Advising Sheet for New Curriculum
(New curriculum begins with the Class of 2022)

Student Name:
WGSS Advisor Name:

WGSS Requirements
Credit hours: 27 credits needed, 21 of which must be at 300-level or above (majors can only count 2 classes at the 100 or 200 level).

Other Considerations for WGSS Credit
- Classes that count toward the major should be registered under WGSS (L77).
- Only one WGSS 100- or 200-level class may double count towards another major. No 300-level classes or above can double count.
- Only one class may be counted toward two WGSS requirements. So a 400-level may count toward the 400-level and history, or 400-level and theory, but not for a 400-level, history and theory.
- No class can triple count (i.e., fulfill three WGSS requirements).
- Students may transfer up to 9 credit hours from study abroad if the courses are related to Women, Gender and Sexuality Studies.
- No credits may double-count for a minor.
- Pass/fail credits may not count toward the major, even WGSS Internships.
- To count for major credit, the student must earn a C- or above.

Students must complete one class in each of the categories below

__________ 100-Level Intro class - L77 100B Intro to Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies

__________ One Theory class (chosen from one of the following)
(This requirement must be fulfilled at Washington University)
  WGSS 3013 On Love and Intimacy: Theorizing Kinship in the Multiple
  WGSS 3031 Queer Theory
  WGSS 3203 Bodies Out of Bounds: Feminist and Queer Disability Studies
  WGSS 335 Feminist Theory
  WGSS 406 Queering Theory
  WGSS 416 The Politics of Pleasure
  WGSS 419 Feminist Literary and Cultural42 Theory
  WGSS 420 Contemporary Feminisms
  WGSS 4012 Advanced Queer Theory: The Intimacy of Precarity OR
  Advanced Queer Theory: Queer Negativity, Queer Biopolitics
  WGSS 4013 Queer of Color: Critique Sense and Sexuality
  WGSS 421 From Mammy to the Welfare Queen: African American Women Theorize Identity
  WGSS 429 Feminist Political Theory
  WGSS 475 Reformers and Radicals: Feminist Thinking through History
  (prior: Intellectual History of Feminisms)

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One **Research Methods or Service Learning** class***
(This requirement must be fulfilled at Washington University)

- WGSS 3132 Service Learning: Girls' Studies
- WGSS 3133 Service Learning: Feminist and Queer Youth Studies
- WGSS 3171 Service Learning: Women in Prison
- WGSS 3173 Service Learning: Documenting the Queer Past in St. Louis
- WGSS 3942 Service Learning: Projects in Domestic Violence
- WGSS 417W Feminist Research Methodologies

***All thesis students must take Feminist Research Methods

Two **400-Level classes or Honors Thesis***
(This requirement must be fulfilled at Washington University)

Class of 2022 and forward - There will be the requirement of two 400 level classes or honors thesis. All majors before the Class of 2022 will require only one 400-level class. Beginning with the Class of 2022: One of the 3 credit classes must be a home-based WGSS class; the second may be either home-based or cross-listed. (Note: some 400 level classes will also fulfill the theory requirement)

*One 400-level course may also be counted toward other course requirements.

One **course that explores gender, sex or sexuality in historical context or studies the history of these categories** (courses used to fulfill this requirement must be listed under WGSS)

- WGSS 2118 Freshman Seminar: Women in Modern Latin America
- WGSS 240 Not Members of this Club: Women and Slaves in the Greco-Roman World
- WGSS 3002 Feminist Fire! Radical Black Women in the 20th Century
- WGSS 3003 Writing Intensive in Ancient Studies: Helen of Troy in Greece and Rome
- WGSS 3041 Making Sex and Gender
- WGSS 301U Historical Methods – US History (Friedman)
- WGSS 310 History of Women’s Health Care in America
- WGSS 3101 Intellectual History of Sex and Gender
- WGSS 3121 Girls Fiction: From Little Goody Two Shoes to Nancy Drew
- WGSS 313A Dreams
- WGSS 3132 Service Learning: Girls' Studies
- WGSS 3152 Women in Classical Antiquity

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One course that considers gender and ethnicity or gender and race or gender in a global context (courses used to fulfill this requirement must be listed under WGSS)

