

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER / SEXUALITY STUDIES

The LGBTQ / sexuality studies minor involves the examination of sexuality and gender through an interdisciplinary lens. You will have the opportunity to analyze sexuality and gender as social constructions that vary throughout history and in different societies, learn about the experience and histories of LGBTQ people and communities, and examine how sexuality and gender intersect with other forms of inequality and difference.

Academics

REQUIRED COURSES

- WMNS 201 Introduction to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer/Sexuality Studies
- WMNS 301 Sexuality and Power
- WMNS / HIST 402 Sexuality in Nineteenth and Twentieth Century America

Select at least two courses, one at the 400 level:

- ANTH 412 Family, Marriage, and Kinship
- ANTH 467 / TMFD 477 / WMNS 477 Gender and Material Culture
- ANTH / ENVR / GLST / HRHA 476 Human Rights, Environment, and Development
- ARAB / RELG / WMNS 288 Exploring Love, Sexuality and Femininity in the History of Arabic Culture
- CLAS / WMNS 440 Gender and Sexuality in the Ancient World
- COMM / WMNS 380 Gender and Communication
- COMM 482 Voices of Dissent and Activism
- ENGL / ETHN / WMNS 344B Black Women Authors
- ENGL / ETHN / WMNS 345N Native American Women Writers
- ENGL / WMNS 212 Introduction to LGBTQ Literature
- ENGL 312 / WMNS 312 LGBTQ Literature and Film
- ENGL / WMNS 401K LGBTQ Drama and Popular Culture
- ETHN / HIST / WMNS 476A Gender and Sexuality in Latin America

- FREN / WMNS 386 Historical Highlights of French Queerness
- FREN / WMNS / ENGL / MRST 388 Body Language: Love, Politics, and the Self in French Literature
- FREN 486 French and Francophone Women Writers
- HIST / ETHN / WMNS 356 African-American Women's History
- HIST / ETHN / WMNS 459 Women and Gender in African Societies
- PHIL / WMNS 218 Philosophy of Feminism
- POLS 338 Women and Politics
- POLS 362 Globalization, Human Rights, and Diversity
- PSYC 330 Psychology of Diversity
- PSYC / WMNS 421 Psychology of Gender
- PSYC / CYAF / EDPS / SOCI 471 Human Sexuality and Society
- **SOCI / WMNS 200** Gender in Contemporary Society
- SOCI 412 Religion, Gender, and Sexuality
- SOCI / WMNS 448 Family Diversity
- SOCI / WMNS 486 Sociology of Gender
- SPAN / WMNS 315 Gender and Sexuality in Hispanic Culture
- SPAN / WMNS 454 Gender and Sexuality in Spain
- SPAN / LAMS / WMNS 470 Feminisms in Latin America
- WMNS 202 Women, Gender, and Health
- WMNS 250 Sex and Gender Around the Globe
- WMNS 485 Feminist Theories, Feminists' Perspectives

For a complete list of applicable courses see minor advisor.

Experiences and Opportunities

Join Students Advocating Gender Equality (SAGE), a student organization that seeks to provide a place of action, discussion, and academic development for students interested in feminist and gender concerns on campus and the Lincoln community, or Spectrum UNL, dedicated to the promotion and wellness of all gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer and allied students and staff.

Attend sponsored events such as the No Limits Conference, an interdisciplinary conference on women's and gender studies that has hosted hundreds of presentations from students, academic departments and community members. The colloquium series features local and national scholars presenting innovative research. It's a great opportunity to interact with these scholars both formally and informally.

