



## 2003/04 Women's Studies Essay Contest

Have you written about how gender influences or is influenced by art, literature, politics, history, music, healthcare, theatre, science, business, or society?

If you have, submit your paper to the Women's Studies Essay Contest!

### Submission Requirements:

- Should not exceed 10 pages, double spaced and typed (page count does not include works cited/bibliography pages—but do include these with your submission)
- Must be an OU student's original work from any OU course in any academic discipline
- Must use a feminist perspective, theory, or method; and/or relate to women's experiences in historical and contemporary societies
- Must be a clean copy without any marks or grades on it
- Feel free to revise the paper substantially before submitting
- Must include a cover page with the student's name, address, phone number, e-mail address and the semester, course and instructor for whom the paper was written

**Deadline: Friday, March 5, 2004**

A panel of Women's Studies faculty will judge the essays on the basis of originality, clarity, and organization of ideas; the use of a feminist perspective; and/or relevance to the lives of women.

Awards will be presented at the Women's Studies Spring Luncheon.

**First Place: \$150      Second Place: \$75      Third Place: \$50**

Submit paper to: WS Essay Contest Committee,  
c/o Millie Merz, Kresge Library, 241 KL

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