

WOMEN'S, GENDER AND SEXUALITY STUDIES MINOR

Department website (<https://www.uwp.edu/learn/programs/womengendersexuality.cfm>)

College: College of Arts & Humanities

Requirements for the Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies Minor

Eighteen credits are required for the minor. Students must take three core courses:

Code	Title	Credits
Core Courses		
WGSS 110	Introduction to Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies	3
Select one of the following:		3
WGSS/ENGL 112	Women In Literature	
WGSS/SOCA 213	Gender and Society	
Select one of the following:		3
WGSS/COMM 463	Gender, Race, Class and Sexualities in the Media	
WGSS 494	Internship in Women's, Gender Studies and Sexuality Studies	
WGSS 495	Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies Seminar	
WGSS 497	Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies Senior Thesis	
WGSS 499	Independent Study	
Elective Courses		
Select three elective courses, from at least two of the following three areas: ¹		9
<i>Humanities and Art</i> ²		
COMM/WGSS 315	Communication and Gender	
COMM/WGSS 463	Gender, Race, Class and Sexualities in the Media	
ENGL/WGSS 112	Women In Literature	
ENGL 417	Studies In British Literature	
ENGL 464	Studies in Cultural Trends	
ENGL/WGSS 469	Women as Writers and Characters	
PHIL 290	Special Topics in Philosophy	
THEA/WGSS 215	LGBTQ Representation on Stage and Screen	
<i>Social Sciences</i> ³		
CRMJ/WGSS 366	Women, Crime and Criminal Justice	
MGT 446	Global Management	
PSYC 280/380	Psychology of Gender	

SOCA/WGSS 213	Gender and Society
SOCA/WGSS 367	LGBTQ Studies
SOCA 374	Women and Work
<i>Natural Sciences</i> ⁴	
BIOS 103	Human Biology
HLTH 321	Women's Health Issues
SOCA 379	Society and Environment
SPMT 210	Sport in Society
Total Credits	18

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Each semester, courses from other departments that are available for women's, gender and sexuality studies credit will be listed in the course schedule.

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Approved women's, gender and sexuality studies courses from English, art, communication, theatre arts, humanities, music and philosophy. Examples include:

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Approved women's, gender and sexuality studies courses from sociology, history, international studies, political science, psychology, economics, and business. Examples include:

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Approved women's, gender and sexuality studies courses from biology, chemistry, physics, environmental studies, and exercise science and sport management. Examples include:

Each semester, courses appropriate for the women's, gender and sexuality studies minor are listed in the course schedule. Since courses are offered on a rotating basis, students are advised to consult with women's, gender, and sexuality studies faculty and directors to assist them with course selection and proper completion of requirements.

Students may count 3 credits of WGSS 494 Internship in Women's, Gender Studies and Sexuality Studies or WGSS 499 Independent Study toward the minor. Arrangements for these projects must be made with individual women's, gender and sexuality studies faculty.