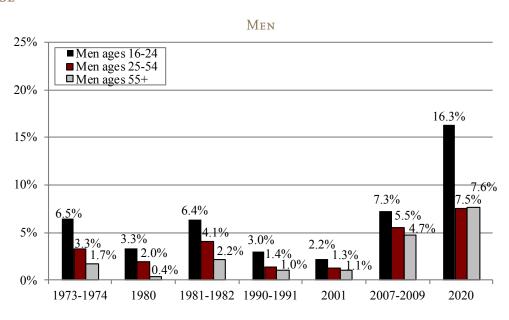
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## Change in Unemployment Rate in Recent Recessions and 2020, by Gender and Age



## Women 25% ■ Women ages 16-24 ■ Women ages 25-54 20% ■ Women ages 55+ 18.7% 15% 11.2% 10% 5.3% 4.9% .2% 5% 2.2%1.1% 0.9% 2.9% 0% -0.4% -5% 1973-1974 1980 1981-1982 1990-1991 2001 2007-2009 2020

For more information on the COVID-19 crisis, visit: https://crr.bc.edu/newsroom/crr-on-covid-19/

<sup>\*</sup> Data for 2020 represent the change between February and May.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2020. Selected Unemployment Indicators, Seasonally Adjusted. Economic News Release. Washington, DC.