



# Social Justice Studies: Women, Gender and LGBTQ Studies AA-T Degree

The AA-T in Social Justice Studies: Women, Gender, and LGBTQ Studies provides a path for students wishing to transfer into various CSU majors related to Women, Gender, and LGBTQ Studies, such as Women's Studies, Gender Studies, or Queer Studies. This AA-T curriculum is an "Area of Emphasis" (AOE), which allows students to transfer into more than one CSU major related to Women, Gender, and LGBTQ Studies. Studies interested in transferring to a CSU campus to pursue a bachelor's degree in an AOE should meet with a counselor to confirm the courses required for lower division preparation in the major. This degree exposes students to the core principles and practices of the Social Justice Studies field to build a foundation for their future personal, academic, activist, or vocational paths.

**Total Units: 61-62**

## First Year

### Semester 1

**15-16 Units**

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>SJS 300</b> Introduction to Social Justice Studies <b>or</b>	3	Advisory: ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule for offering	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>SJS 310</b> Introduction to LGBTQ Studies <b>or</b>	3		Check Class Schedule for offering	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>SOC 341</b> Sex and Gender in the U.S.	3		F(O), S(O), Su(O)	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>PSYC 330<sup>1</sup></b> Introductory Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences <b>or</b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 2
<b>STAT C1000E</b> Introduction to Probability and Statistics <b>or</b>	4		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 2
<b>STAT C1000H</b> Introduction to Probability and Statistics - Honors <b>or</b>	4		Check Class Schedule for offering	Cal-GETC Area 2
<b>ECON 310</b> Statistics for Business and Economics	3		F, S	Cal-GETC Area 2
<b>CalGETC Area 1A-English Composition</b>	3	Recommend meeting with a counselor	F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 1A
<b>CalGETC Area 3B-Humanities<sup>2</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 3B
<b>Any Transferable Elective<sup>3</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	

<sup>1</sup> Recommended course.

<sup>2</sup> Suggestion-select an Area 3B course from List A.

## Career Options/Outlook:

The degree gives students a pathway to possibilities, options and baccalaureate degree focusing on social justice. Students with a bachelor's degree or higher often assume careers as (or in) the following: activists, community organizers, political campaigners, human rights groups, religious organizations, international agencies, lobbyists and mediators. This is also an excellent starting point for students interested in a career in law, law enforcement, social work, clinical psychology, or any social science, politics, business, education, or public policy. **Career opportunities require more than an associate's degree.**

## Honors option:

The CRC Honors Program is designed specifically for academically accomplished students and for students with the potential for high achievement. Students who complete 15 units or more in honors-designated courses will earn special recognition as an Honors Scholar, a distinction that may entitle the student to guaranteed transfer and scholarship opportunities at select transfer colleges and universities.

## Transfer notes:

Please meet with a counselor for specific transfer course evaluation or transferring to a specific 4-year institution.

<sup>3</sup> Suggestion-a course from List A. Units needed to total 60 units for graduation. Refer to [Course Number](#) for the appropriate course level necessary for the degree.

## Semester 2

15 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>SJS 300</b> <sup>1</sup> Introduction to Social Justice Studies <b>or</b>	3	Advisory: ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule for offering	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>SJS 310</b> <sup>1</sup> Introduction to LGBTQ Studies <b>or</b>	3		Check Class Schedule for offering	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>SOC 341</b> <sup>1</sup> Sex and Gender in the U.S.	3		F(O), S(O), Su(O)	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>CalGETC Area 1B-Critical Thinking</b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 1B
<b>CalGETC Area 5A-Physical Science</b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 5A
<b>CalGETC Area 6-Ethnic Studies</b> <sup>2</sup>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 6
<b>Any Transferable Elective</b> <sup>3</sup>	3		F, S, Su	

<sup>1</sup> Select a course not already taken in the previous semester. A total of 6 units from 2 disciplines is required to meet IGETC Area 4.

<sup>2</sup> Suggestion-select an Area 6 course from List A.

<sup>3</sup> Select the unit(s) needed to total 60 units for graduation. Refer to [Course Number](#) for the appropriate course level necessary for the degree.

## General Education (GE):

Non-specified GE courses identified by CRC or Cal-GETC Area without pre- or co-requisites can be taken at any semester.

