

Lesson Plan for the Allied Optional Course ‘Gender and Leadership’ – 2017-18 (Odd Semester)

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Sl. No.	Topic	Readings/Activity	No. of Hours	No.of Hours/ Module	Weekly Progress
1.	Introduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Q & A Session 	2	2	Week 1
2.	Concepts – Gender & Sex	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion on extract from ‘A Brief History of Sapiens’ by Yuval Noah Harari 	5	5	Week 1 & 2
3.	Gender and Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extracts from ‘Delusions of Gender’ by Cordelia Fine Steven Pinker and Elizabeth Spelke debate on ‘The Science of Gender and Science’ (edge.org) 	5 5	10	Week2, 3 & 4
4.	Gender and Sexual Identities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion on the film ‘Tangerine’ Reading and discussion of the article ‘Who is a Sportswoman?’ by Silvia Camporesi 	4 4	8	Week 4, 5 & 6
5.	Ideas of Leadership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preliminary discussion and Q&A Discussion on ‘What it takes to be a great leader’ by Roselinde Torres (Ted Talks) 	2 3	5	Week 6 & 7
6.	Debates in Leadership Theories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion on ‘The Trouble with Leadership Theories’ by Doug Sundheim (Harvard Business Review) 	5	5	Week 7 & 8
7.	Ethics, Morality & Decision Making	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion on the documentary ‘Corporation’ ‘The Trolley Problem’ by Richard Dawkins – Discussion on the roots of morality 	4 4	8	Week 8, 9, & 10

8.	Gender and Workspace	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student interviews with working professionals from diverse fields. • Reading and discussion on workspace narratives of gender biases, prejudices from newspapers and magazines. 	2		
			3	5	Week 10 & 11
9.	Gender and Leadership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Glass Ceiling - Role of gender biases and prejudices on women • Discussion on the article 'The Glass Ceiling' (The Economist) • Exploring the connection between gender identity and leadership • Discussion on extracts from 'Own It: Leadership Lessons From Women Who Do' by Aparna Jain. 	2		
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			3	12	Week 12, 13, 14 & 15
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Total No. of Hours				60	