



## WOMEN'S STUDIES COURSES, SUMMER & FALL 2006

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You are eligible to register via the Star system or telephone beginning on or after the specified dates listed below. Star (<http://star.wvu.edu>) will operate each week from 7:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday at 11:00 p.m., except Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 1:30 a.m. through 4:00 a.m. Students will be able to register on or after their priority registration dates as follows:

**Graduate/Professionals** - Monday, March 20 at 7 a.m.  
**Seniors (89+ hrs)** - Monday, March 27 at 7 a.m.  
**Juniors (59-88 hrs.)** - Monday, April 3 at 7 a.m.  
**Sophomores (29-58 hrs.)** - Monday, April 10 at 7 a.m.  
**Freshmen (0-28 hrs.)** - Monday, April 17 at 7 a.m.

For more information on women's studies, or to sign up for the women's studies major, minor, area of emphasis (AOE) for Regents BA (RBA) students, graduate certificate, or women's studies-directed Master of Arts in Liberal Studies (MALS), please contact Dr. Barbara Howe, Director, Center for Women's Studies, at (304) 293-2339 ext. 1155 or via email at [barbara.howe@mail.wvu.edu](mailto:barbara.howe@mail.wvu.edu). Further information about each degree program is also available on the Center's website at <http://www.as.wvu.edu/wmst/degreesoffered.htm>.

### IMPORTANT NOTE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES STUDENTS:

**PRIMARY COURSE** - OVERALL content focuses on women's issues and/or gender issues. Automatically counts towards women's studies degree programs (RBA Area of Emphasis=upper division only).

**COMPONENT COURSE** - PORTION of the content focuses on women and/or gender. Component courses **must** be taught by the instructor specified in the Approved Courses list (<http://www.as.wvu.edu/wmst/approvedcourses.htm>).

## FALL SEMESTER COURSES

### WOMEN'S STUDIES

**NOTE for all WMST courses: Students who do not attend all meetings of their WMST course during the first week of the semester will be deleted if they have not notified the Center for Women's Studies, in writing, prior to the first day of classes that they intend to remain in the course.**

<b>WMST 150: WOMEN IN MOVIES</b>		<b>Kasi Jackson</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
R 1900-2150	CRN: 84381	LSP: CLUSTER A, FOR/MIN/GEN	GEC: 4, 7   WMST: PRIMARY

This course deals with the art form of movies--looking at the images of women in a wide range of movies, including Disney films, action films, romantic comedies, science fiction/horror and teen films. The course focuses on Hollywood films; it seeks to understand them by comparing within and among genres, as well as across cultures and time periods. Popular films like those studied here are one of the most powerful ways to depict American culture. Further, the course introduces students to the tools of cultural studies in order to analyze ideas of gender, specifically femininity, in mainstream U.S. society by exploring assumptions embedded in media sources.

<b>WMST 170: INTRODUCTION TO WOMEN'S STUDIES</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
Various instructors, below	LSP: CLUSTER A or B, FOR/MIN/GEN	GEC: 4, 7   WMST: PRIMARY

This course addresses the question "What is Women's Studies?" by looking at changing definitions of women and men. We will examine the construction of gender and biological sex across nations and cultures, within academic disciplines and in popular media. We will explore women's issues in the U.S. and internationally, paying particular attention to how race, sexuality, class, and other factors create differences among groups of women. We will take a renewed look at the world around us, examining the ways in which power and privilege, societal ideas, and ignorance have contributed to what we think we know. We will also examine ways in which we can work individually and together to promote social change and growth in an effort to advance the equality of all people.

TR 1130-1245	CRN 84466	001	*****STAFF*****
MWF 1330-1420	CRN 84467	002	Karolina Wozniak
MWF 1030-1120	CRN 80849	003	*****STAFF*****
MWF 1130-1220	CRN 80851	004	Karolina Wozniak
MWF 1430-1520	CRN 82072	005	*****STAFF*****
M 1800-2150	CRN 80852	006	Kayla Kreitzer
TR 1600-1715	CRN 85701	007	*****STAFF*****
TR 1300-1415	CRN 85710	008	Mindy Graham

