SESSION 14: Summary and Conclusions

Readings to complete before class:

No readings for this class. Enjoy studying for final exams!

Discussion notes:

• What about the topics we’ve discussed has interested you most? Surprised you most? Confused you most? Changed you most?

• What would you have done differently in this class?

• What next?
  o There’s plenty more to read and discuss about all of the topics we covered.
  o Many more topics, too! As possible starting points for future explorations, here are some subjects that can relate to gender in education that we didn’t explore in much detail:
    ▪ Learning disabilities
    ▪ Sexual harassment
    ▪ Bullying
    ▪ Technology in education
    ▪ Biological differences between the sexes
    ▪ More examples of non-U.S. cultures
    ▪ Women’s political movements
    ▪ Physical education
    ▪ Economic/social class
    ▪ The media’s role
    ▪ Teaching styles of male and female teachers
    ▪ Religious influences
    ▪ Work environments outside of academia

  o Keep reading the newspaper: these topics show up frequently. Keep yourself up-to-date on current developments. These issues affect you and the world we live in.

• Thanks for a really fun semester!
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