## B.A. in Feminist Studies

***Students graduating with a B.A. in Feminist Studies should be able to:***

*Discipline-specific knowledge*

* Distinguish different forms of feminisms and feminist theories.
* Explain the ways various social factors (such as sex, gender, race/ethnicity, sexuality, class, nationality, disability) shape individual identity, social position, and power relations.
* Define key terms, including gender, sexuality, social constructionism, intersectionality.
* Use feminist perspectives to analyze contemporary global, economic, political, cultural, and social issues.

*Research skills*

* Distinguish appropriate methods to address different research questions.
* Produce an original research proposal or paper.
* Use the library and online resources to identify and locate information.

*Critical thinking skills*

* Distinguish different disciplinary and interdisciplinary approaches to questions and issues in the field of Feminist Studies.
* Identify and summarize an author’s argument.
* Evaluate the use of evidence to support an argument.
* Identify points of agreement and disagreement among conflicting interpretations.
* Use evidence to support an argument.
* Develop an analysis that incorporates appropriate evidence.

*Presentation skills*

* Produce written or visual artifacts in a variety of genres.
* Present information in lucid, grammatically correct prose.
* Organize an analytical essay that sustains an argument.