

RACE/GENDER STUDIES (MINOR)

This program was approved for students entering the university in the Summer 2025-Spring 2026 catalog year. For more information about catalog year, go to Catalog Year Information (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/university-wide-unit-specific-policies/catalog-year/>).

Minor in Race/Gender Studies

Unit: College of Arts and Sciences (AS) (<http://www.louisville.edu/a-s/>)

Departments: Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies (<http://www.louisville.edu/a-s/ws/>) and Pan-African Studies (<http://www.louisville.edu/a-s/pas/>)

Academic Plan Code(s): RGS_MINOR

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
WGST 201	Women In American Culture - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PAS 200	Introduction to Pan-African Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
WGST 347/ PAS 364	Racism and Sexism - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
Select two of the following: ¹		6
WGST/PAS/ PHIL 207	Diverse Perspectives in Philosophy - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST/PAS 342	Black Women Novelists - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 343/ PAS 392/SOC 392	Faces of Global Poverty - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST/PAS 344	Black Lesbian Lives	
WGST 346/ PAS 385	Women in Africa: Historical and Literary Perspectives	
WGST 348/ PAS 332	African-American Women - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

WGST 380/
PAS 350/
TA 363

African-American Women in Theatre - AH (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>), D1 (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>), WR (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/>)

WGST/PAS 410	Black Feminism in Action	
WGST/PAS/ HIST/SCHG 513	U.S. Social Justice Movements of the 20th Century	
WGST 543/ PAS 542	Black Women's Voices - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST/PAS 547	Language, Race, Class, and Gender	

Elective in Pan-African Studies at 300-level or above ²	3
Elective in Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies at 300-level or above ³	3

Minimum Total Hours **21**

At least three (3) semester hours of the requirements for a minor must be successfully completed while enrolled in the University of Louisville.

¹ Other courses may be substituted with advisor approval

² May not be cross-listed with Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies

³ May not be cross-listed with Pan-African Studies