

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

COLLEGE of LIBERAL ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES
Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies Program

WGSS 3351

GENDER & WORK



Professor Elizabeth Gregory
Spring 2022: MW 1-2:30 PM

Gendered jobs - why are they still a thing?

Differential pay scales - are they legal?

Who does the housework?

Real world insight for negotiating the employment scene in Houston

Fertility and work

Single moms - how do they do it all?

Will the Build Back Better Act's expanded childcare change your life?

This course explores gender's history as a work-assignment system, changing roles of men and women across all realms of work (paid & unpaid), the ongoing evolution of HR, economic, educational and legal policies & how those affect work & pay patterns, family, leadership, management dynamics, etc., in the US and globally. Speakers from diverse industries will share their insights on how the scene is changing fast.