Women’s and Gender Studies Major Sheet

Student Name: ________________________________  Advisor: _______________________
Mailing Address: ________________________________  Email: _______________________
UMS #: ________________________________  Email: _______________________
Double Major? (circle) Yes  No  If yes, other major: ________________________________
Minor(s): ________________________________  Expected Date of Graduation: _________

Of the ten courses required for the major, six must be interdisciplinary WGS courses, and five must be upper division (300 level or above). In the case of a double major, no more than two courses may fill requirements in both majors. No more than two courses, including WGS 491: Internship Placement may be taken Pass/Fail.

We recommend that majors take the Research course prior to their final year, if possible.

Lower Division Courses (100 and 200 Level)
Course # and Title  Semester/Year Taken
1. __________________________________________
2. __________________________________________
3. __________________________________________
4. __________________________________________
5. __________________________________________

Upper Division Courses (300 and 400 Level)
Course # and Title  Semester/Year Taken
1. __________________________________________
2. __________________________________________
3. __________________________________________
4. __________________________________________
5. __________________________________________

A. Introductory Course*: __________________________
B. Historical Perspectives Course:___________________
C. Feminist Thought Course:________________________
D. Interdisciplinary Research Course:_________________
E. Internship (maximum six credits):_________________
F. Multicultural Course:____________________________

Six Specific Requirements

* For students declaring MAJOR in Fall 2013 or later

(see reverse for options)
Women’s and Gender Studies majors must take one course from each of the following six (6) groups. These courses are part of the ten total courses you need for the major.

**Six Specific Requirements:**

A. Introductory Course (all options are offered every term) Cannot be taken Pass/Fail
   - WGS 100  Women, Gender & Sexuality in the U.S.
   - WGS 110  Gender in Global Context
   - WGS 150  Women, Culture, and Identity

B. Historical Perspectives Cannot be taken Pass/Fail
   - AFRSTY 230  African-American Women’s History (typically offered annually)
   - HIST 346  Women and Gender in African History
   - WGS 290  The Legal Rights of Women (typically offered annually)
   - WGS 325L  Sexual Identities in American Culture
   - WGS 345  Gender, Religion, and Politics in South Asia
   - WGS 359L  Women in Modern China (typically offered ONLINE)
   - WGS 393L  The Social History of American Women (offered infrequently)
   - WGS 394L  Women in U.S. Social Movements (typically offered annually)

C. Feminist Thought Cannot be taken Pass/Fail
   - WGS 360  Gender, Culture, and Power (typically offered annually)
   - PHIL 230  Philosophy and Feminism (typically offered in the Fall)
   - PHIL 308  Feminist Ethics (offered infrequently)
   - PHIL 437  Topics in Feminist Theory (offered infrequently)
   - WGS 356L  Feminist Theology and Spirituality (offered infrequently)
   - WGS 376L  Women of Color (offered infrequently)
   - WGS 400  Feminist Thought (typically offered in the Spring)
   - WGS 411  Transnational Feminisms
   - POLS 450  Queer Political Theory (offered infrequently)
   - POLS 452  Feminist Political Theory (offered infrequently)

D. Interdisciplinary Research (typically offered in the Fall) Cannot be taken Pass/Fail
   - WGS 311L  American Oral History (offered infrequently)
   - WGS 370  Research Seminar
   - WGS 498/499  Honors Research Tutorial

E. Internship/Field Experience (typically offered in the Spring) Cannot be taken Pass/Fail
   - WGS 490/491  Internship in Women’s Studies
   - SOCIOL 460  Internship in Urban Social Science

F. Multicultural Awareness
   - WGS 110  Gender in Global Context (offered every term)
   - WGS 225 Latinas in the U.S.
   - WGS 270  Native American Women
   - WGS 300L  Women in African Cultures
   - WGS 345  Gender, Religion, and Politics in South Asia
   - WGS 355L  Gender, Development, and Globalization
   - WGS 359L  Women in Modern China (typically offered ONLINE)
   - WGS 376L  Women of Color (offered infrequently)
   - WGS 360  Gender, Culture, and Power
   - AFRSTY 230  African-American Women’s History
   - ENGL 357  African American Women Writers
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