

**COM 220 Growth
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Michael Kimmel



**“Mars and Venus -- or Planet Earth?
Women and Men in the New Millenium”**

Dr. Kimmel challenges the standard Mars-Venus gender model. “Everywhere we turn, we hear that women and men are so different that any communication is of interplanetary significance...In fact, in every arena - work, family, sexuality - women and men are far more similar. This means that instead of waging a “battle of the sexes” we can actually be allies.

**Thursday
November 6, 2008
CIS 1008
7-9pm**

Michael Kimmel is among the world's leading experts on gender. He has written or edited more than 20 books on the subject including *Manhood in America : A Cultural History*, *The Gendered Society* and *Against the Tide: Pro-Feminist Men in the U.S., 1776-1990*. His most recent book is *Guyland: The Perilous World Where Boys Become Men*. Dr. Kimmel is Professor of Sociology at SUNY Stony Brook.



Guidelines

- ✓ Attend guest presentation on November 6th. See next page for details.
- ✓ Provide a one page double spaced document with the following items
 - Brief effective summary of presentation
 - Discussion of how it relate to class textbook; or how class textbook offers a different information. Must include at least two (2) items
 - Be specific – refer to specific items from textbook
 - Concept /theory
 - Prove your point by
 - Accurately illustrating how the information is the same or how Mr. Kimmel contradicts what textbook says
- ✓ Due no later than beginning of class on November 25th ; hard copy only. No excuse accepted
 - Will not accept late for any reason
 - If your printer is broken find somewhere to print before class – computer labs open 24 hours by then
 - Will not accept via email