## **Gender Studies Minor**

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Gender Studies is an interdisciplinary field that examines the complex interactions of gender with other social statuses such as race, class, sexuality, and nationality. Gender is a central aspect of personal and social identity, and a key sorting mechanism in social stratification. In addition to the field's examination of the historical contributions and concerns of women, gender studies also explores research addressing men as well as trans and non-binary people. Understanding the full range of gender identities and inequities enhances the abilities of students to succeed in a variety of fields and professions.

Undergraduate students earn a Gender Studies minor by completing 18 credits of course work from a variety of fields distributed as follows; only nine credits from any one department may count toward the minor.

## **Required Course**

SO /AN /GS 1173	Introduction to Gender Studies	3
Additional core courses		
Choose two of the following:		6
COE 4743	Gender Issues in Counseling	
EN /GS 3513	Women and Literature: Selected Topics	
HI 4273	Women in American History	
PS 3033	Gender and Politics	
PSY 3203	Psychology of Gender Differences	
SO 4403	Sociology of Gender and Sexuality	
SO /CRM 3343	Gender, Crime, and Justice	
Electives		
See Gender Studies Advisor for list of approved electives.		9
Total Hours		18