WOMEN'S STUDIES, MINOR

Minor Requirements

The minor requires the completion of five courses, including the introductory course (WMS 200 Intro to Women's Studies), which discusses issues ranging from

- the history and politics of women's movements in the USA, women's roles and contributions in political, social, and economic life;
- combining career and family;
- the role of media in shaping images of the body and sexuality;
- women in developing countries, and the role of the United Nations in establishing a global gender framework;
- remaining challenges for achieving gender equality in today's globalized world, and areas of activism and agency for social justice.

Code	Title	Credits
Required Course		
WMS 200	Intro to Women's Studies	3
Other Courses		
Select four of the following:		12
CRJ 397	Topic: (Race, Gender, and Class; Prostitution and Human Trafficking; Victimology; Women and Crime)	
CRJ 585	Seminar in Special Problems in Criminal (Domestic Violence)	
CMS 352	Documentary Film	
CMS 363	Stereotyping in the Media	
CMS/WMS 375	Women and Film	
ENG 341	Editing and Collaboration	
ENG 351	Grant Writing	
ENG 410	Topics in American Literature (American Women Writers)	
FAA 207	Women in Art	
FRE 200	Francophone Women	
HIS 340	American Revolutionary War	
HIS 355	Women in American History	
POL 220	Women and the Law	
POL 230	Women in Politics	
POL 306	Feminist Polit. Theory	
PSY 356	Psychology of Gender [1]	
REL 343	Women in Church & Society	
SOC 308	Women in Society	
SWK 253	Women's Issues & Soc Wk [2]	
WMS 350	Topic: (Regular offerings include Pop Culture in America, Black Women Writers, Fairytale and Fantasy, and Women and Music)	
Total Credits		**15**

[1] Prerequisite PSY 101 Introductory Psychology
[2] Prerequisite SWK 100 Intro Social Work or permission of instructor

A special topics course on a women-related issue, or an internship or co-op with a women-related focus may be substituted for one of the five required courses. Permission of the coordinator of the women's studies minor is required for either substitution.