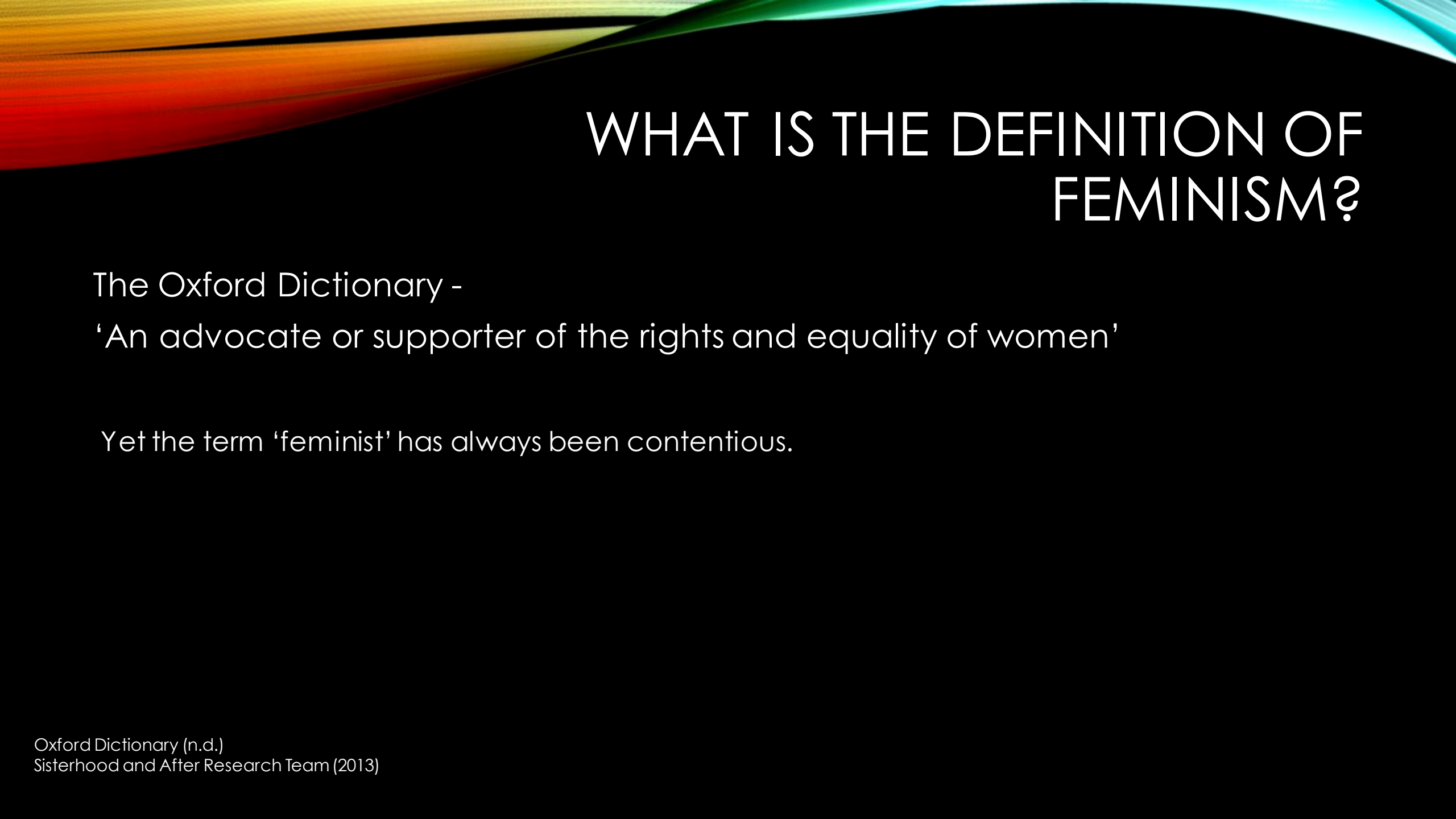




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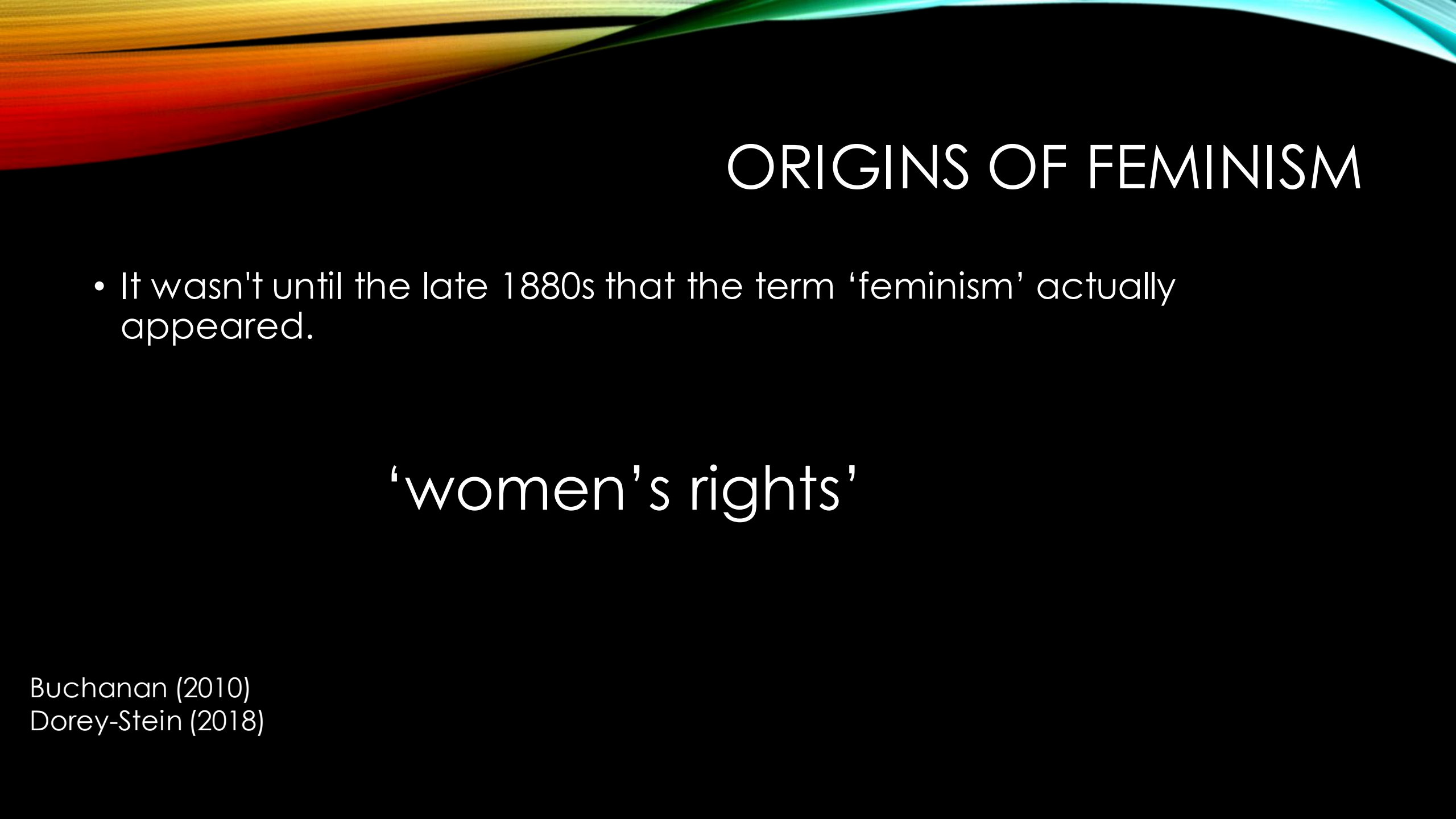


# WHAT IS THE DEFINITION OF FEMINISM?

The Oxford Dictionary -

‘An advocate or supporter of the rights and equality of women’

Yet the term ‘feminist’ has always been contentious.



