

## LINGUISTICS

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### **Realization of gender asymmetry in modern English slang**

The subject of the article is the study of lexical peculiarities in modern English slang which reflect the gender asymmetry existing in Substandard English. The aim of the article is to prove the fact that slang reflects mainly a male point of view, depicting women as men's sexual objects and creatures having plenty of evil characteristic features. In terms of quantity female nominations prevail, but the semantics of slang reveals male leading role as a nominator. English slang words refer primarily to male interests.

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