



# Interdisciplinary Studies, Women's Studies A.A. Degree - CalGETC

This program is designed for both men and women, focusing on women and their: achievements; behavior, feelings and experience; historical significance; cultural & social contribution; roles in society & the political system; literary significance; and position in the business world.

**Total Units: 61**

## First Year

### Semester 1

**15 Units**

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>PSYC 356</b> Human Sexuality	3		F, S(O), Su	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>HIST 331</b> Women in American History	3	Advisory: ENGL C1000	F, S	Cal-GETC Area 4
<b>3 units from List A</b>	3	See List A	See List A	
<b>CalGETC Area 1A-English Composition</b>	3	Recommend meeting with a counselor	F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 1A
<b>CalGETC Area 2-Math Concepts &amp; Quantitative Reasoning</b>	3	Recommend meeting with a counselor	F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 2

### Semester 2

**15 Units**

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS <sup>^</sup>	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>ENGLT 360</b> Women in Literature	3	Eligible for ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule for offering	Cal-GETC Area 3B
<b>3 units from List A</b>	3	See List A	See List A	
<b>CalGETC Area 3A-Arts</b>	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 3A
<b>Elective<sup>1</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	
<b>Elective<sup>1</sup></b>	3		F, S, Su	

<sup>1</sup> Suggestion-consider eligible courses from List A. Units needed to total 60 units for graduation. Refer to Course Number for the appropriate course level necessary for the degree.

## Year 2

### Semester 3

**15 Units**

## Career

### Options/Outlook:

An advanced degree in Women's Studies can lead to a variety of different careers such as research, law, attorney, social worker, employment counselor, and others. Equal Opportunity Representatives & Officers monitor and evaluate compliance with equal opportunity laws, guidelines, and policies to ensure that employment practices and contracting arrangements give equal opportunity without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. **Career opportunities require more than an associate degree.**

### A sample of reported job titles:

Affirmative Action Officer (AA Officer), Civil Rights Investigator, Civil Rights Representative, Complaint Investigations Officer, Equal Employment Opportunity Officer (EEO Officer), Equal Employment Opportunity Representative (EEO Representative), Equal Opportunity Commission Investigator (EOC Investigator), Equal Opportunity Director, Equal Opportunity Specialist, Field Representative

### Projected job openings in California (2018-2028):

4,130

### Projected growth in California (2018-

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Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		F, S, Su	
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CalGETC Area 1C- Oral Communication	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 1C
CalGETC Area 5A- Physical Sciences	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 5A
CalGETC Area 6- Ethnic Studies	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 6

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## Semester 4

16 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		F, S, Su	
Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		F, S, Su	
Elective <sup>1</sup>	3		F, S, Su	
CalGETC Area 1B- Critical Thinking & Composition	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 1B
CalGETC Area 5B- Biological Sciences	3		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 5B
CalGETC Area 5C- Lab	1		F, S, Su	Cal-GETC Area 5C

^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-consider eligible courses from List A. 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 12 units from the following (with no more than 1 course from each discipline):

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>ANTH 334</b> Native Peoples of North America	3		Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>BUS 300</b> Introduction to Business	3		F(O,P), S(O), Su(O)	
<b>ENGLT 310</b> English Literature I or	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	F	
<b>ENGLT 311</b> English Literature II or	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	S	
<b>ENGLT 320</b> American Literature I or	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	F	

2028):

Average (+9%)

## Median Salary in California (2021):

Median wage with advanced degree:  
\$80,330/yr

## Source:

<https://www.onetonline.org/link/summary/13-1041.03>

## Transfer notes:

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

## 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.

## 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.

## About this map:

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

availability or financial aid applicability.

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>ENGLT 321</b> American Literature II <b>or</b>	3	ENGL C1000	S	
<b>ENGLT 330</b> African American Literature <b>or</b>	3		Su	
<b>ENGLT 340</b> World Literature I <b>or</b>	3	Eligibility for ENGL C1000	S	
<b>ENGLT 341</b> World Literature II	3	ENGL C1000	Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>HIST 314</b> Recent United States History <b>or</b>	3	ENGL C1000	F, S	
<b>HIST 320</b> History of the United States: African-American Emphasis <b>or</b>	3	ENGL C1000	F, S	
<b>HIST 321</b> History of the United States: African-American Emphasis <b>or</b>	3	ENGL C1000	F, S	
<b>HIST 331</b> Women in American History	3	ENGL C1000	F, S	
<b>HUM 332</b> American Humanities	3		F, S	
<b>PHIL 310</b> Introduction to Ethics <b>or</b>	3		F, S	
<b>PHIL 320</b> Logic and Critical Reasoning <b>or</b>	3		F	
<b>PHIL 338</b> Contemporary Philosophy	3		Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>POLS C1000</b> Introduction to Government: United States	3		F(O), S(O), Su	
<b>PSYC 356</b> Human Sexuality	3		Check Class Schedule for offering	
<b>SOC 300</b> Introductory Sociology <b>or</b>	3		F(O), S(O), Su(O)	
<b>SOC 301</b> Social Problems <b>or</b>	3		F(O), S(O), Su(O)	
<b>SOC 321</b> Race, Ethnicity and Inequality in the United States	3		F, S, Su	

## 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.