TR 1430-1545	CRN 82018	011	Mindy Graham
TR 1430-1545	CRN 86429	H02	Kasi Jackson
<b>NOTE for WMST 170 section H02:</b> This section is open only to students in the Honors Program.			
<b>WMST 293N SPTP: WOMEN'S HEALTH &amp; FITNESS</b>		<b>Ruth Kershner</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
M 1700-1950	CRN: 86586, Sec H01	LSP: No	GEC: No
WMST: PRIMARY			
<b>NOTE for WMST 293N section H01:</b> This section is open only to students in the Honors Program.			
<b>WMST 320 WOMEN/RELIGION/SPIRITUALITY</b>		<b>Cindy Stackpole</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1130-1245	CRN: 86176	LSP: NO	GEC: No
WMST: PRIMARY			
Explores women's exclusion from leadership in religious institutions, the development of theology and spirituality that has disavowed the contributions of women, diversity of religious experience, writings of feminist theologians.			
<b>WMST 330 FEMINIST THEORY</b>		<b>Kasi Jackson</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
T 1900-2150	CRN: 84526	LSP: NO	GEC: NO
WMST: PRIMARY			
This course provides an overview of feminist theories that will prepare students for their work in the capstone course or future graduate work. This course will enable students to develop a critical framework for thinking and writing about gender, race, class, and sexuality in contemporary American societies, while introducing them to the newest feminist theories. Topics to be discussed may include social construction, body theory, critiques of essentialism, theories of global feminism, black feminist theory, history and theories of sexuality, and the intersections of feminist theory with ecological theory, whiteness and masculinity studies, pedagogy, language studies, and disability studies.			
<b>WMST 491 PROFESSIONAL FIELD EXPERIENCE</b>		<b>Barb Howe/Kasi Jackson</b>	<b>1 - 18 CR</b>
TBA	CRN: 82984 (Howe)	LSP: NO	GEC: NO
TBA	CRN: 86452 (Jackson)	LSP: NO	GEC: NO
WMST: PRIMARY			
Supervised interdisciplinary experiences in connection with government, social service, and other agencies, organizations, and women-centered topics. <b>Note:</b> field experiences must be arranged and approved before registration.			
<b>WMST 493K SPTP:CULTURE/DIVERSITY/AGING</b>		<b>Bei Wu</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
R 1800-2150	CRN: 85709	LSP: No	GEC: No
WMST: PRIMARY			
This course will use a multi-disciplinary approach to examine the impact of race/ethnicity, gender, social class, and culture on aging, the aging population, and individual experiences of aging. Particular attention will be directed toward understanding the importance of cultural characteristics, life course perspectives, socioeconomic inequalities, and health care issues in shaping diverse later life experiences.			
<b>WMST 495/595/795 INDEPENDENT STUDY</b>		<b>Barb Howe</b>	<b>1- 6 CR</b>
TBA	CRN: 82985/ 82987/ 80853	LSP: NO	GEC: NO
WMST: PRIMARY			
Individual study of an interdisciplinary issue in women's studies and/or gender studies. Students must meet with their independent study instructor prior to registering for this course. Failure to do so will result in deletion from course.			
<b>WMST 630 FEMINIST THEORIES</b>		<b>Kasi Jackson</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
T 1900-2150	CRN: 85569	LSP: NO	GEC: NO
WMST: PRIMARY			
This course explores the intellectual breadth and theoretical depth of feminist theory in the late twentieth century. Written by scholars of various races, nationalities, sexualities, and classes, the texts foreground questions of essentialism, difference, sexuality, bodies, language, power, economic and ecological injustice, intersections of race, class, and gender, and global social justice struggles. Students will practice close critical reading skills, written and oral analysis, synthetic thinking, and creative reassessment of feminist theories current today.			
<b>WMST 790 TEACHING PRACTICUM</b>		<b>Kasi Jackson</b>	<b>1 - 3 CR</b>
TBA	CRN: 80854	LSP: NO	GEC:
WMST: PRIMARY			
Supervised practice in college teaching of women's studies for graduate assistants teaching WMST 170.			
<b>WOMEN'S STUDIES COURSES AVAILABLE THROUGH OTHER DEPARTMENTS</b>			
<b>BIOLOGY</b>			
<b>BIOL 122 HUMAN SEXUALITY</b>		<b>Deb Strouse, Nina Spadaro</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1430-1545	CRN: 86272 (Strouse)	LSP: Cluster B or C, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 4, 7
WMST: PRIMARY			
TR 1300-1415	CRN: 86588 (Spadaro, Sec. H01)	LSP: Cluster B or C, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 4, 7
WMST: PRIMARY			
A study of the biological, behavioral, and societal aspects of sexuality. Issues considered include: changing fecundity, socio-legal implications, sex roles, venereal disease, populations, erotica, aging, dysfunctions, decision-making skills for sex-related issues. <b>Note:</b> Section H01 is open only to students in the Honors program.			
<b>COUNSELING</b>			
<b>COUN 634 CULTURAL ISSUES</b>		<b>Jennifer Adams</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
T 1300-1550	CRN: 85839	LSP: No	GEC: No
WMST: PRIMARY			
Impact of cultural differences on the counseling process; gender, race, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, counseling styles and cross cultural counseling methods; group and experimental activities are required.			
<b>AGRICULTURE AND RESOURCE ECONOMICS</b>			
<b>ARE 542 INTERNATIONAL AGR ECON DEVELOPMENT</b>		<b>Graeme Donovan</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1100-1215	CRN: 84706	LSP: NO	GEC: NO
WMST: COMPONENT			

