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War, Politics and Superheroes 2014-01-10 superhero adventure comics have a long history of commenting upon american public opinion and government policy and the surge in the popularity of comics since the events of september 11 2001 ensures their continued relevance this critical text examines the seventy year history of comic book superheroes on film and in comic books and their reflections of the politics of their time superheroes addressed include batman wonder woman spider man superman the fantastic four and the x men and topics covered include american wars conflicts and public policy instructors considering this book for use in a course may request an examination copy here

*Politics in the Gutters* 2021-06-28 from the moment captain america punched hitler in the jaw comic books have always been political and whether it is marvel s chairman ike perlmutter making a campaign contribution to donald trump in 2016 or marvel s character howard the duck running for president during america s bicentennial in 1976 the politics of comics have overlapped with the politics of campaigns and governance pop culture opens avenues for people to declare their participation in a collective project and helps them to shape their understandings of civic responsibility leadership communal history and present concerns politics in the gutters american politicians and elections in comic book media opens with an examination of campaign comic books used by the likes of herbert hoover and harry s truman follows the rise of political counterculture comix of the 1960s and continues on to the graphic novel version of the 9 11 report and the cottage industry of sarah palin comics it ends with a consideration of comparisons to donald trump as a supervillain and a look at comics connections to the pandemic and protests that marked the 2020 election year more than just escapist entertainment comics offer a popular yet complicated vision of the american political tableau politics in the gutters considers the political myths moments and mimeses in comic books from nonfiction to science fiction superhero to supernatural serious to satirical golden age to present day to consider how they represent re present underpin and or undermine ideas and ideals about american electoral politics

**Superheroes and American Self Image** 2017-05-15 this book offers an interdisciplinary approach to the study of comic books mobilising them as a means to understand better the political context in which they are produced structured around key political events in the us between 1938 and 1975 the author combines analyses of visual and textual discourse including comic book letters pages to come to a more complete picture of the relationship between comic books as documents and the people who read and created them exploring the ways in which ideas about the us and its place in the world were represented in major superhero comic books during the tumultuous period of us history from the great depression to the political trauma of watergate and the end of the vietnam war superheroes and american self image sheds fresh light on the manner in which comic books shape and are shaped by contemporary politics as such it will appeal to scholars of cultural and media studies history and popular culture

**The Superhero Symbol** 2019-12-13 bringing together superhero scholars and key industry figures the superhero symbol unmasks how

superheroes have become so pervasive in media culture and politics this timely collection explores how these powerful icons are among the entertainment industry's most valuable intellectual properties yet can be appropriated for everything from activism to cosplay and real life vigilantism

**Great Power and Great Responsibility** 2014 considers a variety of comic storylines and characters in print and in film illustrating how they echo our ideas of justice power and responsibility back cover

**Politics in Gotham** 2019-02-21 in politics in gotham scholars from a variety of fields political science philosophy law and others provide answers to the question what does batman have to do with politics contributors use the batman canon from the comics to the feature films to explore a broad range of issues in politics and political thought what can batman's role in gotham city teach us about democracy how do batman's vigilantism and his violence fit within a society committed to the rule of law what's the relationship between politics in gotham and politics in our own communities from machiavelli to the fake news phenomenon this book provides a compelling introduction to the politics behind one of the world's most enduring pop culture figures

The International Politics of Superheroes 2021-12-09 this book covers the theories of international relations pressing current issues as well as the structures and main players in world politics through the medium of superheroes and supervillains

**Arab Comic Strips** 1994 the discipline of middle eastern studies in the west has often been resistant to incorporating new theoretical and conceptual paradigms arab comic strips provides at least one indicator that this trend has begun to change the study reflects the influence of both political economy and post modernism the former's influence can be seen in the authors focus on mass culture and history from below while the latter's manifests itself in the authors use of semiotics and their eschewal of any linear model of social change or totalizing discourse the strengths of arab comic strips lie in its comprehensive treatment of the genre it scrutinizes the authors present extensively detailed studies of comic strips that range from iraq and the gulf to north africa and france further the strips they select cover a wide thematic and ideological terrain pan arabist islamist hybrid western arab and radical leftist strips all receive in depth analysis through this analysis the reader gains great insight into political and cultural debates specific to particular regions of the arab world the juxtaposition of strips representing different thematic ideological and geographical perspectives constitutes comparative analysis at its best from jstor org dec 4 2013

