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# Gender K

**IR is deeply gendered – focus on state security causes the construction of gendered identities and bolsters hegemonic masculinity to defend against the feminine**

**Tickner, IR prof, 1** – professor at the School of International Relations, USC. B.A. in History, U London. M.A. in IR, Yale. PhD in pol sci, Brandeis U (Ann, Gendering World Politics: Issues and Approaches in the Post-Cold War Era, 53-57, AMiles)

Most feminists would … do war stories include stories about women.

**And, patriarchy’s the root of war and environmental destruction – try or die**

**Warren and Cady, profs of philosophy, 94** – Professors of Philosophy at Macalester College & Hamline University (Karen and Duane, Hypatia, Spring, 1994. Proquest)

The notion of … and global contexts.

**Reject the affirmative’s gendered lens – rethinking gender may seem irrelevant to the affirmative, but its critical to disrupt the foundations of traditional knowledge**

**Peterson, pol sci prof, 4** – associate professor in the Department of Political Science with courtesy appointments in Women’s Studies, Comparative Cultural and Literary Studies, and International Studies at the University of Arizona (V Spike, Feminist Theories Within, Invisible To, and Beyond IR, Winter/Spring 2004, http://www.watsoninstitute.org/bjwa/archive/10.2/Feminist%20Theory/Peterson.pdf, AMiles)

Moreover, the theory … invisible within IR.

# Normativity K

**There is no reason to vote affirmative - there's no link between their proposal and practical worldly effects due to misrepresentation of agent**

**Schlag, 90** Professor Of Law@ Univ. Colorado, 1990 (Pierre, Stanford Law Review, November, http://spot.colorado.edu/~schlag/SchlagSLR.pdf, chm )ellipsis in original

In fact, normative … normative advice into effect.

**This misrepresentation assumes the agency of the judge to act as a position of power - this doesn't exist**

**Schlag 1991** (Pierre, Colorado Law Prof. 139 U. Pa. L. Rev.801, April, “ Normativity and the Politics of Form”, http://www.jstor.org/stable/pdfplus/3312375.pdf?acceptTC=true, jstor chm )

Many legal thinkers … legal academy practice.

**Their rhetorical performance cedes control of agency - this ensures a spectator mentality that prevents genuine action and guarantees pain and suffering—rather than help the starving person we think “The usfg should help him”**

**Delgado 1991** (RICHARD, COLORADO LAW PROFESSOR, 139 PA. L. REV. 933, APRIL, chm)

But what is … with subsistence claim.

# Orientalism K

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**The impact outweighs and turns the case – Orientalist understandings of the world guarantee extinction**

**Bilgin 05** – Assistant Prof of International Relations at Bilkent University, “REGIONAL SECURITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST A CRITICAL PERSPECTIVE”, PAGE 164-165

Thinking about the … the Middle East.

**Reject the affirmatives Orientalist worldview – the alternative can escape the trap of imperialistic problem solving and still have a practical influence—investigating their epistemological claims is key to better understanding the political.**

**Bilgin 04**—assistant prof, IR, Bilkent U. PhD, IR, U Wales (Pinar, Is the 'Orientalist' past the Future of Middle East Studies?, Third World Quarterly, Vol. 25, No. 2, 423-433, JSTOR, AMiles)

To go back to … in his lifetime.52

# Psychoanalysis K

**Security is a psychological construct – the aff’s scenarios for conflict are products of paranoia that project our violent impulses onto the other**

**Mack 91** – Doctor of Psychiatry and a professor at Harvard University (John, “The Enemy System” http://www.johnemackinstitute.org/eJournal/article.asp?id=23 \*Gender modified)

The threat of … powerfully to the process.

**Their paranoid projections guarantee extinction – it’s try or die**

**Hollander 3** – professor of Latin American history and women's studies at California State University (Nancy, "A Psychoanalytic Perspective on the Politics of Terror:In the Aftermath of 9/11" www.estadosgerais.org/mundial\_rj/download/FLeitor\_NHollander\_ingl.pdf)

In this sense, then, … mechanisms and stimulates paranoia.

**Vote negative to interrogate cycles of enemy creation – this can create a fissure in dominant narratives that make war inevitable**

**Byles 3** – English, U Cyprus (Joanna, Psychoanalysis and War: The Superego and Projective Identification, http://www.clas.ufl.edu/ipsa/journal/articles/art\_byles01.shtml, AMiles)

It is here of … a way of thinking.

# Psychoanalysis K (Short)

**The affirmative’s quest for perfect security is impossible—it’s grounded in a flawed ontology beset by anxiety—their epistemology can’t be separated from violence—it’s try or die. Our framework is that the judge should psycho-analyze their aff’s psychological investment in structures of security. It’s not what the neg does that is important—it’s what the aff needs to do better—their utilitarian mindset forecloses the possibility of alternatives to war.**

**Burke 7**—IR, New South Wales (Anthony, Ontologies of War: Violence, Existence and Reason, Theory and Event, 10.2, Muse, AMiles)

War as a … Will our thought?

# Security K

**The affirmatives disaster scenarios are mere constructions of threats that foster an environment of unending securitization**

**Grondin, PhD in political studies, 4**—master of pol sci and PHD of political studies @ U of Ottowa (David, “(Re)Writing the “National Security State”: How and Why Realists (Re)Built the(ir) Cold War,” http://www.er.uqam.ca/nobel/ieim/IMG/pdf/rewriting\_national\_security\_state.pdf, AMiles)

Neorealist and neoclassical … existence are generated18.

**This quest for security in an inherently chaotic and insecure world guarantees extinction**

**Burke, IR prof, 7**—lecturer of IR at U New South Wales (Anthony, “Ontologies of War: Violence, Existence and Reason,” 7 December 2007, http://www.hopkins-debate.com/pdf/Burke.pdf, AMiles)

This closed circle … dysfunctional or chaotic.

**Thus the alternative—reject the affirmative to refuse the logic of security entrenched in the 1AC. Refusing security entails challenging the politics of knowledge that allow its claim to dominance.**

**Burke, IR prof, 2**— Lecturer of IR at U New South Wales (Anthony, “Aporias of security,” January-March 2002, http://findarticles.com/p/articles/mi\_hb3225/is\_1\_27/ai\_n28906090/pg\_1?tag=content;col1, AMiles)

It is perhaps … possibilities might be.

# West is Best K

**Link—their naïve critique of the US undermines domestic support for leadership**

**Holmes 8** – Vice President, Foreign and Defense Policy Studies and Director, Institute for International Studies (Kim, 3/14, Liberty's Best Hope, http://www.heritage.org/Research/WorldwideFreedom/hl1069.cfm, AG)

But there is a … European Union.

**Western humanism has been the greatest force for good in the world—their authors have history backwards**

**Kors 1** – History Professor, Pennsylvania (Alan, The West at the Dawn of the 21st Century, http://www.fpri.org/ww/0201.200102.kors.westatdawn.html, AG)

The West is … dignity and opportunity.

**The Alternative is to vote negative to affirm the United States of America; reject the aff and their critique of the United States of America**

**This act at the individual level embraces a politics of optimism in America and prepares civil society to defeat potential threats**

**Flynn 8** – Senior Fellow for CFR National Security Studies (Stephen, March/April, America the Resilient, http://www.foreignaffairs.org/20080301faessay87201/stephen-e-flynn/america-the-resilient.html?mode=print, AG)

When it comes … the future may bring.