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This collection, which exists under the larger umbrella of the Gender Studies collection, includes titles that focus on growing and expanding the areas of study with which queer theory intersects.

- Exemplifies Duke Press's long-standing relationship with queer theory.
- Includes titles that are international and intersectional.
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