Comics in Contemporary Arab Culture 2018-12-13 comic books for adults have become one of the most novel and colourful forms of cultural expression in the arab world today during the last ten years young arabs have crafted stories explaining issues such as authoritarianism resistance war sex gender relations and youth culture these are distributed through informal channels as well as independent bookstores and websites events like the annual cairocomix festival in egypt and the mahmoud kahil award in lebanon evidence the importance of this cultural phenomenon comics in contemporary arab culture focuses on the production of these comics in egypt and lebanon countries at the forefront of the development of the genre for adults jacob hoigilt guides the reader through the emergence of independent comics explores their social and political critique and analyses their visual and verbal rhetoric analysing more than 50 illustrations included here he shows that arab comics are revealing of the changing attitudes towards politics social relations and even language while political analysts often paint a bleak picture of the arab world after 2011 this book suggests that art and storytelling continue to nourish a spirit of liberty and freedom despite political setbacks comics in contemporary arab culture provides a fresh and original insight into the politics of the middle east and cultural expression in the arab world

*Viva la historieta* 2011-09-23 viva la historieta critically examines the participation of mexican comic books in the continuing debate over the character and consequences of globalization in mexico the focus of the book is on graphic narratives produced by and for mexicans in the period following the 1994 implementation of the north american free trade agreement nafta an economic accord that institutionalized the free market vision of relationships among the united states mexico and canada eight chapters cover a broad range of contemporary mexican comics including works of propaganda romance and adventure graphic novels a corporate brand series didactic single issue books

and a superhero parody series each chapter offers an examination of the ways in which specific comics or comic book series represent Mexico's national identity, the U.S.'s influence, and globalization's effects on technology and economics since the passage of NAFTA. Through careful attention to how recent Mexican comics portray a changing nation, author Bruce Campbell reveals a contentious range of perspectives on the problems and promises of globalization. At the same time, Campbell argues that the contrasting views of globalization that circulate widely in Mexican historietas reflect a still unsettled relationship between Mexico and its superpower neighbor.

**Working-Class Comic Book Heroes** 2018-04-19 contributions by Phil Bevin, Blair Davis, Marc DiPaolo, Michele Fazio, James Gifford, Kelly Kanayama, Orion Ussner, Kidder Christina M. Knopf, Kevin Michael Scott, Andrew Alan Smith, and Terrence R. Wandtke. In comic books, superhero stories often depict working class characters who struggle to make ends meet, lead fulfilling lives, and remain faithful to themselves and their own personal code of ethics. *Working-Class Comic Book Heroes: Class Conflict and Populist Politics in Comics* examines working class superheroes and other protagonists who populate heroic narratives in serialized comic books. Essayists analyze and deconstruct these figures, viewing their roles as fictional stand-ins for real-world blue-collar characters informed by new working class studies. The book also discusses how often working class writers and artists created these characters, notably Jack Kirby. A working class Jewish artist created several of the most recognizable working class superheroes, including Captain America and The Thing. Contributors weigh industry histories and marketing concerns as well as the fan community's changing attitudes towards class signifiers in superhero adventures. The often financially strapped Spider-Man proves to be a touchstone figure in many of these essays. Grant Morrison's Superman, Marvel's Shamrock, Alan Moore and David Lloyd's *V for Vendetta*, and *The Walking Dead* receive thoughtful treatment. While there have been many scholarly works concerned with issues of race and gender in comics, this book stands as the first to deal explicitly with issues of class, cultural capital, and economics as its main themes.

Charlie Brown's America 2021-05-04 Despite or because of its huge popular culture status, Peanuts enabled cartoonist Charles Schulz to offer political commentary on the most controversial topics of postwar American culture through the voices of Charlie Brown, Snoopy, and the Peanuts gang. In postwar America, there was no newspaper comic strip more recognizable than Charles Schulz's Peanuts. It was everywhere, not just in thousands of daily newspapers for nearly fifty years. Peanuts was a mainstay of American popular culture in television, movies, and merchandising, from the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade to the White House to the breakfast table. Most people have come to associate Peanuts with the innocence of childhood, not the social and political turmoil of the 1960s and 1970s. Some have even argued that Peanuts was so beloved because it was apolitical. The truth, as Blake Scott Ball shows, is that Peanuts was very political. Whether it was the battles over the Vietnam War, racial integration, feminism, or the future of a nuclear world, Peanuts was a daily conversation about very real hopes and fears and the political realities of the Cold War world. As thousands of fan letters, interviews, and behind-the-scenes documents reveal, Charles Schulz used his comic strip to project his ideas to a mass audience and comment on the rapidly changing politics of America. *Charlie Brown's America* covers all of these debates and much more in a historical journey through the tumultuous decades of the Cold War as seen through the eyes of Charlie Brown, Lucy, Linus, Peppermint Patty, Snoopy, and the rest of the Peanuts gang.

