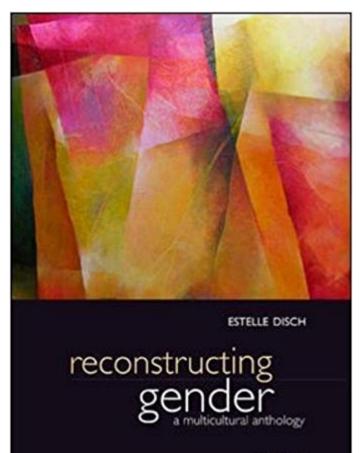


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Estelle Disch is professor of sociology at the University of Massachusetts Boston where she has been active in curricular transformation, general education reform, and faculty development. She has written extensively on pedagogical issues in diverse classrooms. Her research focuses on the effects of sexual abuse by professionals and on assessing learning in university courses. She has served as a consultant and trainer related to creating more open and accepting campus climates and has run many workshops for professionals related to maintaining appropriate professional boundaries.

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 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.

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 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

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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.

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