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Come to learn about the ingenuity of African American women like Harriet Tubman with creativity at obtaining her freedom and that of loved ones. Come to examine the role of black women in politics, cultural development, and entertainment.

**HIST 3326: AFRICAN AMERICAN WOMEN IN SLAVERY & FREEDOM  
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African American women--like their black male counterparts, white males, white females, Indians, and immigrants--played key roles in every phase of America's development. HIST 3326 is designed to emphasize black women's input in American history. Like white women, black women struggled for suffrage, economic equality, and social acceptance. Although politics and economics factor strongly in the course content, students will also learn about other concerns and activities of black women. Just as African American history and American history are indispensably intertwined, the same holds true for women's history, black and white. This will be evident in HIST 3326.



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