GRADUATE PROGRAM

The M.A. in Women's and Gender Studies has three tracks. Each requires successfully completing 36 CREDIT HOURS

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Students for whom the WGS MA will be a terminal degree may wish to complete the program based on 36 hours of coursework plus a writing portfolio

30 HOURS + INTERNSHIP

The internship option is recommended for those interested in applied fieldwork

30 HOURS + THESIS

The thesis option is recommended for students who intend to pursue a doctoral degree

REQUIREMENTS & DEADLINES

- Completed bachelor's degree (or equivalent) with a grade point average of 3.0 or better
- A recent minimum Graduate Record Examination (GRE) verbal score of 156 and a quantitative score of 141
- An undergraduate major or minor in Women's and Gender Studies or evidence of a strong background in the field

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

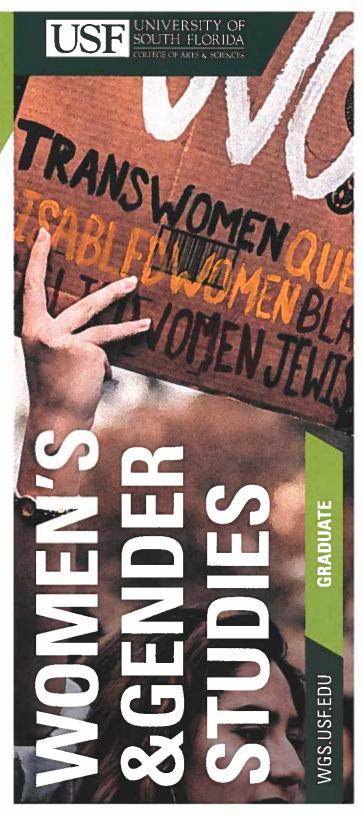
The Women's and Gender Studies Graduate
Certificate provides an opportunity for graduate
students and other professionals to gain a more
inclusive knowledge of women and gender
issues in society, including feminist studies.
Feminist scholarship enhances any educational
and professional background, including areas of
social or health services that serve women, as well
as any national/international based profession in
today's diverse society. Students will investigate
theories pertaining to the roles of gender, race,
class and sexuality within various cultural systems.

REQUIREMENTS

- 9 credit hours in WGS graduate coursework with a grade of B or higher
- Plus 3 credit hours in WST 6001: Feminist Issues, Research, Methods are required

ADMISSIONS

 Applicants must hold either a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution with a 3.0 upper-division GPA or a graduate degree from a regionally accredited institution in a relevant discipline



FALL Submissions Deadline - FEBRUARY 15

Today our graduate faculty members are nationally recognized award-winning teachers and scholars committed to mentoring graduate student scholars, teachers, and activists.

Our close-knit community of graduate students brags about WGS having its own cozy library with more than 300 books and journals, and a break room for catching up.

We also boast more than 70 affiliate faculty members, representing more than 27 different departments and colleges across USF. These scholars cross list their classes with WGS and serve on MA thesis and internship committees.

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> Women's and Gender Studies—part of the University of South Florida since 1972—leads the campus in interdisciplinary study that critically examines historical, social, and geopolitical implications of gender, sexuality, race, disability, and class.

RISE

WGS at USF has offered the Master's degree since 1997 and has a strong history of placing MA graduates in Ph.D. programs at top research universities, in highly-regarded law schools, and in both for-profit and non-profit organizations.

We offer graduate teaching assistantships to many of our MA students that provide the opportunity to work closely with facultymentors as well as the chance to teach both face-to-face and on-line.