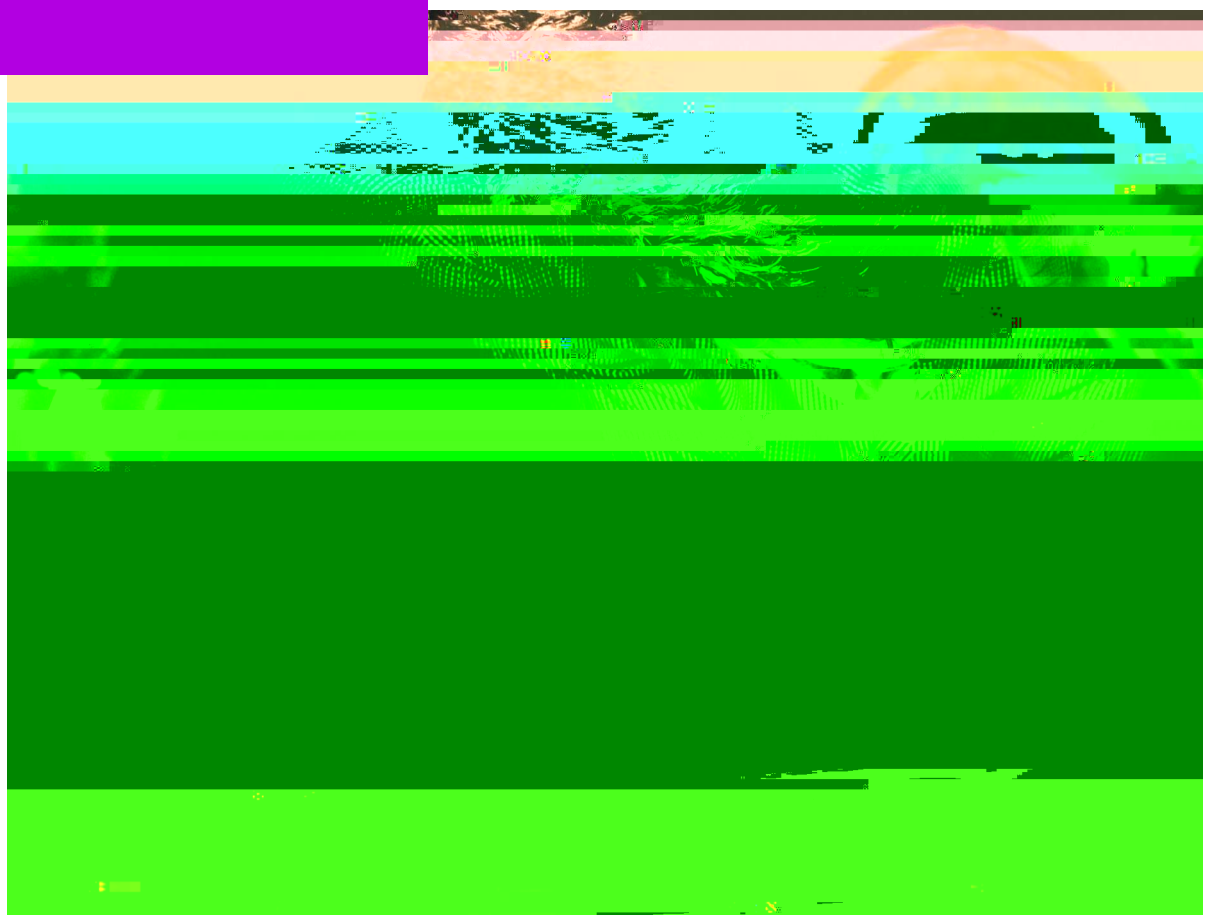

# ARTS2845

Sex, Human Rights and Justice

Term Two // 2019

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# Course Overview

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Course Details

# Assessment

## Assessment Tasks

| Assessment task | Weight | Due Date | Student Learning Outcomes Assessed |
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| Test | 40% | Week 5 and Week 9 | 6 |
| Essay | 50% | 09/08/2019 11:59 PM | 1,2,4,5 |
| Tutorial Report | 10% | 09/08/2019 11:59 PM | 3 |

## Assessment Details

Assessment 1: Test

Start date:

Details: Two online tests, each worth 20%, will be held in Week 5 and Week 9 of the semester. Each test will be marked within two weeks of submission and the students will receive numerical grades.

Additional details:

You are required to do the assigned readings every week as the basis for tutorial discussion. These readings and other course work also form the basis for the first assessment, an online quiz that involves short answers in Week 5. The second online quiz takes the form of an analysis of a short passage related to course questions. Your analysis should be approximately 750-1000 words long. You will not be penalised for going over the word limit, but please remember that it is important to be succinct and to avoid being long-winded in all written work. If the comments on your written work are not sufficiently helpful, we can of course discuss your ideas and questions.

similarity reports.

Assessment 2: Essay

Start date:

Details: Students submit an individual essay (2500 words). Qualitative feedback and a numerical grade are returned to students within ten working days of due date. The assessment criteria are available to students at the start of semester so that they can work towards specified standards. This is the final assessment in this course for the purposes of the attendance requirement.

Assessment 3: Tutorial Report

Start date:

Details: Students submit an individual report on their tutorial preparation and participation (500 words). The assessment criteria are available to students at the start of semester so that they can work towards specified standards. Students will receive feedback within ten working days of submission.

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# Resources

## Prescribed Resources

The essential readings for each week are marked with an asterisk in the weekly schedule.