WGSS 2118 Freshman Seminar: Women in Modern Latin America
WGSS 2231 Cross-Cultural Women Playwrights
WGSS 3002 Feminist Fire! Radical Black Women in the 20th Century  
WGSS 301A The Politics of Kanye: Black Genius and Sonic Aesthetics  
WGSS 3014 Queering Citizenship  
WGSS 312 Globalization and Gender  
WGSS 3201 Gender, Culture and Madness  
WGSS 3205 Women in Music  
WGSS 3206 Global Gender Issues  
WGSS 3255 Deconstructing Black Masculinities  
WGSS 3323 Women and Islam  
WGSS 340 Israeli Women Writers  
WGSS 3416 War, Genocide and Gender in Modern Europe  
WGSS 3508 Female Writers of the Hispanic Caribbean  
WGSS 3548 Gender, Sexuality and Communism in 20th Century Europe  
WGSS 3551 Gender in Korean Film and Literature  
WGSS 357B Gender and Politics in Global Perspective  
WGSS 358C Literature in Translation: Women's Writing  
WGSS 359C Women in Modern European History  
WGSS 3560 Black Women Writers  
WGSS 360A The Traffic in Women and European Cinema  
WGSS 363 Neither Man Nor Woman: Transgender Ethnographies in Global Context  
WGSS 364 Gender, War, and Migration  
WGSS 3754 19th/20th Century African-American Women  
WGSS 3820 Writing Women of Imperial China  
WGSS 383 Topics in Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies: Spectacular Blackness, Race, Gender & Visual Culture  
WGSS 38A8 Women, Men, and Gender in Africa  
WGSS 3884 Regulating Reproduction (offered Fall 2016 only)  
WGSS 395C Imperialism and Sexuality: India, South Asia, and the World  
WGSS 401A Transnational Queer Activism  
WGSS 402 Transnational Reproductive Health Issues  
WGSS 409 Gender, Sexuality, and Change in Africa  
WGSS 4134The AIDS Epidemic  
WGSS 418C Gender & Sexuality in East Asian Religions  
WGSS 420 Contemporary Feminisms  
WGSS 4231 White American Masculinities  
WGSS 432 Italian Women Writers  
WGSS 436 Black Sexual Politics  
WGSS 437 Transnational Feminisms  
WGSS 445A Japanese Fiction: Images of Demonic Women  
WGSS 4494 Modern Japanese Writers  
WGSS 4675 Beyond the Harem  
WGSS 455 Topics in Korean Literature: Gender in Korean Literature  
WGSS 480 Gender and Sexuality in Buddhism  
WGSS 482 Women in the Chinese Literary Tradition  
WGSS 483 Gender and Genre  
WGSS 487A Discourse on Gender in 19th and 20th Century Spain  

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Students must fulfill all of the above categories to complete the major, but they will also need to take additional coursework to attain the required credit hours. Any of the above listed 300 and 400 level courses can be used toward the General Education Credits. Below is a list of some classes offered by WGSS that do not fit into any of the above requirements, but can be used toward the major.

General WGSS Education Credits:

- WGSS Freshman seminar: Sex and Gender in the Gutter: An Intro to Gender and Sexuality through Comics
- WGSS 205 Intro to Queer Studies
- WGSS 206 Sexuality and the State: Intro to Sexuality Studies
- WGSS 214C Intro to Women's Texts
- WGSS 2172 Focus: Women in Science
- WGSS 270 Women, Art, and Culture: From Early Modern to Contemporary
- WGSS 3012 Gender and Politics
- WGSS 303 Gender in Education
- WGSS 304 Sex, Gender and Popular Culture
- WGSS 3091 Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual Identity Development
- WGSS 308 Masculinities
- WGSS 316 Contemporary Women's Health
- WGSS 3211 American Religion and the Politics of Gender and Sexuality
- WGSS 3221 Girls' Media and Popular Culture
- WGSS 323A Sex Trafficking
- WGSS 3401 Performing Gender
- WGSS 3410 Gender and Society
- WGSS 343 Understanding the Evidence: Provocative Topics In Women's Health and Reproduction
- WGSS 3561 Law, Gender, and Justice
- WGSS 3666 Women and Film
- WGSS 360 Transgender Studies
- WGSS 393 Gender Violence
- WGSS 3943 Domestic Violence Court Projects (1 credit)
- WGSS 406A Sexual Health and the City: A Community Based Learning Course
- WGSS 4112 Body and Flesh: Theorizing Embodiment
- WGSS 425A Video Games, Gender, and Sexuality
- WGSS 433A Performing Gender & Sexuality in America
- WGSS 4363 Sex, Gender, and Power

Make sure to authorize each of your advisees or they won’t be able to register!

Other topics to discuss with your advisees:

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Study Abroad:
It is very important to bring up this option with newly declared WGSS majors. Try to discuss in each advising session with any first or second year students.

- We have 5 university-based programs: University of Cape Town, National University Singapore, University of Queensland, University of Sussex, Utrecht University.
- Kenya Semester Program with St. Lawrence University
- We have 4 SIT Programs:
  Peace and Conflict Studies in the Balkans
  Public Health, Policy Advocacy, and Community, Dehli, India
  Migration and Transnational Identity, Rabat, Morocco
  Health, Gender, and Community Development, Mali
  International Perspectives on Sexuality and Gender, The Netherlands
- We have one program at the Danish Institute for Study Abroad (DIS) in Copenhagen: Prostitution & the Sex Trade

For interested students, have them do the following:
- look at the WU abroad program website: http://www.artsci.wustl.edu/%7Eoverseas/index.html
- speak to the WGSS study abroad advisor, Barbara Baumgartner
- stop by the Abroad Office for more information (138 McMillan)

Deadlines:
For fall study abroad: February 1 (January 15 for SIT Programs)
For summer study abroad: February 15 (January 15 for SIT Programs)
For spring study abroad: May 1

Honors Thesis
Students who wish to write an honors thesis are required to take Feminist Research Methodologies, and you should encourage them to take this class during the fall semester of their junior year. During this class, they can work on a topic and a proposal. Honors thesis applications are due on April 1 of the student’s junior year. The earlier they think about a topic and a thesis advisor, the better! Information about the Honors Thesis (descriptions, deadlines, and application) is on the WGSS webpage.

Summer Opportunities
Please encourage interested students to apply for the Biggs Award.

Biggs Award
The Andrea Biggs Undergraduate Research Award is available to all undergraduate students who are interested in conducting original research projects in the area of gender studies over the summer. Amount of award: $4000. Deadline: April 1. Refer students to WGSS website and Barbara Baumgartner for details.