

## First-Year Seminars

# ANALYZING NARRATIVES OF LGBTQ MILITARY INCLUSION

CRN #25867

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This course is a research-centered, instructor-led course focused on critical analyses of mainstream narratives of LGBTQ military inclusion in the US. Students will work collaboratively with the instructor to analyze, code, and synthesize data through the lens of contemporary social science perspectives that privilege queer, feminist, and critical theoretical analyses. Students will gain an introduction to qualitative research methods as well as an introduction to contemporary research on LGBTQ workplace inclusion and its relationship with neoliberalism. Students will build analytical, research, presentation, communication, and project management skills, but most importantly, they will actively interrogate "common-sense" claims of LGBTQ inclusion. This research builds on Caviness's previous work on the experiences of LGBTQ military members in the post-Don't Ask Don't Tell military.

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