WOMEN’S STUDIES Bachelor of Arts (BA)

At least 124 hours are required for graduation, and students must earn a 2.0 overall GPA, a 2.0 WSU GPA, and a 2.0 GPA in the major. Students must also complete all courses required for Liberal Arts and Sciences General Education. In addition, Foreign Language courses (or the equivalents) are required for every BA degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR MAJOR: 30 hours**

Of the 30 hours, no more than 3 hours in courses numbered 100-199 may be counted towards the major, except for WOMS 190, REL 110 and REL 115. Students are strongly encouraged to take WOMS 190 and WOMS 287 as early as possible in the major.

**REQUIRED CORE COURSES: 12 credit hours**

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**CORE AREAS: 9 credit hours**

- **Area I: Internationalism**
  - 334 Islam (3)
  - 370 Women in World Religions (3)
  - 482 Latinos in Culture and Society (3)
  - 513 Women in Africa (3)
  - 514 Women in the Middle East (3)
  - 532 Issues & Persp. on African Women & Globalism (3)
  - 542 Women in Other Cultures (3)
  - 579 Asian Women in Modern History (3)
  - 588 Gender, Race and the West/East Divide (3)

- **Area II: Representation and Media**
  - 330 Women’s Personal Narrative (3)
  - 382 Feminism and Girl Culture (3)
  - 385 LGBT Studies (3)
  - 510 Hollywood Melodrama: The Woman’s Film (3)
  - 523 Feminist Film Criticism (3)
  - 536 Writing by Women (3)
  - 537 Contemporary Women’s Drama (3)
  - 585 The Femme Fatale in Film Noir (3)

- **Area III: Social Issues**
  - 306 Intro to Gender Studies (3)
  - 316 Men and Masculinities (3)
  - 325 Women in the Political System (3)
  - 340 Human Sexuality (3)
  - 345 Gender, Alcohol and Addictions (3)
  - 380 Special Topics (1-3)
  - 385 LGBT Studies (3)
  - 386 Women and Sports (3)
  - 533 Women and the Law (3)
  - 534 Psychology of Women (3)
  - 541 Women, Children and Poverty (3)

- **Area IV: Religion and Thought**
  - REL 110 Old Testament (3)
  - REL 115 New Testament (3)
  - PHIL 345 Phil of Sex and Love (3)
  - 334 Islam (3)
  - 338 Philosophy of Feminism (3)
  - 370 Women in World Religions (3)
  - 384 Paul (3)
  - 420 Women and the Bible (3)
  - 586 Gender, Race, Knowledge (3)

**ELECTIVES:** Select 9 credit hours in any of the above four core areas, taken in any combination

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**Requirements for Minor: 15 hours**

Restrictions on 100-level courses in the major (see above) also apply to the minor.

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Select 9 additional credit hours in women’s studies courses.

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