The Phantom Comics and the New Left 2021-03-01 This book is about the Phantom in Sweden, or more correctly about Sweden in the Phantom. Robert Aman uncovers how a peripheral American superhero created in 1936 by Lee Falk that has been accused of both racism and sexism has become a national concern in a country that several researchers have labelled the most antiracist and gender equal in the world. When a group of Swedish creators began their official production of licensed scripts based on the Phantom comic in 1972, the character was redefined through the prism of New Left ideology. The plots of these comics, besides aiming to entertain, also sought to affirm for readers the righteousness and validity of an ideological doctrine that at the time was dominant among the Swedish public and influential in the country's foreign policy. Ultimately, Aman demonstrates how the Swedish Phantom embodies values and a political point of view that reflect how Sweden sees itself and its role in the world.

**Comics** 1989 a study of how a nation's comics artists grapple with economic upheaval

*iViva la Historieta!* 2009 alan moore and dave gibbons's watchmen has been widely hailed as a landmark in the development of the graphic novel it was not only aesthetically groundbreaking but also anticipated future developments in politics literature and intellectual property demonstrating a keen eye for historical detail considering watchmen gives readers a new appreciation of just how radical moore and gibbons's blend of gritty realism and formal experimentation was back in 1986 the book also considers watchmen's place in the history of the comics industry reading the graphic novel's playful critique of superhero marketing alongside alan moore's public statements about the rights to the franchise andrew hoberek examines how moore and gibbons engaged with the emerging discourses of neoconservatism and neoliberal capitalism ideologies that have only become more prominent in subsequent years watchmen's influences on the superhero comic and graphic novel are undeniable but hoberek reveals how it has also had profound effects on literature as a whole he suggests that watchmen not only proved that superhero comics could rise to the status of literature it also helped to inspire a generation of writers who are redefining the boundaries of the literary from jonathan lethem to junot díaz hoberek delivers insight and analysis worthy of satisfying serious readers of the genre while shedding new light on watchmen as both an artistic accomplishment and a book of ideas

**Considering Watchmen: Poetics, Property, Politics** 2017-05-31 from the beginning both robert kirkman's comics and amc's series of the walking dead have brought controversy in their presentations of race gender and sexuality critics and fans have contended that the show's identity politics have veered toward the decidedly conservative offering up traditional understandings of masculinity femininity heterosexuality racial hierarchy and white supremacy this collection of new essays explores the complicated nature of relationships among the story's survivors in the end characters demonstrate often surprising shifts that consistently comment on identity politics whether agreeing or disagreeing with critics these essays offer a rich view of how gender race class and sexuality intersect in complex new ways in the tv series and comics

The Politics of Race, Gender and Sexuality in The Walking Dead 2018-08-21 with essays by baru bart beaty cécile vernier danehy hugo frey pascal lefèvre fabrice leroy amanda macdonald mark mckinney ann miller and clare tufts in belgium france switzerland and other french speaking countries many well known comics artists have focused their attention on historical and political events in works ranging from comic books and graphic novels to newspaper strips cartoonists have addressed such controversial topics as french and belgian collaboration and resistance during world war ii european colonialism and us imperialism anti semitism in france the integration of african immigrant groups in europe and the green and feminist movements history and politics in french language comics and graphic novels collects new essays that address comics from a variety of viewpoints including a piece from practicing artist baru the explorations range from discussion of such canonical works as hergé's tintin series to such contemporary expressions as baru's road to america 2002 about the algerian war included are close readings of specific comics series and graphic novels such as cécile vernier danehy's examination of cosey's saigon hanoi about remembering the vietnam war other writers use theoretical lenses as a means of critiquing a broad range of comics such as bart beaty's bourdieu inspired reading of today's comics field and amanda macdonald's analysis of bandes dessinées french comic books in new caledonia during the 1990s the anthology establishes the french language comics tradition as one rich with representations of history and politics and is one of the first english language collections to explore the subject

