

WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL COURSES

SPRING SEMESTER 2017

COURSES SPECIFICALLY DEDICATED TO WGS: BLUE

COURSES WITH SOME WGS CONTENT: YELLOW

COURSES WITH LGBTQ CONTENT: GREEN

COURSE	DESCRIPTION	# CREDITS / DAY / TIME	RESTRICTIONS
ADV 475 Advertising and Society	Impact of advertising on society, culture and economy. Representation of minorities, women, and the elderly in advertising; free speech, advertising law, and regulatory organizations; ethical decision making strategies; and advertising's economic role in information, competition, price, and product choice.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 3:00pm-4:20pm	Prerequisite: ADV 205 Open to undergraduate students in the Advertising major.
ANP 220 Gender Relations in Comparative Perspective	Gender relations in different cultures. Economic and domestic division of labor between the sexes as a factor underlying power differentials.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 2:40-4:00pm	
ANP 433 Contemporary American Indian Communities	American Indian communities today, both reservation and urban, including issues of tribalization, Pan-Indianism, culture change and revitalization, economic development, federal policy, religious freedom, and gender roles.	3 cr, Tu/Th 1:00pm-2:20pm	
ATD 430 Dress, Culture/Human Behavior	Dress as an expression of self and reflection of society and global cultures. Effect of dress on human behavior at the personal, interpersonal, and social organizational levels.	3 cr, Online	Not open to freshmen or sophomores.
CJ 426 Violence Against Women (W)	Intimate partner violence, rape and stalking. Theoretical causes of violence against women and factors commonly associated with it. Physical, mental and legal consequences, institutional responses and prevention efforts.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 10:20-11:40am	Prerequisite: Completion of Tier 1 Writing Req. Restrictions: Open to juniors or seniors in the School of Criminal Justice or approval of school.
COM 391 Topics in Verbal, Intercultural, or Gender Communication	Verbal interaction, cultural diversity or gender communication. Section 001 Topic: Gender	4 Cr, Section 001, M/W 10:20am-12:10pm. Section 002, Tu/Th, 3:00pm-4:50pm	Open to undergraduate students in the Eli Broad College of Business and The Eli Broad Graduate School of Management or in the College of Communication Arts and Sciences or in the College of Education.
ENG 153 Introduction to Women Authors	Writings by women from various racial, socio-economic and historical backgrounds. Women's choices of subject matter and style. Women's redefinition of literary genres.	4 cr, Tu/Th, 3:00-4:50pm	

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ENG 353 Readings in Women Writers	Extensive reading in texts by women, focused within a particular national tradition or period or within a particular genre. Critical responses to these texts. Feminist approaches to literature.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 3:00pm-4:20pm	Prerequisite: Completion of Tier 1 Writing Req. Not open to freshmen.
HDFS 145 The Individual, Marriage and the Family	Development of the young adult in the human ecological context. Issues of sexuality, gender, parenting, work and family interface, communication, and resource use. Diversity in relationships an	3 cr, M/W, 8:20am-9:50am	Open to freshmen and sophomores.
HDFS 445 Human Sexuality	Family and psychosocial factors affecting the development of a person's sexuality across the life cycle. Reciprocal impact on society and the legal system.	3 Cr, Tu/Th, 8:30a,-9:50am	Open to juniors or seniors or graduate students
HST 203 U.S. History since 1876	Major topics and themes in U.S. history from 1876 to the present including such topics as political development, social change, women's history, race and ethnicity.	4 cr, There are 4 sections available.	
HST 312 African American Women	Black women in American history. Slavery, the work place, politics, and the Civil Rights movement.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 1:00-2:20pm	
HST 314 Women in the United States since 1869	United States history through the experiences of women. Gender, family, work, and political activism.	3 cr, M/W, 3:00-4:20pm	
HST 316 United States Intellectual History since 1860	Development and influence of major ideas from 1860 to present. Topics include Social Darwinism, imperialism, religion, and women's rights.	3 cr, M/W/F, 1:50-2:40pm	
HST 324 History of Sport in America	Social and cultural ramifications of colonial sport. Rise of modern sport in the nineteenth century. Social significance of sport in modern America with special attention to economics, gender, race, and politics.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 8:30-9:50am	
HST 486 Gender, Revolution, and the CIA	In focusing on the CIA and gender, the course provides a revealing window into not only revolutions, but also the forms of power that have shaped politics and social life in the Americas since the mid-twentieth century. It also covers issues that are still very much with us today. This includes considering the nature of U.S. power in the world, the possibilities for leftist political projects, processes of militarization and state sponsored violence, the making of social solidarities and activist networks, and the ways in which gender practices and ideologies intersect with politics and social life.	3 Cr, Tu/Th. 3:00-4:20pm	Prerequisite: (HST 201 or HST 201H) and completion of Tier I writing requirement
ISS 215 Social Differentiation and Inequality (D)	Types, causes and consequences of stratification in human societies. Age, class, gender, race and other factors which define social position. Education, occupation, political economy.	4 cr, There are 9 sections available.	

