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ANNIVERSARY

# Center for the Study of Gender and Sexuality

The University of Chicago

pre 1996-2006



1980s

Feminist Theory and Gender & Society Workshops

Courses offered without central coordination

1996

**Center for Gender Studies founded**

First staff hired



1996-1999

Leora Auslander, Director

1997

Concentration (Major) in Gender Studies

Centers move to Judd Hall

Lesbian and Gay Studies Project (LGSP)



2000

First graduating class of Gender Studies B.A.'s

2002

Centers move to 5733 S University

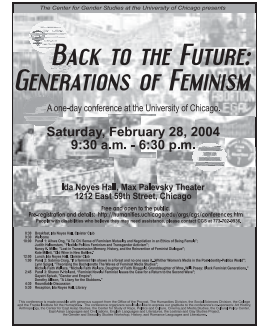


2002-2005

Rebecca West, Director

2004

*Back to the Future: Generations of Feminism* Conference



2005

Minor in Gender Studies

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1991

Ruth Murray Prize established for best student essay in women's studies or feminist criticism



Fall 1996

Inaugural Lecture: Joan Scott, "Gender and the Politics of Higher Education"



1999-2002

Lauren Berlant, Director

1998

First Graduate Student Fellowships

1997-1998

Sawyer Seminar on Sexual Identities and Identity Politics

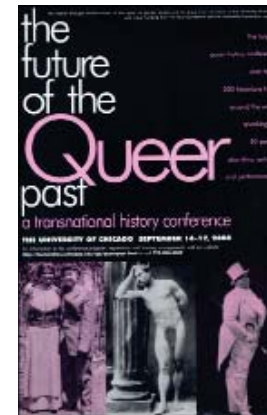
1999-2002

Late Liberalism Project

2000

Gender and Sexuality Studies Workshop (Feminist Theory and Gender & Society merge)

*Future of the Queer Past* Conference



2005-2006

George Chauncey, Interim Director

2006

*Trans/forming Knowledge* Conference



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## 2006-2016

2006  
10 Year Anniversary!

Annual distinguished faculty lecture named for Iris Marion Young



2008  
Center's first Half-Line Faculty Hire, Linda Zerilli  
*Race, Sex, Power* conference



2011-2012  
Sawyer Seminar on Women's International Human Rights: *Problems, Paradoxes, Possibilities*

Alison Bechdel Residency and Exhibition

2012  
Creation and approval of College Core Civilization sequence in Gender and Sexuality Studies

2015-2018  
OutStanding Speakers Series endowment campaign with LGBT Alumni Network



2006-2009  
Deborah Nelson, Director

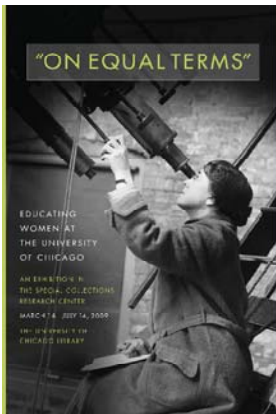
2010  
Graduate Certificate in Gender Studies established



2010-2016  
Linda Zerilli, Director

### 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016

2004-2009  
"On Equal Terms": *Educating Women at the University of Chicago* - 71 oral histories with alumnae (1935-2009), Exhibition and Publication



2009-2010  
Jane Dailey, Interim Director

2011-2015  
*Closeted/Out in the Quadrangles* Project - 100 oral histories with alumni (1958-2012), Exhibition and Publication



2013  
Renovations to 5733 S University complete; Centers re-open

2015-2016  
20th Anniversary Celebrations!  
#CSGS20

2014  
CSGS Endowment established with gift from Dr. Nancy Warner to fund Graduate Fellowships

2016

Campaign to build a CSGS Endowment



2011  
CGS renamed Center for the Study of Gender and Sexuality

Degree renamed Gender and Sexuality Studies