



Title	<u>Global and Comparative Perspectives on Gender Equality</u>
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Brief description	This course offers a unique learning opportunity for students eager to take the extra mile. Classes are taught jointly by two professors from Indiana University (USA) and ELTE, and students are joining the course from both universities simultaneously. The course focuses on the global and comparative aspects of gender equality. It gives a dense understanding of theory, regulatory challenges and practice. In addition, students will have the opportunity to join a UN Commission on the Status of Women session. All classes will be organized in a hybrid format and will be recorded. This block seminar lasts from the 27th of February to the 27th of April, usually from 6 pm to 7:30 pm on Mondays. Special events may be scheduled for other dates and times. Students are expected to get familiar with the assigned readings.
Materials/Recommended readings	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Populist Backlash to Gender Equality in International Fora: Analyzing Resistance & Response at the United Nations, 35 MARYLAND JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 156 (2019).• Restricting the Rights of Poor Mothers: An International Human Rights Critique of “Workfare”, 33 COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF LAW & SOCIAL PROBLEMS 393 (2000)• The European Social Charter and the Employment Relation, Niklas Bruun, Klaus Lörcher, Isabelle Schömann and Stefan Clauwaert (eds), Hart Publishing 2017 – Arts. 8, 20 &E.• Krizsan, Andrea, and Conny Roggeband. "Towards a conceptual framework for struggles over democracy in backsliding states: Gender equality policy in Central Eastern Europe." <i>Politics and Governance</i> 6.3 (2018): 90-100.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barnett, H. (1998). Introduction to Feminist Jurisprudence (1st ed.). Routledge-Cavendish. pp: 3-28; 177-210; 251-280. • Blaskó, Zsuzsa, Eleni Papadimitriou, and Anna Rita Manca. <i>How will the COVID-19 crisis affect existing gender divides in Europe?</i>. Vol. 5. Luxembourg: Publications Office of the European Union, 2020 • Beham, Barbara, et al. "Part-time work and gender inequality in Europe: a comparative analysis of satisfaction with work–life balance." <i>European Societies</i> 21.3 (2019): 378-402.
Assessment/Exam	Open book , on-line exam after the course.

Course Schedule

Jan 25 or February 1	Intro session for US students only	Shruti Rana	Introductory session, preview course	60 minutes
1 March 2023 18:00-19:30 CET 12:00-1:30 EST	Introduction to gender equality Relevant US/International human rights norms	Sara Hungler Shruti Rana	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Hungarian students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
1 March 2023 1:45 – 2:15	Prep session for US students, who will attend the ARW conference		Hungarian students do not attend	
2-3 March 2023	ARW Conference, US students must attend 2-3 ARW sessions, complete reflection assignment	Sara Hungler (1 panel)	Hungarian students do not attend	
Week of March 6	The class attends a session of the UN		Hybrid session- US students attend in person,	90 minutes

TBD	Commission on the Status of Women		Hungarian students attend virtually	
8 March 2023 18:00-19:30 CET 12:00-1:30 EST	Reproductive Justice 1	Shruti Rana	Session at IU in person Hungarian students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
9 March 2023 18:00-20:00 CET 12:00-14:00 EST	The European regulatory framework	Sara Hungler	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at IU in person Hungarian students attend this class virtually	120 minutes
20 March 18:00-19:30 CET 12:00-1:30 EST	The Equal Pay principle in the EU	Sara Hungler	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at ELTE in person US students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
March 22:	US course	Shruti Rana	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at IU in person Hungarian students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
March 29:	US course	Shruti Rana	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at IU in person Hungarian students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
TBD week of 3 April	Refugee Women in crisis 1.	Shruti Rana	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded	90 minutes

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TBD week of 3 April	Refugee Women in crisis 2.	Shruti Rana	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Hungarian students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
12 April 2023 18:00-19:30 CET 12:00-1:30 EST	Reproductive Justice 2	Shruti Rana	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at IU in person Hungarian students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
17 April 2023 18:00-19:30 CET 12:00-1:30 EST	Work-Life Balance and Parental Leave in EU law	Sara Hungler	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at ELTE in person US students attend this class virtually	90 minutes
24 April 2023 18:00-19:30 CET 12:00-1:30 EST	Violence against Women	Sara Hungler	Virtual/Hybrid option, recorded Session at ELTE in person US students attend this class virtually	90 minutes