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ISS 335 National Diversity and Change: United States (N)	Racial, ethnic, class, gender, and other forms of diversity in the United States. Systems of dominant-minority relations and forms of prejudice and discrimination. Scope of and responses to group inequalities.	4 cr, There are 6 sections available.	Prerequisites: ISS 210 or ISS 215 or ISS 220 or ISS 225 or ISS 230 or ISS 235 or MC 201 Open to sophomores, juniors, or seniors.
JPN 350 Studies in Japanese Language	Outline of the Japanese language, partly taught in English. History, styles, socio-linguistic issues (e.g. honorifics, gender differences, dialects). Review of important structures and phrases.	3 cr, M/W, 3:00-4:20pm	Prerequisite: JPN 202
LB 336 Gender, Sexuality, Science, Technology (W)	Significance of gender in relation to science, technology, the environment, and medicine.	4 cr, Section 001, M/W, 12:40-2:30pm. Section 002, Tu/Th, 10:20am-12;10pm. Section 003, M/W 3:00pm-4:50pm	Prerequisite: (LB 133) or completion of Tier 1 Writing Req. Restrictions: open to students in Lyman Briggs or the STEPP Specialization.
LIN 225 Language and Gender	Gender and language in societies around the world. Issues such as status, power and politeness in monolingual and multilingual societies. The role of gender in language development, language variation and language change.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 10:20-11:40am	
PHL 356 Philosophical Aspects of Feminism	Conceptual and normative issues in feminist theory. Topics such as sexism, oppression, coercion, control, power, equality, personhood, respect and self-respect, rape, separatism, community, intimacy, and autonomy.	4 cr, M/W, 8:00am-9:50am	
SOC 216 Sex and Gender	Social structural and social psychological perspectives on gender. Issues related to gender inequality in selected institutions such as economy, family, education, and politics.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 8:30-9:50am	
SOC 315 Family and Society	Family development. Diversity of family form and organization in relation to personality, class, race, and gender.	3 cr, M/W, 3:00pm-4:20pm	
SOC 475 Health and Society	Social causes of Health and disease. Health disparities related to race-ethnicity, socioeconomic status, gender and family. Organizations, professions and institutions of health care. Medical standards and evidence. Global public health	3 cr, Tu/Th, 2:40pm-4:00pm	Not open to freshmen or sophomores.

COURSE	DESCRIPTION	# CREDITS / DAY / TIME	RESTRICTIONS
TE 448 Issues of Diversity in Children's and Adolescent Literature	Theoretical perspectives, controversies, and classroom implications for literature by and about people who have traditionally been underrepresented in children's and adolescent literature. Literature by and about African American s, Asian American s, Latinos and Latinas, American Indians, Middle Eastern American s, and groups traditionally defined by class, religion, ability, gender, and sexuality.	Section 001, Tu, 4:10pm-7:00pm. Section 002, W, 9:10am-12:00pm. Section 003, Th, 12:40pm-3:30pm.	
WS 201 Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies	Foundational knowledge, theories, methods in women's and gender studies and of women's experience historically and across the globe.	3 cr, Section 001, M/W, 10:20-11:40am. Section 002, Tu/Th, 10:20am-11:40am	
WS 202 Introduction to Contemporary Feminisms and Gender Theories	Theories of feminism and gender from a variety of intellectual, political, cultural, religious, sexual, racial, ethnic, national, and global perspectives.	3 cr, Section 001, M/W, 12:40pm-2:00pm. Section 002, 3:00pm-4:20pm	Prerequisite: WS 201 Not open to freshmen
WS 301 Sexual Violence Against Women and Children	Sexual violence against women and children from theoretical and applied perspectives. Rape, battering, incest and sexual harassment. Intersection of race, class, gender and violence. Individual and collective strategies to prevent or deter assault, race, class, gender and violence.	3 cr, Tu/Th, 3:00-4:20pm	Not open to freshmen.
WS 490 Independent Study	Individual reading and research on women and gender.	1-3 cr, Dates arranged.	Open only to juniors or seniors; by approval of program.
WS 492 Advanced Women's Studies (W)	Topic: Women, Girls, and Popular Culture. Guided advanced reading, research, and writing in topics in global gender and women's studies	4 cr, Tu/Th 12:40-2:30pm	Prerequisite: (WS 201 or by approval of college) and completion of Tier I Writing Req. Not open to freshmen or sophomores.
WS 493 Internship	Application of course work in Women's and Gender Studies through work experience related to women's and gender concerns. Experience in legislative, community, or educational settings in the U.S. and overseas.	2-4 cr, Dates arranged.	Prerequisite: WS 201 or WS 202 or WS 203 Not open to freshmen or sophomores.