

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences
Department of Sociology
Minor: Gender, Science, and Technology (GST)
For student date of entry under UG Catalog 2022-2023

The Minor in Gender, Science, and Technology (GST) requires the completion of 18 credit hours as outlined below. Four specific courses are required. Six additional credits of electives at the 3000 or 4000 level are also required. Students must complete at least three credits of WGS coursework (including cross-listed and approved courses) with a focus on gender and race (designated below with an *).

A minimum GPA of 2.0 in all courses taken to fulfill the minor is required.

Required (to be taken in sequence) (12 credits):

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| _____ | WGS 1824 | Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3) |
| _____ | STS 1504 | Introduction to Science and Technology Studies (3) |
| _____ | WGS 2244 | Women and Science (3) (Pre: WGS 1824) |
| _____ | WGS 4704 (STS 4704) | Gender and Science (3) (Pre: WGS 2244 or STS 1504) |

Electives at the 3000 and 4000 Level (6 credits):

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| _____ | WGS 3004 | Topics in Feminism (3) (Pre: WGS 1824) Topic _____ Topic _____ |
| _____ | WGS 3324 | Perspectives on the Biology of Women (3) (Pre: WGS 1824) |
| _____ | WGS 4214 (UAP 4214) (GEOG 4214) | Gender, Environment, and International Development (3) (Pre: junior standing) |
| _____ | WGS4224 | Women's Studies Seminar (3) (Pre: WGS 1824, 2114) |
| _____ | WGS 4754 | Internship (variable credit) (by arrangement with professor) (Pre: WGS 1824) |
| _____ | WGS 4974 | Independent Study (variable credit) (by arrangement with professor) |
| _____ | STS 4304 | Contemporary Issues in Science, Technology, and Society (3) (Pre: STS 1504) Topic _____ Topic _____ |

Please note: Students cannot take more than 3 credit hours of either WGS 4754 or 4974, but may repeat WGS 3004, WGS 3984, WGS 4984, or STS 4304 as long as topics are different.

Up to six credits of special offerings, such as Independent Study (4974), Special Study (4984) or Undergraduate Research (4994) in any department may be used to fulfill requirements for the minor where appropriate. Permission to include such courses must be granted by the minor coordinator.

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For additional information contact: The Sociology Department, 560 McBryde Hall, 540-231-8971, or the Women's and Gender Studies Director, 540-231-5932, 507A McBryde Hall.