

Program Change Request

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Viewing: **CERT-CG55 : Women's and Gender Studies - Certificate**

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Changes proposed by: mindybergman

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9. Faculty Senate
10. Provost II
11. President
12. Curricular Services

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Academic level Graduate
 Effective Term 2019-2020
 Department College of Liberal Arts
 College Liberal Arts
 Program type Certificate
 Associated Program **Women's & Gender Studies (WGST)**
 With a certificate in Women's and Gender Studies

Catalog Program Title
 Women's and Gender Studies - Certificate

CIP and Fund code

Rationale for Proposal

This transcribed certificate offers master's and doctoral students the benefits of gaining an interdisciplinary concentration in gender, while earning an advanced degree within a discipline. The Women's and Gender Studies Certificate aims to enhance critical thinking and methodological skills while facilitating analysis of gender's role in culture, society and the arts and encouraging the development of innovative research that combines recent scholarship in gender studies with the student's major area of study.

Proposed changes reflect a curricular modifications to best achieve these goals.

Program hours 12
 Is this program eligible for financial aid? Yes
 Will program hours change (increase/decrease) due to the proposed curriculum changes? No
 Certificate type Degree-dependent
 Program delivery mode

Approval Path

1. 06/13/18 12:35 pm Steve Oberhelman (s-oberhelman): Approved for CLLA Department Head
2. 06/18/18 9:10 am Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214): Rollback to Initiator
3. 09/13/18 1:59 pm Steve Oberhelman (s-oberhelman): Approved for CLLA Department Head
4. 09/17/18 2:15 pm Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214): Approved for Curricular Services Review
5. 09/17/18 2:55 pm Tiffany Green (tgreen): Approved for LA Committee Preparer GR
6. 10/09/18 8:27 am Leroy Dorsey (l-dorsey): Approved for LA Committee Chair GR
7. 10/09/18 8:29 am Leroy Dorsey (l-dorsey): Approved for LA College Dean GR
8. 10/29/18 8:46 am LaRhesa Johnson (lrjohnson): Approved for GC Preparer
9. 11/01/18 3:43 pm LaRhesa Johnson (lrjohnson): Approved for GC Chair

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History

1. Mar 6, 2017 by Steve Oberhelman (s-oberhelman)

Catalog Program Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Select one of the following:		3
WGST 680/ENGL 680	Theories of Gender	
WGST 645	Queer Theory	
WGST 401	Feminist Theory	

WGST electives 1,2

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1A minimum of 3 credit hours must be outside of the student's degree-seeking home discipline.

2Up to 6 hours of Elective requirement can be (but not required to be) fulfilled by applying up to 2 of the following:

3 hours from a 685 can count toward certificate, with prior authorization by WGST Graduate Coordinator.

3 hours from a 691 can count toward certificate if a student's dissertation/thesis substantially engages WGST, with authorization by WGST Graduate Coordinator.

3 hours from a course that is not cross-listed or pre-approved can be applied with authorization by the WGST Graduate Coordinator.

The certificate program is open to students from any graduate degree program at Texas A&M University and consists of 12 hours of coursework approved for this purpose by the Director of Women's and Gender Studies, including at least 3 hours of humanities and 3 hours of social science credits.

Course List

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
WGST 481	Senior Seminar (or equivalent) 1	3

Select three of the following: 2

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Partial List of Graduate Courses:

EHRD 670	Women and Education	
EHRD 675	Women and Organizational Leadership	
ENGL 645	Topics in Gender, Literature, and Culture	
ENGL 680/WGST 680	Theories of Gender	
HISP 645	Hispanic Women Writers	
HLTH 634	Women's Health	
SOCI 607	Seminar in Social Organizations	
SOCI 603/WGST 603	The Contemporary Family	
PSYC 633	Gender and Minority Issues in Clinical Psychology	
WGST 685	Directed Studies	
WGST 689	Special Topics in... (Women's Studies)	

Upper Division Undergraduate Courses:

Social Sciences:

WGST 404/ANTH 404	Women and Culture	
WGST 407/COMM 407	Gender, Race and Media	
WGST 420/COMM 420	Gender and Communication	
WGST 424/SOCI 424	Women and Work in Society	
WGST 430/MGMT 430	Employment Discrimination Law	
WGST 462/POLS 462	Women and the Law	

Total Semester Credit Hours

0

1With approval of the Program Director, ENGL 680%7C may be substituted for WGST 481%7C.

2Must include at least three (3) hours of Humanities credits and at least three (3) hours of Social Science credits. The remaining three (3) hours are free electives, except that they must be approved by the Program Director as counting toward the Graduate Certificate.

Additional Requirements

Additional information

Required Proposal Forms [WGST_degree_eval_20180913.pdf](#)

Reviewer Comments **Steve Oberhelman (s-oberhelman) (06/13/18 12:34 pm):** If I am correct, there should be a degree evaluation attached, and there should be a table constructed. I am approving for forwarding, but I think there must be more done here than just a description.
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (06/18/18 9:10 am): Rollback: The catalog program requirements need to be in a course list table format also please attach this programs certificate evaluation from Howdy.
Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (09/17/18 12:33 pm): Edits made to the catalog program requirements to conform to the catalog style guidelines.

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (09/17/18 2:15 pm): Initial concern addressed.

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (09/17/18 2:15 pm): Moving forward, however, the rule enforcing the WGST Electives will be blank, which means that the only way to award the certificate is by submitting individual student adjustment.

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Detail Requirements

Susan A. Jackson
Sep 11, 2018 11:23 am

Viewing: Degree Evaluation (DEGEVAL, , Email)
Change Student

Information for Degree Evaluation

This is NOT an official evaluation.

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Program Evaluation

Limitation: Students must maintain a minimum 3.0 Program GPA for graduation purposes.

Program :	Cert-Women's & Gend Std	Catalog Term :	Summer 2018 - College Station
Campus :	College Station	Evaluation Term :	Fall 2018 - College Station
College :	Liberal Arts	Expected Graduation Date :	
Degree :	GR Certificate	Request Number :	284
Level :	Graduate	Results as of :	Sep 11, 2018
Majors :	Women's and Gender Studies	Minors :	
Departments :	College of Liberal Arts	Concentrations :	

		Met Credits		Courses	
		Required	Used	Required	Used
Total Required :	No	12.000	0.000		0
Program GPA :	No	3.00	.00		
Overall GPA :	Yes	.00	.00		
Other Course Information					
Transfer :			0.000		0

This is NOT an official evaluation.

Area : Courses Counting in GPR - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits
No	A.		Additional	Unused									
Total Credits and GPA													0.000

unofficial evaluation

Area : Certificate Coursework (12.000 credits) - Not Met

Met	Condition	Rule	Subject	Attribute	Low	High	Required Credits	Required Courses	Term	Subject	Course Title	Attribute	Credits
No	A.		WGST 481	3 hrs				Select one: WGST 680/ENGL 680 WGST 645 WGST 401				3 hrs	
								Must make a grade of 'B' or better.					
No	AND	B.	Electives	1/2 hrs				Select from EHRD 670, 675; ENGL 645, 680; HISP 645; HLTH 634; SOCI 603, 607; PSYC 633; WGST 404, 407, 420, 424, 430, 462, 685, 689.					
								Must make a grade of 'B' or better.					

Total Credits and GPA 0.000

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3 hrs of coursework not cross-listed or pre-approved, with authorization from WGST graduate coordinator.