

UMBC UGC Program Changes & Other Request: Critical Sexuality Studies minor

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Specifics (see instructions):

Current elective requirements for CSST:

Students must complete nine credits of elective courses, selected from the following list.

Any of these courses can be used to fulfill the elective requirement:

[GWST 255 - Intercultural Paris](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 315 - Modern Masculinities](#) (3.00)

[GWST 321 - Queer Representation in Film and TV](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 344 - Transnational Femininities](#) (3.00)

[GWST 345 - Unruly Bodies](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 348 - Black, Queer, and Feminist Film](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 349 - Gender, Sexuality and Theatrical Performance.](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 366 - Doing It: Case Studies in the History of Western Sexuality](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 381 - Sexuality and Reproduction in the U.S.](#) (3.00)

[GWST 383 - History and Politics of Sexuality](#) (3.00) (RoE)

[GWST 413 - Language, Gender and Sexuality](#) (3.00) (RoE)

But, only one of these courses can be used to fulfill the elective requirement:

[GWST 332 - Human Sexuality in Sociological Perspectives](#) (3.00)

[GWST 333 - Human Sexuality in Cross-Cultural Perspective](#) (3.00)

[GWST 356 - The Psychology of Sex and Gender](#) (3.00)

[GWST 444 - Psychology of Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity](#) (3.00)

Proposed elective requirements for CSST (addition highlighted):

Students must complete nine credits of elective courses, selected from the following list.

Any of these courses can be used to fulfill the elective requirement:

[GWST 220 - Introduction to Transgender Studies](#)

[GWST 255 - Intercultural Paris](#) (3.00) (RoE)

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[GWST 321 - Queer Representation in Film and TV](#) (3.00) (RoE)

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Rationale (see instructions):

The change above is simply the addition of GWST220: Introduction to Transgender Studies to the list of elective courses for the Critical Sexuality Studies minor. This is a newly developed course that was developed specifically to augment current elective offerings in Critical Sexuality Studies. The course content is relevant to the minor and the minor's goals, and the course is the only one of its kind at UMBC.

We would like to make this change so that current and future CSST students might have this elective reflected in their degree audit.