*History and Politics in French-Language Comics and Graphic Novels* 2011-02-03 this book examines the dominant popular culture convention of the superhero situated within the most significant global event of the last 20 years exploring the explosion of the superhero genre post 9 11 it sheds fresh light on the manner in which american society has processed and continues to process the trauma from the terrorist attacks beginning with the development of batman in comics television and film the authors offer studies of popular films including iron man captain america the x men black panther and wonder woman revealing the ways in which these texts meditate upon the events and aftermath of 9 11 and challenge the dominant hyper patriotic narrative that emerged in response to the attacks a study of the superhero genre's capacity to unpack complex global interplays that question america's foreign policy actions and the white militarized masculinity that has characterized major discourses following 9 11 this volume explores the engagement of superhero films with issues of

authority patriotism war morals race gender surveillance the military industrial complex and american political and social identities as such it will appeal to scholars and students of cultural and media studies film studies sociology politics and american studies

*Reborn of Crisis* 2020-08-09 as one of the most simple effective and powerful forms of communication it comes as no surprise that comic art has been misappropriated by governments self interest groups do gooders and sinister organisations to spread their messages world war two comic book propaganda with superman batman and captain america bashing up cartoon enemies was so ubiquitous that there was barely a us comic untainted by the war effort and theres no shortage of examples from the other side of the globe this book examines every kind of propaganda and how positive or pernicious messages have been conveyed in the pages of comic books over the last 100 years subject areas include racism and xenophobia antidrugs comics pro drugs comics and religious comics plus there is a look at social programming how gender roles were re enforced in comic book stereotyping and how comics broke free to produce a whole slew of gay superheroes no matter how ham fistedly written this book is a fascinating global visual history of some of the most contentious outrageous unbelievably unusual and politically charged comics ever published written by renowned comics historian and author fredrik strömberg Comic Art Propaganda 2010 the reactionary comicsgate campaign against alleged forced diversity in superhero comics revealed the extent to which comics have become a key battleground in america s culture wars in the first in depth scholarly study of marvel comics most recent engagement with progressive politics superhero culture wars explores how the drive towards greater diversity among its characters and creators has interacted with the company s commercial marketing and its traditional fan base along the way the book covers such topics as major characters such as miles morales s spider man kamala khan s ms marvel jane foster s thor sam wilson s captain america and the secret empire series turncoat captain america creators such as g willow wilson jason aaron nick spencer and michael bendis marketing the marvel universe and online fan culture superhero culture wars demonstrates how the marketing of marvel comics as politically progressive has both indelibly shaped its in world universe and characters and led to conflicts between its corporate interests its creators and its audience

**Superhero Culture Wars** 2019-06-07 winner of the 2017 eisner award in the best academic scholarly work category 2017 prose awards honorable mention media cultural studies over the last 75 years superheroes have been portrayed most often as male heterosexual white and able bodied today a time when many of these characters are billion dollar global commodities there are more female superheroes more queer superheroes more superheroes of color and more disabled superheroes but not many more superwomen investigates how and why female superhero characters have become more numerous but are still not at all close to parity with their male counterparts how and why they have become a flashpoint for struggles over gender sexuality race and disability what has changed over time and why in terms of how these characters have been written drawn marketed purchased read and reacted to and how and why representations of superheroes matter particularly to historically underrepresented and stereotyped groups specifically the book explores the production representations and receptions of prominent transmedia female superheroes from their creation to the present wonder woman batgirl and oracle ms marvel and captain marvel buffy the vampire slayer star wars padmé amidala leia organa jaina solo and rey and x men s jean grey storm kitty pryde rogue and mystique it analyzes their changing portrayals in comics novels television shows and films as well as how cultural narratives of gender have been negotiated through female superheroes by creators consumers and parent companies over the last several decades

