

RELI 085

FYS - Sex, Marriage, and Family in Religion



What do sex and marriage have to do with religion? Join this course and explore the central role of discourses and ideas about sexual norms, marriage, and family in some of the major religious traditions of the world. We ask how and why religious traditions have sought to circumscribe and define normative models for sex, marriage, and family and how such norms and values can be understood in their connection to larger theological frameworks and religious source texts. We engage directly with scriptural sources and theological writings spanning both historical and contemporary negotiations of sexual norms and family values.

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General Education Requirements: PH, GL

