REQUIREMENTS OF WOMEN’S STUDIES MAJOR
(FOR STUDENTS WHO ENROLLED BEFORE FALL 2012)

A minimum of 36 credits distributed as follows. A course may not be used to fulfill more than one requirement.

I. Required Core Courses (12 credits)

a. Theory: WSS 220 (Introduction to Feminist Theory) or WSS 360 (Feminist Social and Political Thought).
b. Intersections: WSS 240 (Classism, Racism, Sexism: Issues)
c. Research Methods: WSS 490Z (Research Seminar in Women's Studies)
d. Internship: WSS 492 (Internship in Women's Studies) or WSS 322Y (Feminist Pedagogy in Practice).

II. Coherent Concentration (choose one) (12 credits)

Society, Politics, and Policy:

Four courses from the following, at least two of them at the 300-level or above:

WSS 202 (Introduction to Lesbian and Gay Studies)
WSS 241 (Science, Technology, and Social Justice)
WSS 260 (History of U.S. Women and Social Change)
WSS 262 (Sociology of Gender)
WSS 326 (Sociology of Race, Gender, and Class)
WSS 333 (Women and the Law)
WSS 344 (Sociology of Women in the Political Economy)
WSS 346 (Law, Civil Rights, and Sexual Orientation)
WSS 360 (Feminist Social and Political Thought)
WSS 365 (Anthropology of New Reproductive Technologies)
WSS 399 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate
WSS 401 (Sex/uality, Race, and Class in Science and Health)
WSS 412 (Race, Gender and Cultural Politics in Asian America)
WSS 430Z (Environmental Justice: Racism, Classism, Sexism)
WSS 465 (Feminist Theory)
WSS 497 (Topics in LGBTQ Studies)
WSS 498 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate

OR

Information, Technology, and Science:

Four courses from the following, at least two of them at the 300-level or above:

WSS 109X (Women, Biology, and Health)
WSS 241 (Science, Technology, and Social Justice)
WSS 281 (Women and the Media)
WSS 299 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate
WSS 303 Popular Technology: Advocacy and Activism in Age of IT
WSS 342X (Electronic Publishing in Women's Studies)
WSS 309 (Activism and Health)
WSS 328 (Gender, Space and Place)
WSS 360 (Feminist Social and Political Thought)
WSS 361 (Gender and Nation in World Cinema)
WSS 365 (Anthropology of New Reproductive Technologies)
WSS 401 (Sexuality, Race, and Class in Science and Health)
WSS 430Z (Environmental Justice: Racism, Classism, Sexism)
WSS 499 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate

OR

Globalization and Cultural Studies:

Four courses from the following, at least two of them at the 300-level or above:

WSS 281 (Women and the Media)
WSS 299 (Topics in Women's Studies) where appropriate
WSS 308 (Global Perspectives on Women)
WSS 311 (Women in Antiquity)
WSS 328 (Gender, Space and Place)
WSS 357 (Chinese Women and Modernity)
WSS 360 (Feminist Social and Political Thought)
WSS 361 (Gender and Nation in World Cinema)
WSS 362 (Critical Approaches to Gender and Sexuality in Literature)
WSS 381 (Anthropology of Gender)
WSS 399 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate
WSS 412 (Race, Gender and Cultural Politics in Asian Diaspora)
WSS 451 (Gender and Class in Latin American Development)
WSS 498 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate

OR

Art, Media, and Justice:

Four courses from the following, at least two of them at the 300-level or above:

WSS 217 (Women and Music)
WSS 260 (History of U.S. Women and Social Change)
WSS 280 (Society's Nightmare: Images of Gender, Race, and Class in Horror Fiction)
WSS 281 (Women and the Media)
WSS 282Z (Narratives and Counter-Narratives)
WSS 299 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate
WSS 303 (Popular Technology: Advocacy and Activism in an Age of IT)
WSS 311Z (Women in Antiquity)
WSS 336 (Representations: Music, Gender, Race, and Class)
WSS 342X (Electronic Publishing in Women's Studies)
WSS 361 (Gender and Nation in World Cinema)
WSS 362 (Critical Approaches to Gender and Sexuality in Literature)
WSS 366 (Critical Approaches to Ethnicity in Literature)
WSS 368 (Women Writers)
WSS 399 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate
WSS 412 (Race, Gender and Cultural Politics in Asian Diaspora)
WSS 430Z (Environmental Justice: Racism, Classism, Sexism)
WSS 450 (Literature of Feminism: An Interdisciplinary Seminar)
WSS 461 (Women in Cinema)
WSS 475 (Women in Art)
WSS 498 (Topics in Women's Studies), where appropriate

OR

**Independent Student Design:**

Four courses, as advised (at least two of them at the 300-level or above). Must be approved by the Undergraduate Studies Committee.

**III. Electives (12 credits)**

At least one course must be at the 300-level or above.

Electives are to be selected from Women's Studies courses or other courses as approved by the Women's Studies Department, and approved by the Undergraduate Studies Committee.