

What Will You Do With a Degree in Women Studies?

Employers and graduate schools seek out students trained in the interdisciplinary field of Women Studies. Your B.A. in Women Studies will indicate that you have excellent writing, critical thinking, and leadership skills as well as experience applying analyses of gender and other factors of identity to local, national, and global issues. Our recent graduates have moved on to:

- Careers in women's health, health education and advocacy; counseling work with women, girls, LGBTQ youth, and boys and men at risk of committing acts of violence; anger management and diversity sensitivity training in prisons, schools, and other institutions.
- Work with New Mexico employers that value experience with issues affecting women, sexual minorities, children and families (law firms, small businesses, schools, NGOs).
- Public policy research and analysis; private sector careers in workplace policy consultancy.
- Law, medical, and business schools; graduate work in fields focusing on women, gender studies, and/ or queer theory.

For specifics on these and other career possibilities opened up by a degree in Women Studies, or for information on course offerings, please contact Dr. Kathryn Wichelns (wichelns@unm.edu).

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