

# **Graduate Feminist Emphasis (GFE)**

The Department of Women's Studies at U.C. Irvine offers a Graduate Feminist Emphasis (GFE) for students who are enrolled in PhD or Masters degree programs across the campus. The GFE provides advanced interdisciplinary training in Feminist Studies and an opportunity to become part of a network of feminist scholars at UCI and beyond.

Participating units include Anthropology, Comparative Literature, Drama, East Asian Languages and Literatures, English, French and Italian, German, History, Information and Computer Sciences, Philosophy, Political Science, Social Ecology, Sociology, Spanish and Portuguese, Studio Art, and Visual Studies. All GFE students are required to take four courses in Feminist Studies: two core courses, Women's Studies 200A-B, a coherent sequence normally taken in consecutive quarters; and two additional graduate seminars offered by participating units, which have been approved by the Graduate Director of Women's Studies.

Students are advised to apply early in their academic career in order to best integrate the Feminist Emphasis in their plan of study. To begin the application process, students must successfully complete either Women's Studies 200A (offered in Winter) or Women's Studies 200B (offered in Spring).

The criteria for admission are

- 1) evidence that the applicant's research interests relate to Feminist Studies,
- 2) evidence of previous courses that relate to Feminist Studies; and
- 3) evidence of research, teaching, or other experience related to Feminist Studies.

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### **University of California, Irvine**

For more information, please visit our website:

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