

# WOMEN'S STUDIES, MINOR

## Minor in Women's Studies (300110M)

This interdisciplinary minor focuses on diversity and the ways that women's and men's lives have been shaped by factors such as race, class, religion, age, sexual orientation, region, historical period, culture, political and economic structures, and social systems. The minor requires two core classes and 12 hours of approved electives.

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The following courses constitute a "Minor in Women's Studies" and must be completed with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 overall for the minor to be noted on the student's record. Please refer to the University Requirements for Minor Areas of Study (<https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/important-policies/graduation-requirements/#minor-req>) for specific graduation information regarding minors.

## Summary

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		6
Elective Courses		12
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>18</b>

## Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
WMST 200	Introduction to Women's Studies	3
WMST 480 or PHIL 455	Feminist Theory Philosophy of Feminism	3
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>6</b>

## Elective Courses

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Select 12 credit hours from the list below.</b>		<b>12</b>
WMST 450	Gender and Popular Culture	
WMST 485	Special Topics in Women's Studies	
WMST 489	Internship in Women's Studies	
WMST 493	Individual Studies on Women	
ANTH 416	Anthropology of Sex and Gender	
CLAS 363	Women in Ancient Greece and Rome	
ENGL 364	Women Writers	
ENGL 440	Women and Film	
ENGL 453	American Women Poets	
HIST 325	Women in Modern Europe	

HIST 350	U.S. Women's History
HIST 400	Gender and Culture in China
HIST 469	African-American Women's History
HIST 499	Women and Gender in Middle Eastern Societies
SPAN 430	Women in 20th Century Hispanic Literature
POLIT 375	
PSYC 474	Psychology of Women
SOCIO 325	Sociology of Women in Global Society
SOCIO 415	Women in Prison
SOCIO 416	Women and Crime
SOCIO 447	Sociology of Gender, Sex, and Sexualities
SOCIO 455	Family Violence
CHFD 201	Intimate Relationships
CHFD 265	Child Development
CHFD 442	Human Sexuality
CHFD 446	Culture, Ethnicity & Family
SOWK 265	Women & Addiction
SOWK 411	Women's Issues in Social Work Practice

**Total Hours** **12**