Current problems, theories, policies, and strategies in planning for agricultural and rural development for increased food production and to improve the well-being of rural people in the developing countries of the world.				
<b>CHILD &amp; FAMILY DEVELOPMENT STUDIES</b>				
<b>CDFS 547 COMPARATIVE STUDY OF FAMILY</b>		<b>Carol Markstrom</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
T 1400-1650	CRN: 86212	LSP: NO	GEC: NO	WMST: COMPONENT
A comprehensive overview of the theoretical and empirical literature focusing on the family.				
<b>COMMUNICATION STUDIES</b>				
<b>COMM 212 GENDER &amp; COMMUNICATION</b>		<b>Maria Brann</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1130-1245	CRN: 81909	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 6	WMST: PENDING
PR: COMM 102 or consent. The similarities and differences of communication variables for males and females. Theoretical implications in the study of the gender variable with practical applications in different contexts.				
<b>CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION</b>				
<b>C&amp;I 689 CULTURAL DIVERSITY IN CLASSROOM</b>		<b>Ardeth Deay</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
W 1900-2150	CRN: 85183	LSP: NO	GEC: NO	WMST: PRIMARY
Provides opportunities for educators to increase awareness of their own ethnic backgrounds, foster understandings of the interactive effects of gender, race, ethnicity and socio-economic status, and develop appropriate teaching materials and methods. Students should contact the instructor at Ardeth.Deay@mail.wvu.edu for course details and permit.				
<b>ENGLISH</b>				
<b>ENGL 156 LITERATURE OF NATIVE AMERICA</b>		<b>Ellesa Clay High</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1130-1245	CRN: 83702	LSP: Cluster A, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 5, 9	WMST: COMPONENT
A historical survey of Native American prose, poetry, song, and story from the beginning to the present.				
<b>ENGL 242 AMERICAN LITERATURE SURVEY II</b>		<b>Anna Elfenbein, Katy Ryan</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1430-1545	CRN: 80545 (Elfenbein)	LSP: Cluster A	GEC: 5, 7	WMST: PRIMARY
TR 1000-1115	CRN: 80547 (Ryan)	LSP: Cluster A	GEC: 5, 7	WMST: PRIMARY
A historical introduction and survey from the mid-nineteenth century to the present.				
<b>ENGL 254 AFRICAN AMERICAN LITERATURE</b>		<b>Gwen Bergner</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1430-1545	CRN: 82463	LSP: LSP: Cluster A, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 5, 7	WMST: COMPONENT
Studies in the literature of African American authors, 1845 to present.				
<b>ENGL 255 MULTI-ETHNIC AMERICAN LITERATURE</b>		<b>Cari Carpenter</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
MWF 1030-1120	CRN: 86307	LSP: Cluster A, For/Min/Gen (w/advisor approval)	GEC: NO	WMST: PENDING
Literature by Americans of diverse ethnicities including, but not limited to, Asian Americans, Latinos, Native Americans, African Americans, and European Americans of various class/religious/regional backgrounds.				
<b>ENGL 285 IMAGES OF WOMEN IN LITERATURE</b>		<b>Carolyn Nelson</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
MWF 1030-1120	CRN: 84183	LSP: Cluster A, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 5	WMST: PRIMARY
Representative literary works studied against a backdrop of social and historical documents to examine the effect of images of women in literature on the self-image of women today.				
<b>ENGL 387 TOPICS IN WOMEN'S LITERATURE ("W" course)</b>		<b>Carolyn Nelson/Mary Ann Samyn</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
MWF 1230-1320	CRN: 81442 (Nelson)	LSP: Cluster B	GEC: NO	WMST: PRIMARY
TR 1430-1545	CRN: 84834 (Samyn)	LSP: Cluster B	GEC: NO	WMST: PRIMARY
Topics include women writers outside of Great Britain and the United States; comparative women writers; women's writing on a particular theme or topic.				
<b>ENGL 682 RECENT LITERARY CRITICISM</b>		<b>Dennis Allen</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
T 1900-2150	CRN: 82484	LSP: NO	GEC: NO	WMST: COMPONENT
Survey of theories of major schools of recent criticism and an application of these theories to selected literary works.				
<b>ENGL 695 INDEPENDENT STUDY ON APHRA BEHN</b>		<b>Marilyn Francus</b>		<b>3CR WMST: PRIMARY</b>
<b>NOTE:</b> The above course will be offered based on student interest and need. Please contact the instructor at marilyn.francus@mail.wvu.edu to discuss registration.				
<b>FOREIGN LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION</b>				
<b>FLIT 498 FRANCOPHONE LIT IN TRANSLATION</b>		<b>Janice Spleth</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
W 1430-1520	CRN: 86587	LSP: Cluster A, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 9	WMST: COMPONENT
Works by French-speaking authors from Africa and the Caribbean. French majors will read selections in the original. <b>Note:</b> This section is open only to students in the Honors program.				
<b>GEOGRAPHY</b>				
<b>GEOG 603 SEMINAR: QUALITATIVE METHODS</b>		<b>Ann Oberhauser</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
F 0900-1145	CRN: 86221	LSP: No	GEC: No	WMST: PRIMARY
<b>GERONTOLOGY</b>				
<b>GERO 628: AGING WOMEN AND CULTURAL ISSUES</b>		<b>Bei Wu</b>		<b>3 CR</b>
R 1800-2050	CRN: 86172	LSP: NO	GEC: No	WMST: PRIMARY
<b>Cross-listed as WMST 493K, above.</b>				
<b>HISTORY</b>				

