Women's and Gender Studies, Minor

Saint Louis University's minor in women's and gender studies can be relatively easy to combine with another major or additional minor.

Women's and gender studies elective courses are often cross-listed with other departments, enabling students to use one course to simultaneously fulfill requirements for both their women's and gender studies minor and their other major/minors.

To complete the minor, students take the introductory course options, take two courses from two of the four other distribution areas required for the major (Diversity and Identity; Praxis; Theory; Inquiry/Research Experience), and take three electives at the 2000-level or above from courses with either a WGST number, a WGST cross-listing, or a WGST attribute.

Requirements

The minor requires a total of 18 credits. Courses may simultaneously count for multiple majors and minors, and for core requirements. No single course can count for both a required course and an elective for a WGS major/minor.

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Area Requirements

Select two courses (6 credit hours) from 2 of the 4 following areas: 6

Diversity and Identity

- WGST 2700 Feminisms in the U.S.: Intersectional Approaches
- WGST 3350 Women and Gender in Global Film
- WGST 4860 Global & Transnational Feminism

Praxis

- WGST 3850 Feminism in Action
- WGST 4919 Women's and Gender Studies Internship

Theory

- WGST 3775 Feminist Theory-Gender Justice
- & POLS 3770 and Feminist Theory: Gender Justice
- WGST 4810 Philosophy of Feminism
- & PHIL 4810 and Philosophy of Feminism

Junior/Senior Inquiry/Research Experience

- WGST 4960 Women's and Gender Studies Capstone
- WGST 3510 The Structure of Poverty

Elective Courses

Select a minimum of 9 credit hours at 2000-level or above with either a WGST number, a WGST cross-listing, or a WGST attribute. Accepted courses include:

- WGST 2550 Gender, Identity & Literature
- WGST 2800 Men and Masculinities
- WGST 2930 Special Topics
- WGST 2400 Gender and Popular Culture
- WGST 3240 Female Bildungsroman
- WGST 3300 Intercultural Communication
- WGST 3320 Mary and Her Sisters

WGST 3800 Violence Against Women
WGST 4300 Gender & Communication
WGST 4330 Psychology of Oppression

Total Credits 18

Continuation Standards

Students with a minor in women's and gender studies must maintain a 2.00 GPA in WGS courses.

Madrid

Students can complete all or part of the women's and gender studies minor at SLU's campus in Madrid.

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