

GENDER BASED VIOLENCE CERTIFICATE

Students pursuing a gender-based violence certificate may find it valuable for pursuing careers as victim advocates, policy analysts, Title IX coordinators, university investigators, or shelter workers. It may also inspire and position students competitively for future graduate work. Those in human resources, law, counseling, medicine (nurses, doctors, physical therapists, dentists) all engage with victim/survivors and could benefit from a certificate in gender-based violence.

Requirements

To receive a certificate in gender-based violence, students must complete 12 credits of work from an established list of eligible courses. Students may petition the Program Director to request a course not listed below be counted as an elective course towards the certificate.

Course ID	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
GESS 1900 or SOCI 1010	Sex, Power and Culture Sex in College	6-7
SPHU 3500 or POLC 4200 or HISU 6350	Public Health Approach to Sexual Violence The Politics of Rape History of Gender Based Violence in the United States	
Electives (two of the following) ¹		
AFRS 3200	Issues in African Studies (When taught with following title: "Sexual Politics in South Africa")	
COMM 3310	Comm for Feminism Activism	
HISU 2400	Women & Gender US Hist to 1865	
HISU 2410	Women & Gender Since 1861	
HISU 2500	Legal Hist US Gender Sex	
HISU 6260	New Directions in Womens Hist	
HISU 6350	History of Gender Based Violence in the United States	
MUSC 2164	Women Die in Opera	
POLC 4200	The Politics of Rape (If not used for Tier-2)	
POLI 4510	Women and War	
PSDV 3010	Special Projects (When taught with following title: "Gender and Development")	
PSDV 4300	Identity and Development (Women and Development in Africa)	
PSDV 4330	Post-Conflict Development	
SOWK 1000	Trauma! A Survey Course ²	
SOWK 2100	Family Trauma-A Survey Course ²	
SOWK 2510	Making Meaning of Trauma ²	
SPHU 3500	Public Health Approach to Sexual Violence (If not used for Tier 2)	
THEA 4420	Theatre as a Preventative Tool to Address Toxicity and Promote Social Change on Campus	
Total Credit Hours		12-13

¹ Additional Special Topics courses that will apply to the minor will be published on the department website each semester.

² Newcomb-Tulane College students may only apply a total of 9 credit hours from schools outside Newcomb-Tulane College to their degree program.

Contact

For more information, contact the School of Liberal Arts (<https://liberalarts.tulane.edu/academics/undergraduate-studies/undergraduate-certificate-gender-based-violence/>).