

**NorthWest Arkansas Community College**  
**Division of Communication and Arts**  
**International Languages Department**

**Course Number and Title**

HUMN 2003H, Introduction to Gender Studies, Honors

**Catalog Description**

Introduction to Gender Studies Honors will explore cultural constructions of gender and sexuality using a variety of media, including, but not limited to, literature, film, and architecture. This is an honors course. There will be a capstone project. Please refer to the NWACC Honors Program section in the current catalog for more information.

**Prerequisites**

ENGL 1013 or ENGL 1013H with a B or better.

**Credit hours/Contact hours/Load hours**

3 hours credit/contact/load

**Target Audience/Transferability**

Satisfies state minimum core Humanities requirement.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

Students will:

- Demonstrate an introductory understanding of the field of gender, race, class, and sexuality.
- Utilize a range of interdisciplinary tools and methods for understanding and analyzing gender, race, class, and sexuality in culture.
- Cultivate a language framework for thoughtfully articulating the critical vocabulary in the field of gender, race, class, and sexuality.
- Improve reading and writing skills through effective synthesis of written material, and subsequently, the ability to convey course concepts in a concise and clear manner both verbally and in writing.

**Topics**

- Gender Studies
- Gender
- Sexuality
- The Role of gender studies in Society
- Visual Art
- Literature
- Music
- Drama
- Film
- Architecture

**Forms of assessment**

- Class discussions
- Informal and formal compositions
- Presentation