



EMPOWER YOURSELF

Degrees Offered

- Bachelor of Arts (BA), women's and gender studies (in development)
- Minor, women's studies

Why Choose Women's Studies?

If you enjoy studying the role of women in society, a women's studies minor may be for you. Women's studies is an interdisciplinary program focusing on women, girls, and historical and contemporary experiences related to femaleness. The program helps students prepare for a wide variety of personal and career pursuits because gender issues and women are involved in every aspect of human experience.

Career/Professional Opportunities

Career opportunities include human resources, training and development, healthcare, counseling, case management, administration, community relations, education, writing, public policy, intelligence, government relations and more.

About Us

Besides featuring an introductory course focusing on women's studies, the program draws from a variety of other disciplines. These include Alaska Native studies, anthropology, communication, education, English, foreign languages, history, journalism, justice, linguistics, literature, music, philosophy, political science, psychology, social work, sociology and other disciplines.

Program Highlights

- *The program is interdisciplinary, which means that you will study from instructors with very diverse backgrounds and specialties.*
- *Scholarships are available.*

Sample Classes

- *History of Women in America*
- *Language and Gender*
- *Sociology of Gender*
- *The History of Sexuality*
- *Human Sexualities Across Cultures*
- *Women's Literature*
- *Gender and Crime*
- *Women and Politics*
- *Native North American Women*
- *Women's Issues in Social Welfare and Social Work Practice*
- *Gender and Communication*
- *Psychology of Women Across Cultures*
- *Feminist Philosophy*
- *Women, Minorities and the Media*
- *Women in Music History*

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Refer to the academic catalog for complete degree requirements on the women's studies minor. The minimum credit requirement for the women's studies minor is 15 credits.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Review the admission requirements at www.uaf.edu/admissions/.
2. Click the "apply now" link for directions on the application process or proceed directly to the online application for admission through UAOnline at <http://uaonline.alaska.edu>.
3. Once on UAOnline select "Apply for Admission or Check on Status of Application" and follow the directions on the screen.