## Recommended Resources

As noted above, tutorials presuppose that you have read and made an honest attempt to understand the required reading for each week, which is starred in the course guide below.

It is important that as citizens, and students of politics, you read at least one good news source daily (for example, the online *Es_pbg_l* or *Lcu Wmpi Rgkcq* is adequate), as well as weekly and monthly journals that provide information and argument about the state of the world. Please feel free to ask the Course Coordinator for suggestions about other books, articles or web

Google and Google Scholar

Of course! You can set up the preferences to link Google Scholar to the UNSW Library even when you are not on campus: go to Google Scholar> settings> library links, and enter 'University of New South Wales' in the box for 'Library'.

United Nations, and UN Women

The UN site offers access to documents, decisions and everything else to do with the UN (as the site is gigantic, it is sometimes quicker to search for UN documents using Google).

Australian Legal Information Institute (AustLII)

This site provides access to an extensive selection of primary and secondary Australian legal materials, and has links to many international legal databases and electronic journals.

Australian Parliament

This site provides access to debates, legislation, committees, parliamentary who's who etc., with a digital search of records from 1901 at ParlInfo, and invaluable publications at the Parliamentary Library.

High Court of Australia

The Court's home page offers decisions, transcripts, recent speeches, biographies of the judges, etc.

Human Rights Watch, esp. Women's Rights

European Court of Human Rights

Cases and other material from the European Court.

United Kingdom Parliament

This site offers access to both political and legal decisions, plus all the usual stuff on government. There are also separate websites for the Scottish Government (Riaghaltas na h-Alba), the Welsh Government (Llywodraeth Cymru), and the Northern Ireland Executive [possible].

The White House

Official web site for the White House and the 45th President of the USA.

Supreme Court of Canada

This site provides access to decisions of the Supreme Court of Canada.

Supreme Court of the United States

This site offers US Supreme Court decisions as well as lots of other material.

Oyez

This US Supreme Court Multimedia site provides access to oral arguments, transcripts and cases.

Many other useful databases are available via the UNSW Library website,

## Course Evaluation and Development

At UNSW, student evaluative feedback is gathered periodically using, among other means, the myExperience process. Student feedback on this course is gathered through myExperience evaluations at the end of the course, and at any time students are welcome to email or speak to the Convenor about questions or problems. It is sometimes the case that students understand the significance of some of the problems considered only after the course is formally completed, and students are also always welcome to contact the seminar Convenor after classes have finished, even many years after the course has ended. All feedback is carefully considered, reflected upon, and used to evaluate and refine all aspects of the course.

# Submission of Assessment Tasks

## Turnitin Submission

If you encounter a problem when attempting to submit your assignment through Turnitin, please telephone External Support on 9385 3331 or email them on externalteltsupport@unsw.edu.au . Support hours are 8:00am – 10:00pm on weekdays and 9:00am – 5:00pm on weekends (365 days a year). If you are unable to submit your assignment due to a fault with Turnitin you may apply for an extension, but you must retain your ticket number from External Support (along with any other relevant documents) to include as evidence to support your extension application. If you email External Support you will automatically receive a ticket number, but if you telephone you will need to specifically ask for one. Turnitin also provides updates on their system status on Twitter.

Generally, assessment tasks must be submitted electronically via either Turnitin or a Moodle assignment. In instances where this is not possible, it will be stated on your course's Moodle site with alternative submission details.

For information on how to submit assignments online via Moodle: https://student.unsw.edu.au/how-submit-assignment-moodle

# Academic Honesty and Plagiarism

Plagiarism is using the words or ideas of others and presenting them as your own. It can take many forms, from deliberate cheating to accidentally copying from a source without acknowledgement.

UNSW groups plagiarism into the following categories:

Copying: using the same or very similar words to the original text or idea without acknowledging the source or using quotation marks. This also applies to images, art and design projects, as well as presentations where someone presents another's ideas or words without credit.

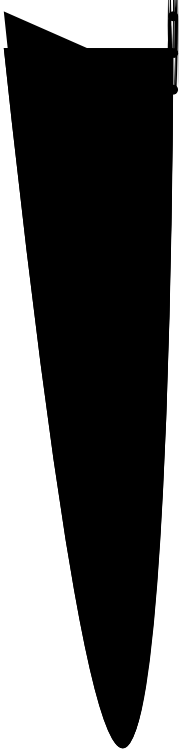
Inappropriate paraphrasing: Changing a few words and phrases while mostly retaining the original structure and/or progression of ideas of the original, and information without acknowledgement. This also applies in presentations where someone paraphrases another's ideas or words without credit and to piecing together quotes and paraphrases into a new whole, without appropriate referencing.

Collusion: working with others but passing off the work as a person's individual work. Collusion also includes providing your work to another student before the due date, or for the purpose of them

- understand your rights and responsibilities as a student at UNSW
- be aware of plagiarism, copyright, UNSW Student Code of Conduct and Acceptable Use of UNSW ICT Resources Policy
- be aware of the standards of behaviour expected of everyone in the UNSW community
- locate services and information about UNSW and UNSW Library

Some of these areas will be familiar to you, others will be new. Gaining a solid understanding of all the related aspects of ELISE will help you make the most of your studies at UNSW.
http://subjectguides.library.unsw.edu.au/elise/aboutelise

## Academic Information

For essential student information relating to:

- requests for extension;
- late submissions guidelines;
- review of marks;
- UNSW Health and Safety policies;