Comic Transactions 2016-09-08 a scathingly funny graphic novel from a veritable dream team of collaborators premised on the question what would happen if east st louis seceded from the union remember the 2000 election debacle in florida what would happen if the same thing were to happen in east st louis what if the dissed city seceded and declared itself the sovereign republic of blackland written by one of america s leading political satirists and a pioneering black filmmaker this takes the botched election of 2000 and turns it into an absurd conclusion this is political humour at its best

**Superwomen** 2004 one of the most powerful an influential men is covered in this new biography comic book see how his empire started

from the beginning ceo of general electric is covered in this issue of political power as featured on cnn fox news time magazine the washington post la times ok magazine and msnbc political power is a comic book series that features biographies on modern politics  
**Birth of a Nation** 2018-08-31 taking aim at hypocrisy greed stupidity and cultural chaos in the age of trump unpresided features a wide range of sharp witted illustrations lampooning the bizarre course of american politics and culture since the fateful escalator ride of 2015 fans of political humor and social commentary should not pass this by collects cartoons by fan favorite comic book creator kieron dwyer

*Political Power* 2020 the encyclopedia of black comics focuses on people of african descent who have published significant works in the united states or have worked across various aspects of the comics industry the book focuses on creators in the field of comics inkers illustrators artists writers editors black comic historians black comic convention creators website creators archivists and academics as well as individuals who may not fit into any category but have made notable achievements within and or across black comic culture

**Unpresided** 2017-09-15 what cold war era superheroes reveal about american society and foreign policy physicist bruce banner caught in the nuclear explosion of his experimental gamma bomb is transformed into the rampaging green monster the hulk high school student peter parker bitten by an irradiated spider gains its powers and becomes spiderman reed richards and his friends are caught in a belt of cosmic radiation while orbiting the earth in a spacecraft and are transformed into the fantastic four while stan lee suggests he clung to the hackneyed idea of radioactivity in creating marvel s stable of superheroes because of his limited imagination radiation and the bomb are nonetheless the big bang that spawned the marvel universe the marvel superheroes that came to dominate the comic book industry for most of the last five decades were born under the mushroom cloud of potential nuclear war that was a cornerstone of the four decade bipolar division of the world between the us and ussr these stories were consciously set in this world and reflect the changing culture of cold war and post cold war america like other forms of popular entertainment comic books tend to be very receptive to cultural trends reflect them comment on them and sometimes inaugurate them secret identity crisis follows the trajectory of the breakdown of the cold war consensus after 1960 through the lens of superhero comic books those developed by marvel because of their conscious setting in the contemporary world and because of attempts to maintain a continuous story line across and within books constitute a system of signs that reflect comment upon and interact with the american political economy this groundbreaking new study focuses on a handful of titles and signs that specifically involve political economic codes including captain america the invincible iron man nick fury agent of shield the incredible hulk to reveal how the american self was transformed and or reproduced during the late cold war and after

**Encyclopedia of Black Comics** 2009-03-01 a complete guide to the history form and contexts of the genre superhero comics helps readers explore the most successful and familiar of comic book genres in an accessible and easy to navigate format the book reveals the history of superhero comics from mythic influences to 21st century evolutions cultural contexts from the formative politics of colonialism eugenics kkk vigilantism and wwii fascism to the cold war s transformative threat of mutually assured destruction to the on going revolutions in african american and sexual representation key texts from the earliest pre comics code superman and batman to the latest post code ms marvel and black panther approaches to visual analysis from layout norms to narrative structure to styles of abstraction

**Secret Identity Crisis** 2017-10-05 an intriguing and accessible nonfiction graphic novel about the role wealth and influence play in american democracy despite our immense political divisions americans are nearly united in our belief that something is wrong with our government it works for the wealthy and powerful but not for anyone else unrig exposes the twisted roots of our broken democracy and highlights the heroic efforts of those unrigging the system to return power to we the people this stirring nonfiction graphic novel by democracy reform leader daniel g newman and artist george o connor takes readers behind the scenes from the sweaty cubicles where senators dial corporate ceos for dollars to lavish retreats where billionaires boost their favored candidates to the map rooms where lawmakers scheme to handpick their voters unrig also highlights surprising solutions that limit the influence of big money and redraw the lines of political power if you re overwhelmed by negative news and despairing for the direction of our country unrig is a tonic that will