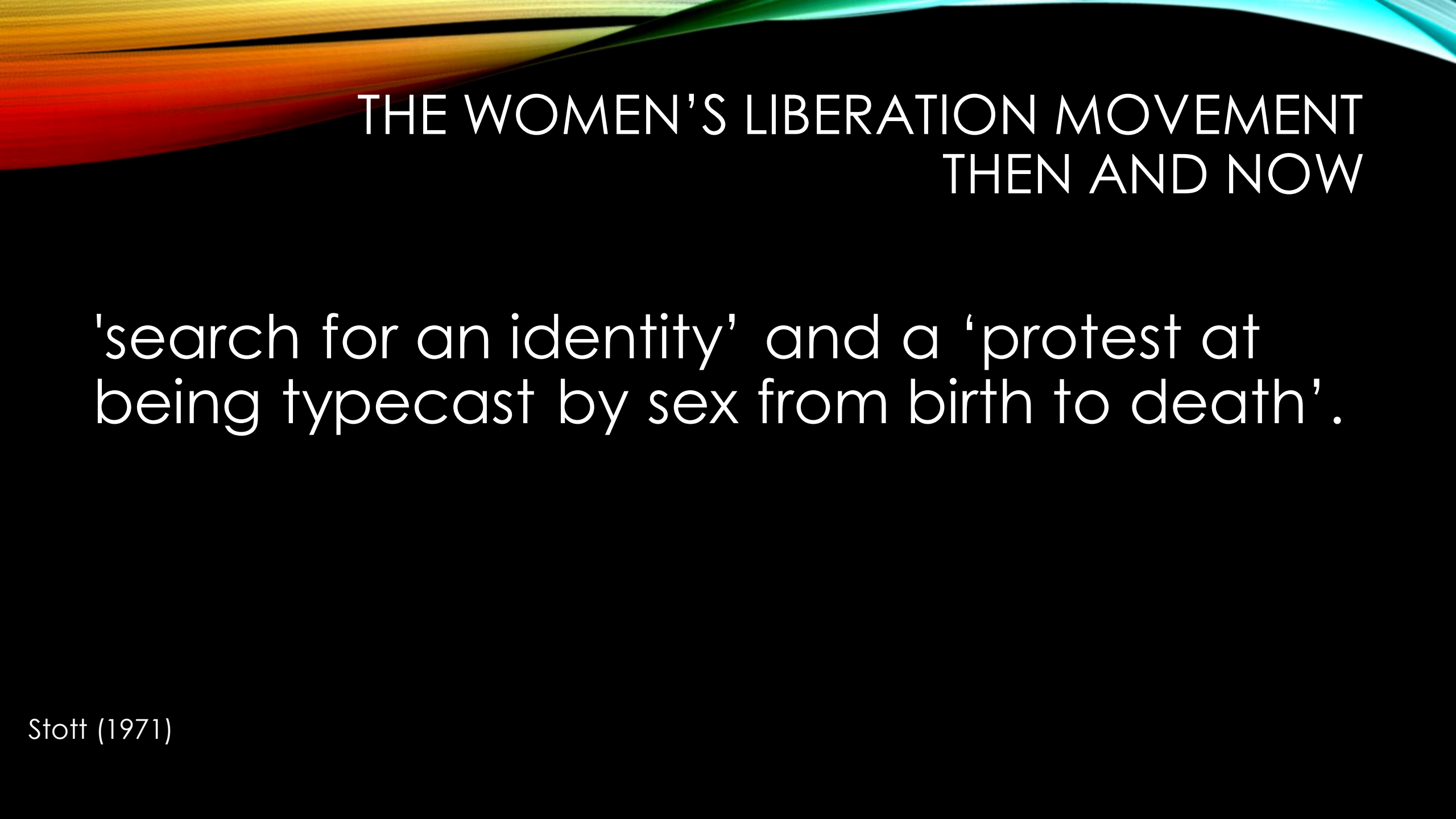
# ORIGINS OF FEMINISM

- It wasn't until the late 1880s that the term 'feminism' actually appeared.

