Brooks College of Interdisciplinary Studies

 **Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies Major, B.A., B.S.**

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*Students majoring in women, gender, and sexuality studies are required to complete at least 33 credit hours, including Introduction to
Gender Studies, Foundations of Feminism, Women/Gender Studies Research Methods, Global Feminisms, and the Capstone. Students
must also take five electives at the 200 level or higher, one of which must come from the High Impact/Civic Engagement emphasis.*

**CORE COURSES: ALL REQUIRED HIGH IMPACT/CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**

*(15 credits needed)* *(must complete one course)*

\_\_\_\_\_ WGS 200- Introduction to Gender Studies \_\_\_\_\_WGS 490- WGS Internship *(prereq. 12 hrs WGS)*

\_\_\_\_\_ WGS 360- Foundations of Feminism *(prereq. WGS 200)* \_\_\_\_\_WGS 491- Cont. Theory & Pract. *(prereq. WGS 360 or 365)*

\_\_\_\_\_ WGS 395- WGS Research Methods *(prereq. WGS 360)* \_\_\_\_\_WGS 492- Women’s Comm. Collaborative *(prereq.Jr.)*

\_\_\_\_\_ WGS 450- Global Feminisms *(prereq. WGS 200)* \_\_\_\_\_WGS 493- Comm. Collab. in South Africa *(coreq. Perm.)*

\_\_\_\_\_ WGS 495- Capstone *(prereq. WGS 360 & WGS 395)*

 **ELECTIVE COURSES** *(15 credits needed, all courses are 3 credits unless noted)*

*For courses cross-listed with another department, students may enroll in either the WGS or other department’s listing in MyBanner.*

\_\_\_\_WGS 224- Introduction to LGBTQ Studies

\_\_\_\_WGS 255- Gender and Popular Culture

\_\_\_\_WGS 280- Special Topics in WGS

\_\_\_\_WGS/PLS 302- Women, Politics, and Public Policy

\_\_\_\_WGS 310- Sexual Orientation and the Law

\_\_\_\_WGS/PSY 315- Psychology of Sex Differences

\_\_\_\_WGS/PSY 316- Human Intimacy and Sexuality

\_\_\_\_WGS/SOC 317- Sociology of Gender

\_\_\_\_WGS/SOC 318- Sociology of Sexuality

\_\_\_\_WGS/CJ 320- Crimes Against Women

\_\_\_\_WGS/CLA 325- Body, Gender, & Sexuality in Antiquity

\_\_\_\_WGS/LIB 326- Sexuality, Justice, and Advocacy

\_\_\_\_WGS/PLS 334 or HON 312- Sex, Power, and Politics
\_\_\_\_WGS 335- Women, Health and Environment

\_\_\_\_WGS 336- Lesbian, Gay and Queer Literature

\_\_\_\_WGS/AAA 343- Black Feminist Thought

\_\_\_\_WGS/SOC 350- Family/Gender in the Developing World

\_\_\_\_WGS/AAA 352- Black Women’s Culture & Communities

\_\_\_\_WGS 358- Women and Gender in South Africa

\_\_\_\_WGS/LS 370- Women and the Law

\_\_\_\_WGS/HST 371- Hist. Perspectives on Gender/Sexualities

\_\_\_\_WGS 380- Special Topics in WGS (1-4 cr.)

\_\_\_\_WGS 399- Independent Readings (1-3 cr.)

\_\_\_\_WGS/LIB 402- Feminist Visionary Thinkers

\_\_\_\_WGS/SPA 460- Spanish Women Authors

\_\_\_\_WGS/ENG 461- Language and Gender

\_\_\_\_WGS 490- WGS Internship (credits: variable)

\_\_\_\_WGS 491- Contemporary Theory and Practicum

\_\_\_\_WGS 492- Women’s Community Collaborative

\_\_\_\_WGS 493- Community Collaborative in South Africa

\_\_\_\_WGS 499- Independent Study and Research (1-3 cr.)

\_\_\_\_AAA 351- Perspectives on African American Males

\_\_\_\_ANT 370- Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Gender

\_\_\_\_BIO 325- Human Sexuality

\_\_\_\_ECO 350- Economics of Gender

\_\_\_\_ENG 436- Women and Literature

\_\_\_\_PHI 370- Sex Matters: Feminist Phil. in the Cont. World

\_\_\_\_SOC 285- Families in Society

\_\_\_\_SOC 379- Sociology of Love

\_\_\_\_SOC 381- Class, Race, Gender, and Sexuality

\_\_\_\_SOC 389- Child Maltreatment

\_\_\_\_SW 333- Community Work with LGTBQ Community

\_\_\_\_SW 333-CommunityWork w/LGBTQ Community

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:** *(Select from B.A. or B.S. option*)

□ **B.S.** *Candidates for the B.S. degree must complete the following:*

***Track 1:*** \_\_\_\_CIS 231 \_\_\_\_MTH 122 or 201 \_\_\_\_WGS 395

***Track 2:*** \_\_\_\_ STA 215 \_\_\_\_ WGS 395 *And one of the following:* \_\_\_\_ AHS 301 \_\_\_\_ANT 300 \_\_\_\_BMS 301 \_\_\_\_ COM 375 \_\_\_\_GPY 300 \_\_\_\_ HST 290 \_\_\_\_PLS 300 \_\_\_\_STA 216 \_\_\_\_ STA 314 \_\_\_\_STA 318 \_\_\_\_STA 340 \_\_\_\_STA 345

□ **B.A.** *Third-semester proficiency in a foreign language* \_\_\_\_201 Course **OR** \_\_\_\_Pass Proficiency Exam

**TOTAL NUMBER OF CREDITS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

*This form is a planning tool and does not constitute an agreement regarding program requirements.*

*It is imperative that you meet with an academic advisor early and often in your career.*

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