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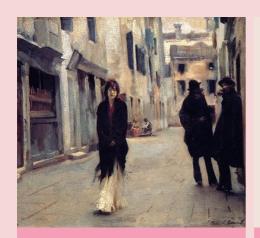
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Flâneuse is defined as the feminine form of the concept of "flaneur", which was developed to refer to men who move/walk aimlessly and idly in the city. The term "flâneuse" later emerged as the female equivalent of flâneur, acknowledging that women could also engage in urban exploration and observation.



The experiences of flâneuses may differ due to gender dynamics, safety concerns, and societal attitudes toward women in public spaces. Flâneuses might navigate the city with awareness of safety risks and societal expectations regarding their behavior.



Women often face safety concerns when navigating public spaces, including the risk of harassment, assault, or violence. As a result, women may feel more cautious or aware while walking in cities, leading to a different urban exploration experience than men. This awareness of safety risks can impact the freedom and spontaneity with which women engage in flânerie.

Societal norms regarding women's behavior in public spaces can also impact their experiences as flâneuses. Women may feel pressure in public to conform to specific standards of dress, attitude, or behavior, which can influence how they perceive and interact with urban environments. These social expectations may limit women's sense of freedom and autonomy while exploring the city.



Women Wander, Women Wonder.

