Reconstructing Gender: A Multicultural Anthology
Synopsis

Reconstructing Gender is an anthology that addresses the contemporary experiences from a variety of women and men. Drawing from a wide range of sources including research articles, critical essays, and personal narratives, Disch has chosen accessible, engaging, and provocative readings that represent many perspectives and experiences. Eleven part-opening introductions identify important issues in the general field of study, describe the readings, remind the reader about some of the central themes emerging throughout the book, and raise questions for students to consider.

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Customer Reviews

I must admit I have a bias, I have worked as a Lecturer and Administrator at the University of Massachusetts, Boston with the author Professor Estelle Disch. Professor Disch’s book is a model for what she has devoted her academic life to, promoting diversity in the curriculum and in the classroom. This book is a must for any educator concerned with understanding and promoting diversity. Professor Disch breaks down what are very complex Sociological theories into understandable concepts for the reader. I highly recommend this text.

This is a very good book. With the multiple authors, and different segments of this book, you get a very complete look at how gender is viewed and treated today. I highly recommend this book to anyone who is trying to understand how race, gender, and society have impacted gender perception in our society.
I purchased this book as a Kindle edition for a Gender Studies class I took. The book covered a broad selection of issues in gender, sexuality, race & culture. It worked really well alongside the introductory course I was taking & served as a superb springboard for discussion.

I've been using this as a textbook in my sociology of gender class for several years. It's got some excellent articles, and some poorly done work as well. I'm glad to move on. I'm going to give Kimmel's Gendered Society a try. It's a text, not a reader. I like Kimmel. He builds a big tent.

I love this book! My teacher for the class that I'm reading this for is an imbecile but the book is great! Good look into the lives of multiple genders, ethnicities, sexual orientations, etc. I like that the article varied in length and than nothing was really over 7 or 8 pages.

Reconstructing Gender is a great text book. Professor Disch did a amazing job really going back and expelling what gender is and how we identify as humans it is amazing. This book was great for my gender class that questioned many of the same ideas she was questioning in the book. Great reading experience!

I only got this for a class I hated, I actually enjoyed some of the articles in here and learned a lot about feminism but had a bad teacher for the class.

I love the different articles in this text, it keeps you interested and is very informative in a way that is easy to read and comprehend.

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