

Final home exam, spring 2018

KRIM2953 - Criminological Perspectives on Gender, Sexuality and Violence

Date of exam: 30. May at 13:00 to 4. June at 13:00

Exam assignment:

How rape is defined in law, differs between countries. In some countries, rape is defined to be sexual activity taking place due to coercion or force, in other countries, rape is defined as sexual activity taking place without a person's consent. Several contributions on the syllabus deals with the question of rape law. Present the arguments presented in at least two of these contributions, and discuss these arguments in light of strengths and weaknesses of applying legal strategies.

The assignment can be answered in English, Norwegian, Danish or Swedish.

Size: Maximum 2400 words (roughly 6 pages). Front page, contents page (optional) and bibliography are not included. If footnotes are used in the text (at the bottom of each page), they are included in the 2400 word limit. **Papers that exceed the 2400 word limit will be disallowed.**

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