

**Curriculum Change Form**  
**(Present only one proposed curriculum change per form)**  
**(Complete only the section(s) applicable.)**

**Part I**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> (Check one)                       | Department Name   | Women's Studies   |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Course (Parts II, IV)         | College/Division  | Planning & Assessment                                       |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision (Parts II, IV)    | *Course Prefix & Number                                 |   |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Course Dropped (Part II)          | *Course Title (30 characters)                           |   |  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Program (Part III) | *Program Title  | Certificate In Women's Studies                              |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program Revision (Part III)       |   | (Major ____, Option ____, Minor ____, or Certificate __x__) |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program Suspended (Part III)      | *Provide only the information relevant to the proposal. |   |  |

  

| Proposal Approved by:        | Date       |   | Date     |
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| Departmental Committee       | 09/17/2002 | Graduate Council*   | NA       |
| College Curriculum Committee | NA         | Council on Academic Affairs   |          |
| General Education Committee* | NA         | Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Disapproved <input type="checkbox"/> | 11-21-02 |
| Teacher Education Committee* | NA         | Faculty Senate**  |          |
|                              |            | Board of Regents**  |          |
|                              |            | Council on Postsecondary Edu.***  |          |

\*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.)  
 \*\*Approval needed for new, revised, or suspended programs  
 \*\*\*Approval/Posting needed for new degree program or certificate program

**Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)**

**A. 1. Specific action requested:** (Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)  
 Add a 12-hour certificate in Women's Studies

**A. 2. Effective date:** (Example: Fall 2001)  
 Fall 2003

**A. 3. Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students:** (if applicable)  
 N/A

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**B. The justification for this action:** Currently, students who take significant coursework in Women's Studies (including the core courses) but fail to complete 18 hours receive no recognition of this work. A substantial number of students complete the core courses and some electives, but not the minor. This group includes participants in the Women Involved in Living and Learning Program (WILL), who take 12 hours of coursework, in addition to participating in community service and Women's Studies related activities. Academic acknowledgement of the students' work in the area of Women's Studies is appropriate.

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**C. The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:**

**Personnel Impact:** None - all courses are currently offered for the Minor.

**Operating Expenses Impact:** None

**Equipment/Physical Facility Needs:** None

**Library Resources:** None

**Part II. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Dropped Course**

(For a **new required course**, complete a separate request for the appropriate program revisions.)

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. For a new course, provide the catalog text.</li><li>2. For a revised course, provide (a) the current catalog text and (b) the proposed text, reflecting the exact changes being proposed.</li><li>3. For a dropped course, provide the current catalog text.</li></ol> |
| Current Catalog Text  |
| New or Revised* Catalog Text<br>(*Use <del>strikeout</del> for deletions and <u>underlines</u> for additions. Also include Crs. Prefix, No., and description, limited to 35 words.)   |
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**Part III. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Suspended Program**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. For a new program, provide the catalog description as being proposed.</li><li>2. For a revised program, provide (a) the current program requirements and (b) the revised program, reflecting the exact changes being proposed.</li><li>3. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program's suspension.</li></ol>   |
| Current Program Requirements as Shown in Catalog   |
| New or Revised* Program<br>(*Use <del>strikeout</del> for deletions and <u>underlines</u> for additions.)  |
| Women's Studies, Certificate<br><br>A student may complete a certificate in Women's Studies by taking 12 hours as indicated below.<br><br>Core Courses: 6 hours<br><br>WMS 201; WMS 400<br><br>Elective Courses: 6 hours<br><br>Six Credit Hours from any of the following courses:<br><br>ADM 310, ANT 435 (Topic: India), ANT/SOC 399, CDF 132, CDF 232(or HEA 592), CDF 331, CRJ 305, CRJ 345, CSC 490 (Topic: Seminar in Computer Science: Women and Technology), ENG 301(Topic: Women, Writing and the Internet), ENG 308, ENG 340, ENG 535, ENG 540(Topic: Women in Detective Fiction); ENG 550 (Topic: Scribbling Women), ENG 570(Topic: Jane Austen and Charlotte Bronte), HEA 591, HEA 592 (or CDF 232), HIS 300 (Topics Relating to Women and Gender), HIS 303, HON 312 (Topic: Culture and Child Development), HON 312/316 (Topic: Biology and Gender), MAS 300, NAT 310 (Topic: Women and Science), PHI 390(Topic: Platonic Perspectives), POL 446, PSY 397 (Topic: Cultural Diversity), PSY 420, SPE 400, WMS 349, WMS 495. |