

1. Core Concepts

Do members of oppressed groups have an obligation to resist their own oppression? Explain your answer with reference to at least two different theories of oppression with which you are familiar.

2. Subjectivity and Embodiment

What are the main criticisms that feminists make of dominant conceptions of the self in Western analytic philosophy?

What are constraints on individual agency from a feminist perspective?

3. Feminist Moral and Political Philosophy

Is a truly just society a genderless one?

Why might one think that the topic of trust is an especially feminist one?

4. Feminist Epistemology

What are the advantages (if any) of making communities rather than individuals the primary epistemological agents in science?

What is the significance of social identity for epistemological systems?

5. Feminism and the History of Philosophy (Education, Equality, and the Canon)

Contrast the foundations for equality between the sexes in Gournay, Astell, and Woolstonecraft.