

Major:

**Gender Studies (B.A., B.S.)**

Departments/Programs:

Gender Studies

Gender Studies Major (B.A. or B.S.\*\* , 34-35 hours)

<b>Core Requirements</b>	<b>14 hours</b>
GEND 3000 Perspectives in Gender	4 hours
GEND 3270/PHIL 3270 Feminist Theories	3 hours
GEND 3400/COMM 3400 Communication and Gender or GEND 2360/GEND 3360/SOC 2360/SOC 3360 Gender and Society	4 hours
GEND 4970 Gender Studies Internship	3 hours
<b>Electives</b>	<b>12 hours</b>
Select courses from the following; three different disciplines must be represented:	
GEND 2050/THRE 2050 Dramatic Literature: Gender and Sexuality	
ENG 2010 Masterpieces of Literature (Coming of Age or Sexualities) or GEND 2200/ENG 2200 Topics in World Literature: Sexualities	
GEND 2300P/PHIL 2300 Philosophies of Race and Gender	
GEND 2300R/RELIG 2300 Women and Religion	
GEND 2350/SOCWK 2350 Family Violence Across the Lifespan	
GEND 2370/HIST 2370 History of Women in the United States	
GEND 3530/GEND 4530/HIST 3530/HIST 4530 Queens, Crusaders, and Wonder Women	
GEND 2380/GEND 3380/SOC 2380/SOC 3380 Women and Crime	
GEND 2550/PSYCH 2550 Psychology of Women	
GEND 2650/PSYCH 2650 Psychology of Gender	
GEND 2700/POLSC 2700 Women and Power	
GEND 2830/MUSIC 2830 Music and Gender	
GEND 2850/MUSIC 2850 Sex and the Arts	
GEND 3960 Special Projects	
GEND 2970/GEND 4970 Gender Studies Internship	
GEND 2360/GEND 3360/SOC 2360/SOC 3360 Gender and Society (If not used in core requirements)	
GEND 3400/COMM 3400 Communication and Gender (If not used in core requirements)	
GEND 3410/ENG 3410 Women Writing Across Cultures	

**Electives****12 hours**

GEND 3550/GEND 4550/HIST 3550/HIST 4550 Women of the American West

GEND 3730/THTRE 3730 Gender and the Art of Film

GEND 3300/PSYCH 3300 Transgender Identities

GEND 3830/MUSIC 3830 Music History: Gender and Sexuality

**Research Methods Requirement****4-5 hours**

Select one course from the following:

COMM 3500 Research Methods

ENG 4980 Ways of Reading: Theory and Practice

POLSC 2000 Introduction to Statistics and SPSS **and**POLSC 3010 Research Methods I: Design/Qualitative Methods **or** POLSC 3020 Research Methods II: Quantitative Methods/Project Implementation

PSYCH 2110 Research Methods in Psychology

SOC 3960 Quantitative Research Methods

SOC 3970 Qualitative Research Methods

**Capstone Courses****4 hours**

GEND 4980 Senior Research

**2 hours**

GEND 4990 Thesis Writing

**2 hours**

Additional courses and appropriate selected topics courses may be used for the major with the approval of the Gender Studies Committee.

*\*\*A Gender Studies major customarily earns a B.A. or B.S. degree. However, if a student has a first major that is associated with a different baccalaureate degree, the Gender Studies major may serve as a second major for the degree associated with the first major (B.F.A., B.M., or B.S.N.).*