

SOCIAL WORK (NON-THESIS): GENDER AND WOMEN'S STUDIES (M.S.W.) (45 CREDITS)

Gender and Women's Studies by an MSW adviser in the School of Social Work.

AND 15 credits of 500- or 600-level courses selected from the School of Social Work.

Offered by: Social Work (Faculty of Arts)

Degree: Master of Social Work

Program credit weight: 45

Program Description

The Graduate Option in Gender and Women's Studies is an interdisciplinary program for students who meet degree requirements in Social Work and who wish to take 6 credits of approved coursework to focus on gender, sexuality, feminist, and women's studies and issues in feminist research and methods.

Note: For information about Fall 2025 and Winter 2026 course offerings, please check back on May 8, 2025. Until then, the "Terms offered" field will appear blank for most courses while the class schedule is being finalized.

Required Courses (27 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
SWRK 527	Advanced Social Work Practice in Quebec.	3
SWRK 605	Anti-Racist Social Work Practice.	3
SWRK 653	Research for Social Justice.	3
SWRK 664	Intensive Advanced Field Placement.	12
SWRK 665	Advanced Field Seminar.	3
WMST 601	Feminist Theories and Methods.	3

NOTE:

While not a prerequisite for admission, possession of a working knowledge of the French language is important not only to candidates who intend to seek admission to the Quebec professional order after graduation, but also to those who wish to maximize their field placement opportunities during their program. In consultation with the Field Education Coordinator, students may have the option of completing their field requirements at an approved social service agency outside of Quebec.

Complementary Courses (18 credits)

3 credits from the following:

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Course	Title	Credits
WMST 602	Feminist Research Symposium.	3

OR, 3 credits of WMST at the 500 or 600 level;

OR, 3 credits of 500- or 600-level courses in another department or discipline approved as a complementary course to the Option in