

**FALL 2017**

**16:988:520 (15239) Agency, Subjectivity & Social Change**

T 10:55AM-1:55PM

RJC-011 C/D

Professor Radhika Balakrishnan

This course provides multi-disciplinary social science approaches to understanding the intersection of poverty, inequality and gender. The course will be an advanced reading seminar that explores various (but especially feminist) approaches to theorizing, measuring, experiencing how the global economy works and the relationship between capitalist development and gender and race/ethnic inequality and poverty. The course will also examine models, policies, and strategies to reduce poverty and inequality globally. Though the focus is global particular attention will be paid to the United States and the particular issues inequality race and gender.