



GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES

AT VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY

MAJOR OR MINOR IN GWS!

Gender and Women's Studies is an interdisciplinary program that uses gender, race and class as a lens to understand the human experience. The field is unique in that it involves students in a dynamic process of integrating the quest for knowledge with their own personal experiences. **GWS courses span many academic disciplines making it easy to double-major or minor.**

Because gender and sexuality are so foundational to the ways we understand ourselves, a major or minor in GWS can enhance practically any other field of study. As an interdisciplinary field that continually asks us to rethink history, culture, and identity, it is as relevant now as ever, and the field of GWS continues to transform scholarship and fundamental assumptions in all areas of the humanities, social and natural sciences, and the professions. More intellectually dynamic than almost any other field, GWS provides a life-changing experience that positions its graduates as especially equipped and perceptive leaders in all future endeavors .

The major consists of ten courses, including four required courses: Introduction to Gender Studies (GWS 2050), Introduction to Global Studies (GIS 2000), a sophomore research seminar in feminist theory and methodology, and the Integrating Seminar (GWS 5000). The remaining six courses are electives, two of which must be in the social sciences and two in the humanities. Elective courses must carry the GWS attribute.

The minor consists of six courses. Students must take two required courses, Introduction to Gender Studies (GWS 2050) and the Integrating Seminar (GWS 5000), and four electives.

The graduate certificate can be pursued as an independent program or in conjunction with a graduate degree. It consists of five courses: one required course (GWS 8000) and four electives.

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GWS UNDERGRADUATE COURSES, SPRING 2021

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	INSTRUCTOR	DAY/TIME
GWS 2050 - 001	Introduction to Gender Studies	Elizabeth D. Kolsky	TR 11:10-12:25
GWS 2050 - 002	Introduction to Gender Studies	Kelly-Anne Diamond	MW 1:50-3:05
GWS 2050 - 003	Introduction to Gender Studies	Bess Rowen	TR 2:20-3:35
GWS 5000 - 001	Capstone Seminar: Feminist Novel	Megan Mathis Quigley	TR 9:35-10:50
ENG 1975 - 009	Queer Feelings	Travis Foster	MW 1:50-3:05
ENG 2350 - 001	Narrative Television	Lauren E. Shohet	MW 5:00-6:15
ENG 2619 - 001	Woolf	Megan Mathis Quigley	TR 11:10-12:25
ENG 4703 - 001	21 st C. American Apocalypse	Heather J. Hicks	TR 12:45-2:00
ENG 5000 - 001	Seminar: Gender, Sex, & Race in Shakespeare	Lauren E. Shohet	MW 3:25-4:40
ENG 3530 - 001	Victorian Doubles	Mary Mullen	MW 5:00-6:15
NUR 2200 - DL1	Healthy Lifestyles & Human Values	Sue Ellen S. Alderman	TBA
SOC 2300 - 001	Sociology of the Family	Melissa Hodges	TR 8:00-9:15 AM
SOC 3599 - 001	Sociology of Gender	Melissa Hodges	TR 9:35-10:50
SOC 4200 - 001	Sports and Society	Rick Eckstein	TR 8:00-9:15 AM
THL 5000 - 002	Genders & God	Mark A. Levand	MW 5:00-6:15
GIS 5011 - 001	Narratives of Gender and Conflict	Jennifer A. Joyce, Cera W. Murtagh	MW 3:25-4:40
PHI 2420 - 001	Philosophy of Women	Jingchao Ma	MWF 10:20-11:10
PHI 2420 - 002	Philosophy of Women	Jingchao Ma	MWF 11:30-12:20
PSC 3140 - H01	Race, Ethnicity, and Politics in the United States	Camille Burge	TR 12:45 - 2:00
COU 2500 - 001	Counseling for Women	TBA	TR 3:55-5:10
PJ 2800 - 001	Race, Class, & Gender	Ariella C. Robbins	TR 2:20-3:35
PJ 2800 - H01	Race, Class, & Gender	Carol W. Anthony	TR 11:10-12:25
AAH 2001 - 001	Women in Art	Jeanne Brody	TR 8:00-9:15 AM
AAH 3005 - 001	Gender and Sexuality in Visual Culture	Timothy David McCall	TR 2:20-3:35
COM 3490 - 001	Sexual Violence in Organizations	Amy K. Way	TR 2:20-3:35
HIS 1075 - 001	Global Women & Daily Life	Gina A. Talley	MW 5:00-6:15
HIS 1075 - 100	Global Women & Daily Life	Gina A. Talley	MW 7:30-8:45 PM

GRADUATE, SPRING 2021

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	INSTRUCTOR	DAY/TIME
GWS 8000 - 001	Critical Perspectives on Gender	Jean Lutes	T 5:30-7:30
EDU 8678 - 001	Social Justice and Equity in Education	Rachel Skrlac Lo	T 5:30-7:30
ENG 8560 - 001	Institutional Fictions	Mary Mullen	W 7:30-9:30 PM
THL 8510 - 001	Christian Women Mystics	Rachel J. Smith	T 7:00-9:20