<b>HIST 445 HISTORY OF AMERICAN WOMEN</b>			<b>Barb Howe</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1000-1115	CRN: 86286	LSP: No	GEC: No	WMST: PRIMARY
Examination of the history of American women from 1607 to the present, with emphasis on working conditions, women's rights, development of feminism, women's role in wartime, and women in the family.				
<b>HUMAN NUTRITION &amp; FOODS</b>				
<b>HN&amp;F 610 NUTRITION AND FITNESS</b>			<b>Cindy Fitch</b>	<b>3CR</b>
T 1900-2150	CRN: 84160	LSP: NO	GEC: No	WMST: COMPONENT
PR: HN&F 171 or equivalent. Upon completion of this course the student will understand the physiological and metabolic changes that occur during physical activity and the ways in which those changes alter nutritional requirements.				
<b>PHILOSOPHY</b>				
<b>PHIL 130 CURRENT MORAL PROBLEMS</b>			<b>Mark Wicclair/Richard Montgomery</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
TR 1600-1715	CRN: 80635 (Wicclair)	LSP: Cluster A	GEC: 4, 6	WMST: COMPONENT
TR 1000-1115	CRN: 83685 (Montgomery)	LSP: Cluster A	GEC: 4, 6	WMST: COMPONENT
An examination of current moral problems. Topics include some of the following: abortion, euthanasia, sexism, and sexual equality, preferential treatment, animal rights, sexual morality, pornography, economic justice, paternalism, punishment and nuclear deterrence				
<b>PHIL 331 HEALTH CARE ETHICS</b>			<b>Mark Wicclair</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
R 1830-2115	CRN: 81453	LSP: Cluster A	GEC: 4, 6	WMST: COMPONENT
Topics: Clinician-patient relationship, life sustaining treatment, physician-assisted death, physician-nurse conflicts, confidentiality, research, reproductive technology, abortion, maternal/fetal conflicts, genetics, rationing, and access.				
<b>PHIL 531 HEALTH CARE ETHICS</b>			<b>Mark Wicclair</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
R 1830-2115	CRN: 82459	LSP: No	GEC: No	WMST: COMPONENT
Topics: Clinician-patient relationship, life-sustaining treatment, physician assisted death, physician/nurse conflicts, confidentiality, research, reproductive technology, abortion, maternal/fetal conflicts, genetics, rationing, and access.				
<b>PSYCHOLOGY</b>				
<b>PSYC 232 SEX ROLES &amp; BEHAVIOR</b>			<b>Constance Toffle</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
MWF 0830-0920	CRN: 83803	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 6, 7	WMST: PRIMARY
Relates sex-typed behavior to physiological, social, and cultural processes. Current social problems such as rape, abortion legislation, child care, and expanded career options for both sexes are examined from a psychological perspective.				
<b>PSYC 293K SPTP: SEX ROLES</b>			<b>Constance Toffle</b>	<b>1 CR</b>
T 1300-1415	CRN: 83862 (Sec. H01)	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 6, 7	WMST: PRIMARY
Relates sex-typed behavior to physiological, social, and cultural processes. Current social problems such as rape, abortion legislation, child care, and expanded career options for both sexes, are examined from a psychological perspective. <b>Note:</b> Section H01 is reserved for students in the Honors program.				
<b>PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION</b>				
<b>PUBA 773 POLICY ISSUES—WOMEN'S HEALTH</b>			<b>Leslie Tower</b>	<b>1 CR</b>
F 0900-1650	CRN: 86453	LSP: No	GEC: No	WMST: PRIMARY
<b>Course meets only 20 October – 3 November</b>				
Policy Issues in Women's Health (PA 773) provides an overview of women's healthcare issues involving the interaction of medical and social systems. How to facilitate quality care will be examined from policy, administrative, and advocacy standpoints.				
<b>PUBLIC HEALTH</b>				
<b>PUBH 628 AGING WOMEN &amp; CULTURE ISSUES</b>			<b>Bei Wu</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
R 1800-2050	CRN: 86137	LSP: No	GEC: No	WMST: PRIMARY
<b>Cross-listed as WMST 493K, above.</b>				
<b>SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY</b>				
<b>SOCA 221 FAMILIES AND SOCIETY</b>			<b>Feather</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
M 1730-2020	CRN: 84869, Sec. 001	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 4, 6	WMST: PRIMARY
MWF 0930-1020	CRN: 85676, Sec. 002	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 4, 6	WMST: PRIMARY
MWF 0930-1020	CRN: 85677, Sec. 003	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 4, 6	WMST: PRIMARY
Historical comparative approach to changing structure and functions of the family institution. Effect of economic, demographic, and cultural changes on relationships, gender roles, marriage, childcare; variations by socioeconomic status, race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation. <b>Note:</b> Section 003 is restricted to sociology/anthropology majors.				
<b>SOCA 235 RACE RELATIONS</b>			<b>Staff</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
MWF 1130-1220	CRN: 86198	LSP: Cluster B, For/Min/Gen	GEC: 4, 7	WMST: PRIMARY
Causes and consequences of prejudice and discriminatory practices involving minority group members. Emphasis is on blacks, but social and economic conditions of Indians and other racial and religious minorities are also discussed.				
<b>SOCA 360 WOMEN &amp; MEN IN SOCIETY</b>			<b>Staff</b>	<b>3 CR</b>
MW 1630-1745	CRN: 85786	LSP: No	GEC: 4 (for SOCA majors only)	WMST: PRIMARY