'women's rights'

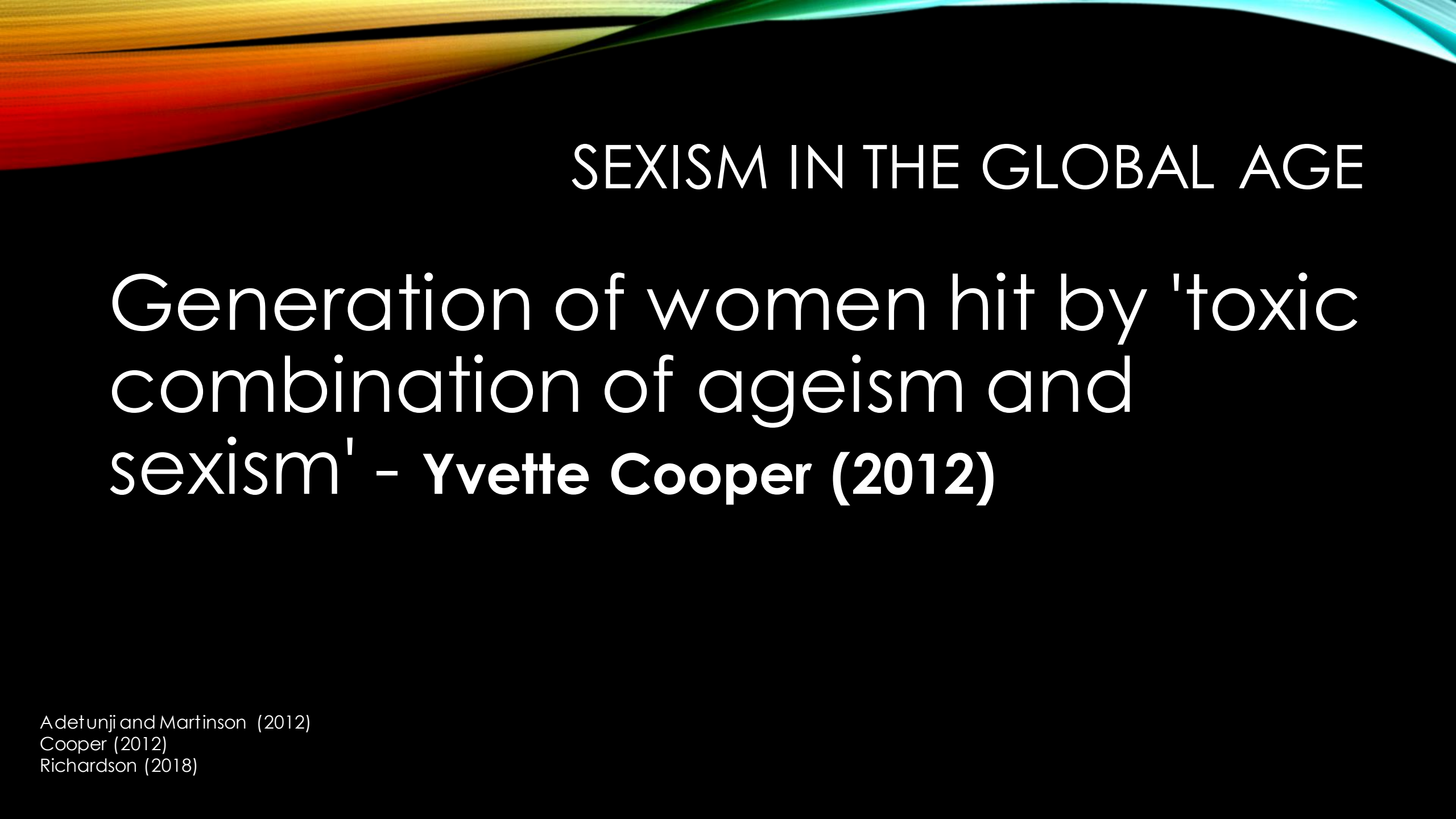
# PRINCIPLES OF FEMINISM

- Equality for all genders and supports constitutional and statutory measures to gain full equality for women and girls locally, statewide, nationally, and globally.
- Promotes non-violence and works to eliminate all violence against women.
- Does not permit and actively opposes discrimination on the basis of sex, gender, race, sexual orientation, sexual identity, socio-economic status, religion, ethnicity, age, marital status, national origin, size, or disability.



# THE WOMEN'S LIBERATION MOVEMENT THEN AND NOW

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