restore your faith and reveal the path forward to fix our broken democracy

*Superhero Comics* 2020-07-07 a lively graphic narrative reports on censorship of political cartoons around the world featuring interviews with censored cartoonists from pittsburgh to beijing why do the powerful feel so threatened by political cartoons cartoons don t tell secrets or move markets yet as cherian george and sonny liew show us in red lines cartoonists have been harassed trolled sued fired jailed attacked and assassinated for their insolence the robustness of political cartooning one of the most elemental forms of political speech says something about the health of democracy in a lively graphic narrative illustrated by liew himself a prize winning cartoonist red lines crisscrosses the globe to feel the pulse of a vocation under attack a syrian cartoonist insults the president and has his hands broken by goons an indian cartoonist stands up to misogyny and receives rape threats an israeli artist finds his antiracist works censored by social media algorithms and the new york times caught in the crossfire of the culture wars decides to stop publishing editorial cartoons completely red lines studies thin skinned tyrants the invisible hand of market censorship and demands in the name of social justice to rein in the right to offend it includes interviews with more than sixty cartoonists and insights from art historians legal scholars and political scientists all presented in graphic form this engaging account makes it clear that cartoon censorship doesn t just matter to cartoonists and their fans when the red lines are misapplied all citizens are potential victims

*Unrig* 2021-09-21 one of the most popular comic strips of the 1950s and the first to reference politics of the day walt kelly s pogo took on joe mccarthy before the controversial senator was a blip on edward r murrow s radar the strip s satire was so biting it was often relegated to newspaper editorial sections at a time when artists in other media were blacklisted for far less pogo was the vanguard of today s political comic strips such as doonesbury and pearls before swine and a precursor of the modern political parody of late night television this comprehensive biography of kelly reveals the life of a conflicted man and unravels the symbolism and word play of his art for modern readers there are 241 original pogo comic strips illustrated and 13 other kelly artworks as well as illustrations by other cartoonists

**Red Lines** 1982 taking aim at hypocrisy greed stupidity and cultural chaos in the age of trump unrepresented features a wide range of sharp witted illustrations lampooning the bizarre course of american politics and culture since the fateful escalator ride of 2015 fans of political humor and social commentary should not pass this by collects cartoons by fan favorite comic book creator kieron dwyer

*The Penguin Book of Political Comics* 2023-11-14 the latest volume in our world citizen comics graphic novel series fault lines in the constitution teaches readers how this founding document continues to shape modern american society in 1787 after 116 days of heated debates and bitter arguments the united states constitution was created this imperfect document set forth america s guiding principles but it would also introduce some of today s most contentious political issues from gerrymandering to the electoral college to presidential impeachment with colorful art compelling discourse and true stories from america s past and present fault lines in the constitution the graphic novel sheds light on how today s political struggles have their origins in the decisions of our founding fathers children s book author cynthia levinson constitutional law scholar sanford levinson and artist ally shwed deftly illustrate how contemporary problems arose from this founding document and then they offer possible solutions

*A Cultural History of the Punisher* 2015-12-30 burning down the house explores the political economic and cultural landscape of 21st century latin america through comics it examines works from argentina brazil chile uruguay peru colombia méxico and puerto rico and the resurgence of comics in recent decades spurred by the ubiquity of the internet and reminiscent of the complex political experiences and realities of the region the volume analyses experimentations in themes and formats and how latin american comics have become deeply plural in its inspirations subjects drawing styles and political concerns while also underlining the hybrid and diverse cultures they represent it examines the representative and historical images in a state of emergency and political upheaval decolonial perspectives and social struggles linked to ethnic and sexual minorities it looks at how latin american comics are made right now from a diverse and autochthonous latin american perspective with a wide array of illustrations this book in the global perspectives in comics studies series will be an important resource for scholars and researchers of comic studies latin american studies cultural studies english literature political history and post



colonial studies

**Walt Kelly and Pogo** 2020-07-01 marvel comics has an established tradition of addressing relevant real life issues facing the american public with the publication of civil war 2006 2007 a seven issue crossover storyline spanning the marvel universe they focused on contemporary anxieties such as terrorism and threats to privacy and other civil liberties this collection of new essays explores the civil war series and its many tie in titles from the perspectives of history political science sociology psychology literary criticism philosophy law and education the contributors provide a close reading of the series main theme the appropriate balance between freedom and security and discuss how that balance affects citizenship race gender and identity construction in 21st century america

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