Nebraska Wesleyan University

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

Catalog

2025-2026

Departments

1. Gender and Sexuality Studies

Gender and Sexuality Studies Major (B.A. or B.S.**, 30 hours)

Core Requirements	14 hours
GEND 3000 Gender Advocacy	3 hours
PHIL 3270 Feminist Theories	3 hours
HIST 4540 History of Sexualities	4 hours
GEND 4970 Gender Studies Internship	3 hours
Electives	**15 hours**
At least one course from each of the following areas:	
Queer Studies	
ENG 2200 World Literature: Sexualities	4 hours
ENG 3030 Studies in Writing: Writing the Body	4 hours
GEND 2850 Sex and the Arts	4 hours
SOC 3920 Social Theory	4 hours
THTRE 2050 Dramatic Literature: Gender and Sexuality	3 hours
Gender and Women's Experience	
ENG 3410 Women Writing Across Cultures	4 hours
HIST 2370 History of Women in the United States	4 hours
HIST 3530/HIST 4530 Queens, Crusaders, and Wonder Women	4 hours
HIST 3550/HIST 4550 Gender & The Wild West	4 hours
MUSIC 2830/MUSIC 3830 Music History I: Gender Equity	4 hours
POLSC 2700 Women and Politics	4 hours
RELIG 2300 Women and Religion	3 hours
SOC 2380/SOC 3380 Women and Crime	4 hours
Gender and Masculinities	
PHIL 2300 Philosophies of Race and Gender	3 hours
PSYCH 2650 Psychology of Gender	4 hours

Electives	15 hours
SOC 3130/CRIM 3130 Law and Society	4 hours
SOC 3260 Thinking SocioLogically: Gender	2 hours
SOC 3370 Social Inequality	4 hours
SOCWK 2350 Family Violence Across the Lifespan	3 hours
Capstone Course	**1 hour**
GEND 4990 Capstone	1 hour

***A Gender and Sexuality 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 and Sexuality 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.).*