Sociological study of gender stratification. Emphasis on social, structural, historical, and cultural bases of gender relations. Structured around issues of theoretical debate and research interest concerning U.S. gender system. Includes cross-cultural and international comparisons.

**SPANISH**

**SPAN 630 LATIN AMERICAN CULTURE**

**Pablo Gonzalez**

**3 CR**

T 1600-1850 | CRN: 85214 | LSP: NO | GEC: No | WMST : COMPONENT

A study of history, culture, politics, economics, and development of the Latin American continent.

**SUMMER SESSION COURSES**

**SUMMER SESSION A: MAY 22 – JUNE 30, 2006.**

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WMST 150 Women In Movies	3 CR	Wozniak	MTWR 1800 – 2110 (June 11–June 30)	CRN: 50984
WMST 170 Intro to Women's Studies	3 CR	Hatcher	MTWRF 1330 - 1445	CRN: 50373
WMST 491 Professional Field Experience	1-18 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 50374
WMST 495 Independent Study	1-6 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 50375
WMST 790 Teaching Practicum	1-3 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 50376
WMST 797 Research	1-15 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 50377

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS**

SOCA 221 Families & Society	3 CR	Feather	MTWRF 1330-1550 (May 22-June 10)	CRN: 50421
SOCA 360 Women & Men in Society	3 CR	Pearce	MTWRF 1330-1445	CRN: 51417

**SUMMER SESSION B: JULY 03 – AUGUST 11, 2006.**

**WOMEN'S STUDIES**

WMST 170 Intro to Women's Studies	3 CR	Kreitzer	MTWRF 1200 - 1315	CRN: 70257
WMST 491 Professional Field Experience	1-18 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 70258
WMST 495 Independent Study	1-6 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 70259
WMST 592 Dir. St.: Field Experience	3 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 70768
WMST 790 Teaching Practicum	1-3 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 70261
WMST 795 Independent Study	1-6 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 70262
WMST 797 Research	1-15 CR	Howe	TBA	CRN: 70260

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS**

COMM 212 Gender & Communication	3 CR	Banfield	MTWRF 0900-1120 (July 23-Aug. 11)	CRN: 70689
ENGL 156 Literature of Native America	3 CR	High	MTWRF 1030-1145	CRN: 71395

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