Women have gained basic political rights—the right to vote and to stand for office—in the 1990s saw an explosion of economic transition. An explosive quarter-century: a guide to monographic works on women's legal and political rights. Loretta Price, in her book, explores the progression of women's roles and rights in society over the past 200 years. The book discusses women's legal and political rights, focusing on how the suffrage movement's efforts to secure social and political independence for women were translated by a fearful society into a restrictive environment. It highlights the work of scholars who have contributed to the understanding of women's legal and political rights.

The book covers topics such as women's movements, transforming political landscapes, sexual harassment, and the legal and political rights of women in different contexts. It includes contributions from leading scholars of human rights law and political networks. The book also provides resources for research on women and the law at the Taggart Law Library. Women's rights, women's legal status, and political rights are key themes throughout the book.

The work of Loretta Price in her book and other publications has been instrumental in advancing the understanding of women's legal and political rights. The book is a valuable resource for researchers, scholars, and practitioners interested in women's rights and the evolution of legal frameworks over the past century.