

WOMEN, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY STUDIES MAJOR

Requirements

The requirements for the major consist of 10 courses. Students must take the following:

Course	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
WGSS 3000	Gender and Sexuality Studies	4
WGSS 3001	Queer Theories	4
WGSS 3002	Feminist and Women's Studies	4
Electives		
Select six elective courses with the WGSS attribute code ¹		
Senior Capstone		
Select one of the following:		
WGSS 4910	Internship	
WGSS 4920	Senior Project	
WGSS 4930	Senior Thesis	

¹ Any course with the WGSS subject code or the WGSS attribute code may fulfill this requirement. Concentration and distribution courses (previously part of the women's studies major) are no longer required.

The senior project or thesis may build upon work completed in an elective course, but all students who do not opt for an internship must register for WGSS 4920 Senior Project or WGSS 4930 Senior Thesis in their senior year. The internship, WGSS 4910, provides field experience and results in a paper. The internship paper, project documentation, or thesis is placed in the library collection of the WGSS program.

Availability

The major in women, gender, and sexuality studies is available at Fordham College at Rose Hill, Fordham College at Lincoln Center, and Fordham's School of Professional Studies at Lincoln Center.

Fordham College at Rose Hill students: The requirements above are in addition to those of the Core Curriculum.

Fordham College at Lincoln Center students: The requirements above are in addition to those of the Core Curriculum.

Professional and Continuing Studies students: The requirements above are in addition to those of the PCS Core Curriculum and any additional electives that may be required to earn a minimum of 124 credits.

CIP Code

05.0207 - Women's Studies.

You can use the CIP code to learn more about career paths associated with this field of study and, for international students, possible post-graduation visa extensions. Learn more about CIP codes and other information resources.