

Literature for SASA27, Scandinavian Model of Equality - Gender, Class, Ethnicity and the Social Welfare State applies from the autumn semester 2025

Literature established by the board of the Department of Sociology on
2025-05-28 to apply from 2025-05-28

- Alm, Erika (2021) A State Affair?: Notions of the State in Discourses on Trans Rights in Sweden. In E. Alm, L. Berg, M. L. Hero, A. Johansson, P. Laskar, L. Martinsson, D. Mulinari & C. Wasshede (Eds.), *Pluralistic Struggles in Gender, Sexuality and Coloniality Challenging Swedish Exceptionalism*. Cham: Palgrave Macmillan. (26 p.)
- Borchorst, Anette (2009) *Scandinavian gender equality: Competing discourses and paradoxes*. Institut for Historie, Internationale Studier og Samfundsforhold, Aalborg Universitet. FREIA's tekstserie No. 69. <https://doi.org/10.5278/freia.16672753> (13 p.)
- Dahl, Ulrika (2023) *Queer Kinship in Swedish Numbers: Reproducing National Whiteness*. Dahl, Ulrika, Mizielińska, Joanna, Uibo, Raili & Sorainen, Antu (Eds.) *Queer(y)ing Kinship in the Baltic Region and Beyond*. Huddinge: Södertörns högskola: 99-144. <https://sh.diva-portal.org/smash/get/diva2:1737329/FULLTEXT02.pdf> *Links to an external site.* (45 p.)
- de los Reyes, Paulina & Mulinari, Diana (2020) *Hegemonic Feminism Revisited: On the Promises of Intersectionality in Times of the Precarisation of Life*. *NORA - Nordic Journal of Feminist and Gender Research* 28(3): 183-196. doi: 10.1080/08038740.2019.1705905 (13 p.)
- Eldén, Sara & Anving, Terese (2019) *Nanny families: Practices of care by nannies, au pairs, parents and children in Sweden*. Bristol University Press. (selected chapters, ca. 100 pages)
- Fink, Janet & Lundqvist, Åsa (Eds.) (2010) *Changing Relations of Welfare: Family, Gender and Migration in Britain and Scandinavia*. London: Ashgate. (selected chapters, ca. 100 pages, available as e-book)
- Keskinen, Suvi, Stoltz, Pauline & Mulinari, Diana (Eds.) (2021) *Feminisms in the Nordic Region. Neoliberalism, Nationalism and Decolonial Critique*. Cham: Palgrave Macmillan. (selected chapters, ca. 40 pages, available as e-book)
- Knoblock, Ina (2024) "A Rape of the Earth": Sámi Feminists against Mines. *Meridians: feminism, race, transnationalism* 23(1): 133-155. <https://muse.jhu.edu/article/932622>. (27 p.)
- Leira, Arnlaug (2010) *Updating the 'gender contract'? Childcare reforms in the Nordic countries in the 1990s*. *Nora: Nordic Journal of Feminist and Gender Research* 10(2): 81-89. (9 p.)
- Liinason, Mia (2018) *Equality Struggles. Women's Movements, Neoliberal Markets and State Political Agendas in Scandinavia*. London: Routledge, chapter 1. (39 p.)

- Likic-Brboric, Branka and Slavnic, Zoran (2013) Labor Migration and Informalisation: East meets West. *International Journal of Sociology and Social Policy* 33(11/12): 677-692 (15 p).
- Lister, Ruth (2009) A Nordic Nirvana? Gender, citizenship and social justice in the Nordic welfare states. *Social Politics: International Studies in Gender, State and Society* 16(2): 242–278. (36 p.)
- Lützen, Karin (1998) Gay and lesbian politics: Assimilation or subversion: A Danish perspective. *Journal of Homosexuality* 35(3/4): 233–243. (11 p.)
- Martinsson, Lena, Griffin, Gabriele & Nygren, Katarina Giritli (Ed.) (2016). *Challenging the myth of gender equality in Sweden*. Bristol: Policy Press. (selected chapters, ca. 130 pages, available as e-book)
- Melby, Kari, Ravn, Anna-Birte & Carlsson Wetterberg, Christina (Eds.) (2008) *Gender equality and welfare politics in Scandinavia: The limits of political ambition?* Bristol: Policy Press. (selected chapters, ca. 40 pages, available as e-book).
- Mulinari, Diana & Neergaard, Anders (2012) Violence, racism and the Political Arena: A Scandinavian Dilemma. *NORA: Nordic Journal of Feminist and Gender research* 20(1): 13-18. (5 p).
- Mulinari, Paula, Herz, Marcus & Svensson Chowdhury, Matilda (2023) Exploring Swedish 'Family Planning': Reproductive Racism and Reproductive Justice. In: Selberg, Rebecca, Kolankiewicz, Marta & Mulinari, Diana (Eds.) *Struggles for Reproductive Justice in the Era of Anti-Genderism and Religious Fundamentalism*. Cham: Palgrave Macmillan: 241-261. (20 p.)
- Rydström, Jens (2011) *Odd couples: A history of gay marriage in Scandinavia*. Amsterdam: Aksant/Amsterdam University Press. (selected chapters ca. 150 p.)
- Schierup, Carl & Ålund, Aleksandra (2011) The End of Swedish Exceptionalism? Citizenship, Neoliberalism, and the Politics of Exclusion. *Race & Class* 53(1): 45-64. (19 p.)
- Strand, Sanna & Kehl, Katharina (2019) "A country to fall in love with/in": gender and sexuality in Swedish Armed Forces' marketing campaigns. *International Feminist Journal of Politics* 21(2): 295-314. <https://doi.org/10.1080/14616742.2018.1487772> (Links to an external site.) (20 p.)

Additional reading

Ca. 150 pages, including articles from:

Lambda Nordica 24(2-3) (2019) Queer Kinship Revisited

Film: Strawberry Days (Jordgubbslandet) dir. Wiktor Ericsson, 2017.

Total: around 1100 pages of course literature inclusive of additional reading.