

**Course:**

**HIST 4550 Women of the American West**

**4 hours**

**Majors, Minors & Degrees:**

**Majors**

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

History (B.A., B.S.)

**Minors**

Family Studies

**Departments/Programs:**

History

This course highlights women's experiences in the American West from precontact to present, and explores topics of myth and stereotypes; women's roles in the home, family and community; and racial, class and ethnic differences in women's experiences. HIST 4550 is cross listed with **GEND 4550** and meets with **HIST 3550/GEND 3550**. The requirements of the courses are the same EXCEPT that a research paper is required for students in 4550.