WOMEN’S AND GENDER STUDIES MINOR

Required Courses

- WGQS 201/ HNRS 204 Gender and Sexuality in US Society and Politics 4
- WGQS 301 Contemporary Issues in Women’s and Gender Studies 2 or WGQS 305 Feminist Methodologies or WGQS 325 Masculinity Studies 4
- WGQS 450 Feminist Theory 4

Core Courses 3, 4

Select from the following (at least 4 units in core or approved electives must be upper-division):

- ES 311 Beyoncé: Race, Feminism and Politics
- WGQS 145 Reasoning, Argumentation, and Writing on Gender and Sexuality
- WGQS/HNRS 210 Gender and Sexuality in Visual and Popular Culture
- WGQS/SOC 311 Sociology of Genders and Sexualities
- WGQS 320 Women, Gender and Sexuality in Global Perspective
- WGQS/PSY 324 Psychology of Gender
- WGQS 330 Feminist/Queer Transnational Studies
- WGQS/ISLA 335 Feminist Studies of Popular Culture and Whiteness
- WGQS/PHIL 336 Feminist Ethics, Gender, Sexuality and Society
- WGQS 340 Sexuality Studies
- WGQS/ES 350 Gender, Race, Culture, Science & Technology
- WGQS/ES 351 Gender, Race, Class, Nation in Global Engineering, Technology & International Development
- WGQS/RELS 370 Religion, Gender, and Society
- WGQS/ART 375 Intersectional Feminist Art Histories
- WGQS 400 Special Problems for Advanced Undergraduates 5
- WGQS 401 Seminar in Women’s and Gender Studies
- WGQS/POLS 417 Feminist Legal Theory
- WGQS/HIST 421 The History of Prostitution
- WGQS/SOC 423 Gender and Work
- WGQS/HIST 434 American Women’s History to 1870
- WGQS/HIST 435 American Women’s History from 1870
- WGQS/POLS 457 U.S. Reproductive Politics
- WGQS/HIST 458 Gender and Sexuality in Modern Europe
- WGQS 467 Women’s and Gender Studies / Queer Studies Internship

Approved Electives 4

Select from the following (at least 4 units in core or approved electives must be upper-division):

- ANT 401 Culture and Health
- ANT 425 Meaning, Gender, and Identity in Anthropological Theory
- COMS 316 Intercultural Communication
- COMS 319 Critical Cultural Studies and Communication
- COMS 320 Intergroup Communication
- COMS 421 Gender and Communication
- COMS 428 Family Communication
- ENGL 345 Women Writers of the Twentieth and Twenty-First Centuries
- ENGL 349 Gender in Twentieth and Twenty-First Century Literature
- ENGL 439 Topics in British Literature 6
- ENGL 449 Topics in American Literature 6
- ENGL 459 Topics in Transatlantic and/or World Literature 6
- ES 300 Chicano/a Non-Fiction Literature
- ES 301 Latina/o Literature of the United States
- ES 302 Chicano/a Literature
- ES 324 Chicano/a Film
- ES 325 African American Gender & Sexuality
- ES 340 Cultural Production and Ethnicity
- ES 380 Critical Race Theory
- ES 381 The Social Construction of Whiteness
- HIST/HNRS 216 Comparative Social Movements
- HIST 421 The History of Prostitution
- HLTH 260 Women’s Health Issues
- ISLA 320 Topics and Issues in Values, Media and Culture 6
- KINE 323 Sport and Gender
- MU 328 Women in Music
- POLS 310 The Politics of Race, Class, Gender and Sexuality
- PSY 304 Intergroup Dialogues
- SOC 402 Gender, Crime, and Violence
- TH 305 Topics in Diversity on the American Stage 6
- WGQS 270 Selected Topics 5

Total units 24

1 The Required course not taken (WGQS 301, WGQS 305, or WGQS 325) can be used to meet Core or Elective requirements.
2 This repeatable WGS course, if repeated for up to 8 units with different subtitles, can be used to meet Core or Elective requirements.
3 Any course listed in the Core, if not used to meet Core requirements, can be used as an Elective.
4 Please check prerequisites. Your ability to select specific courses may vary depending upon your major’s curriculum requirements.
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A total of 4 units of credit must be earned to meet the 4 unit course requirement.

Minor advisor approval required. Approval is dependent on subtitle. Contact the department for a list of approved subtitles.