

# Gender and Human Rights in Contemporary Africa



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Drawing on her research and experience with Human Rights Watch in Zimbabwe and South Africa, Dr. Kriger will explore broad issues about gender and human rights as they pertain to elections, liberation wars, sexual violence, land, and migration in Africa. What are the strengths and weaknesses of a gender and human rights approach to understanding African politics? Does a human rights discourse promote or derail democratization? In the latter case, what responses are available to the international human rights community?

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