MAJOR IN WOMEN’S AND GENDER STUDIES
Women’s and Gender Studies majors are required to complete 39 units with a grade equivalent of 2.00 or higher from among the following courses:

Undergraduate Programs
The following interdisciplinary (WMST) and departmental Women's and Gender Studies courses are currently in the curriculum. Any course can only count toward one focus area. Some courses fulfill General Education (GenEd) requirements.

A. Required Courses (6 units)
WMST 337 Feminist Theory
One of the following courses:
WMST 231 WOMEN IN PERSPECTIVE
WMST 232 HONORS SEMINAR: WOMEN IN PERSPECTIVE
WMST 233 INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON WOMEN

B. Required Culminating Experience (3 Units)
WMST 485 SEMINAR IN WOMEN'S STUDIES

C. Focus Area (12 Units)* and Distribution Requirement (18 Units)**
* Students must select a focus area among the four listed below. Of the 12 units necessary for the focus area, 6 units must be WMST courses.
** Students must take 6 units in each of the remaining three focus areas other than the one selected.

Women, Gender, Culture, and Creativity (12 Units)
WMST 235 AMERICAN WOMEN AND POPULAR CULTURE
WMST 332 WOMEN'S CULTURE AND CREATIVITY
WMST 370 TOPICS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES (Women's Spiritual Practices)
WMST 370 TOPICS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES (Masculinity in Perspective)
WMST 381 THE EROTIC IMAGINATION IN CHRISTIANITY AND HINDUISM
WMST 382 CHRISTIAN SEXUAL ETHICS
AFST 411 TOPICS IN AFRICAN AND AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES (Womanism and Black Feminist Thought)
ARTH 341 WOMEN IN ART
CLST 303 IDENTITY AND CULTURE (Gender and Media in Global Perspective)
EMF 205 WOMEN AND GENDER IN FILM AND MEDIA
ENGL 290 HONORS SEMINAR IN LITERATURE (Emily Dickinson)
ENGL 290 HONORS SEMINAR IN LITERATURE (Austen and the Brontes)
ENGL 347 WORLD LITERATURE WRITTEN IN ENGLISH (African Women Writers)
ENGL 370 SPECIAL TOPICS: LITERATURE OF WOMEN
ENGL 372 WOMEN WRITERS
ENGL 380 VOICES OF MEDIEVAL WOMEN
ENGL 469 STUDIES IN ONE OR TWO AUTHORS (Virginia Woolf)
ENGL 471 TOPICS IN WORLD LITERATURE (Black Women Writers)
ENGL 472 TOPICS IN BRITISH LITERATURE (Unfortunate Women)
ENGL 477 TOPICS IN BLACK AMERICAN LITERATURE (African American Women Writers)
HIST 306 WOMEN IN 20TH CENTURY U.S. HISTORY
MUSC 205 WOMEN, GENDER, AND MUSIC
PHIL 204 RACE, CLASS AND GENDER
PHIL 260 PHILOSOPHY OF THE PRISON INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX
PHIL 332 FEMINIST PHILOSOPHY
SPAN 455 SPECIAL TOPICS IN SPANISH (Latin American Women Writers)

Women, Gender, Diversity, and Global Contexts (12 Units)
WMST 233 INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES OF WOMEN
WMST 350 B-MORE: BALTIMORE AND URBAN COMMUNITIES
WMST 370 TOPICS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES (Women's Spiritual Practices)
WMST 370 TOPICS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES (Women of Color)
WMST 370 TOPICS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES (Masculinities in Perspective)
WMST 345 WOMEN, ENVIRONMENT, AND HEALTH
WMST 381 THE EROTIC IMAGINATION IN CHRISTIANITY AND HINDUISM
WMST 382 CHRISTIAN SEXUAL ETHICS
AFST 411 TOPICS IN AFRICAN AND AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES (Womanism and Black Feminist Thought)
CLST 303 IDENTITY AND CULTURE (Gender and Media in Global Perspective)
ANTH 321 ANTHROPOLOGY OF GENDER
ANTH 353 LATINAS IN THE AMERICAS

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ENGL 347  WORLD LITERATURE WRITTEN IN ENGLISH (African Women Writers)
ENGL 471  TOPICS IN WORLD LITERATURE (African American Writers)
ENGL 471  TOPICS IN WORLD LITERATURE (Black Women Writers)
ENGL 477  TOPICS IN BLACK AMERICAN LITERATURE (African American Women Writers)
HIST 361  GAYS & LESBIANS IN U.S. HISTORY
HIST 484  HISTORICAL THEMES (African American Women in History)
LGBT 101  INTRODUCTION TO LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, AND TRANSGENDER STUDIES
RLST 205  WOMEN IN WORLD RELIGIONS
PHIL 260  PHILOSOPHY OF THE PRISON INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX
PSYC 449  PSYCHOLOGY OF LESBIAN CULTURE
PSYC 457  GENDER IDENTITY IN TRANSITION
SOCI 243  SOCIOLOGY OF RACE, CLASS AND GENDER
SPAN 455  HISPANIC POPULAR CULTURES (Mexican American Cultural Symbols: La Malinche, LaVirgen de Guadalupe and LaLlorona)
SPAN 474  SPECIAL TOPICS IN SPANISH (Latin American Women Writers)

Women, Gender, Health, and Sexuality (12 Units)
WMST 235  AMERICAN WOMEN AND POPULAR CULTURE
WMST 336  WOMEN AND MEDICINE
WMST 338  WOMEN AND SEXUALITY
WMST 345  WOMEN, ENVIRONMENT, AND HEALTH
WMST 382  CHRISTIAN SEXUAL ETHICS
FMST 350  FUNDAMENTALS OF LEADERSHIP IN THE NON-PROFIT SECTOR
HIST 306  WOMEN IN 20TH CENTURY U.S. HISTORY
HIST 361  GAYS & LESBIANS IN U.S. HISTORY
PHIL 260  PHILOSOPHY OF THE PRISON INDUSTRIAL COMPLEX
POSC 340  COMPARATIVE PUBLIC POLICY
POSC 47X  Women, Public Policy and Social Change
SOCI 243  SOCIOLOGY OF RACE, CLASS AND GENDER
SOCI 312  SOCIOLOGY OF GENDER
SOCI 362  WORK AND OCCUPATIONS
SOCI 365  ORGANIZATIONS AND SOCIETY

Minor in Women's and Gender Studies
Students may wish to major in a traditional subject (History, English, Sociology) but minor in Women’s and Gender Studies. Some students plan to do graduate work in a traditional discipline, with emphasis on women within it.

Requirements for the Minor (21 units)
Required Courses (9 Units)
Select one of the following:
WMST 231  WOMEN IN PERSPECTIVE
WMST 336  HONORS WOMEN IN PERSPECTIVE
WMST 333  INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES OF WOMEN
WMST 337  FEMINIST THEORY
WMST 485  SEMINAR IN WOMEN’S STUDIES

Electives (12 Units)
Select electives from any of the following focus areas (6 units must be upper level, 300-400):

Women, Gender, Culture and Creativity
Women, Gender, Health and Sexuality
Women, Gender, Diversity and Global Contexts
Women, Gender, Leadership and Community

Electives may be distributed across the four focus areas, within one focus area, or across a combination of two or three focus areas.