## About this program map:

This program map represents one possible pathway to complete the program. Please see a counselor to create an education plan customized to meet your needs. This map is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

## Zero Textbook Costs (ZTC):

The Zero Textbook Costs designation and logo are added to any course that provides free access to all required instructional materials. These are typically shared with students through Canvas. Courses that are designated as ZTC may still require students to purchase supplemental materials such as lab coats, a calculator, art supplies, etc. See full definitions and searching tips on the [Zero Textbook Costs](#) page of the college website.

## Year 2

## Semester 3

16 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>SJS 300</b> Introduction to Social Justice Studies <b>or</b>	3	Advisory: ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>SJS 310</b> Introduction to LGBTQ Studies <b>or</b>	3		Check Class Schedule	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>SOC 341</b> Sex and Gender in the U.S.	3		F(O), S(O), Su(O)	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>3 units from List A</b>	3	See List A	See List A	
<b>CalGETC Area 5B-Biological Science</b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 5B
<b>CalGETC Area 5C-Biol Science Lab</b>	1		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 5C
<b>Any Transferable Elective</b> <sup>1</sup>	3		F, S, Su	
<b>Any Transferable Elective</b> <sup>1</sup>	3		F, S, Su	

<sup>1</sup> Units needed to total 60 units for graduation. Refer to [Course Number](#) for the appropriate course level necessary for the degree.

## Semester 4

15 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>3 units from List A</b>	3	See List A	F, S, Su	
<b>CalGETC Area 1C- Oral Communication</b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 1C
<b>CalGETC Area 3A- Arts<sup>1</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 3A
<b>Any Transferable Elective<sup>2</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	
<b>Any Transferable Elective<sup>2</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	

<sup>^</sup>You must have passed the prerequisite course(s) with a "C" or better; Corequisite must be taken during the same semester; Advisory means it is recommended but not required to enroll in the course.

\*(O) = online available (P) = partially online

<sup>1</sup> Suggestion-select an Area 3A course from List A.

<sup>2</sup> Units needed to total 60 units for graduation. Refer to [Course Number](#) for the appropriate course level necessary for the degree.

## List A-a minimum of 9 units from at least 2 disciplines

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>Area 1: History &amp; Government</b>	0			
<b>HIST 331</b> Women in American History	3	Advisory: ENGL C1000	Social Justice Studies-Race & Ethnicity- California State University GE Breadth	
<b>Area 2: Arts &amp; Humanities</b>	0			
<b>ARTH 312</b> Women in Art	3		S	
<b>ENGLT 360</b> Women in Literature	3	Eligible for ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>ENGLT 365</b> Introduction to Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Literature	3	Advisory: ANTH 300 or 310 and Advisory: Eligibility for ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>HUM 339</b> African American Humanities	3		Social Justice Studies-Race & Ethnicity- California State University GE Breadth	
<b>Area 3: Social Science</b>	0			

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>ANTH 336</b> Anthropology of Sex, Sexuality and Gender	3	Advisory: ANTH 300 or ANTH 310 and Eligible for ENGL C1000	Social Justice Studies-Race & Ethnicity-California State University GE Breadth	
<b>PSYC 356</b> Human Sexuality	3		Social Justice Studies-Race & Ethnicity-California State University GE Breadth	
<b>Area 4: Quantitative Reasoning &amp; Research Methods</b>	0			
<b>PSYC 330<sup>1</sup></b> Introductory Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences <b>or</b>	3		F, S	
<b>STAT C1000E<sup>1</sup></b> Introduction to Probability and Statistics <b>or</b>	4		F, S, Su	
<b>STAT C1000H<sup>1</sup></b> Introduction to Probability and Statistics - Honors <b>or</b>	4		Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>ECON 310<sup>1</sup></b> Statistics for Business and Economics <b>or</b>	3		F, S	
<b>SOC 302</b> Introduction to Social Research Methods	3	SOC 300; Advisory: ENGL C1000 & STAT 300	Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>Area 5: Major Preparation</b>	0			
<b>HIST 308</b> History of World Civilizations, 1500 to Present	3	Advisory: ENGL C 1000	S	
<b>PSYC C1000</b> General Principles	3	Advisory: ENGRD 310, ENGRD 312, ENGL C100 or equivalent	F, S, Su	
<b>SOC 300</b> Introductory Sociology	3		F(O), S(O), Su(O)	

<sup>1</sup> Planned for Semester 1.