

ORIGINAL COURSE IMPLEMENTATION DATE:

COURSE TO BE REVIEWED (six years after UEC approval):

October 2026

Course outline form version: 05/18/2018

OFFICIAL UNDERGRADUATE COURSE OUTLINE FORM

Note: The University reserves the right to amend course outlines as needed without notice.

Course Code and Number: GDS 260	Number of Cr	f Credits: 3 Course credit policy (105)					
Course Full Title: Gender and Global Develo	opment						
Course Short Title:							
(Transcripts only display 30 characters. Departments may recommend a short title if one is needed. If left blank, one will be assigned.)							
Faculty: Faculty of Social Sciences	I	Department (or program if no department): GDS					
Calendar Description:							
Explores the gendered nature of development Examines the evolution and debates related development practitioners to integrate gende focuses on the policies of development actors	to gender and r issues and c	l development, concerns into tl	as well as neir work i	s the diverse methods and	l approaches used by		
Prerequisites (or NONE):	None.						
Corequisites (if applicable, or NONE):	uisites (if applicable, or NONE):						
Pre/corequisites (if applicable, or NONE):							
Antirequisite Courses (Cannot be taken for	additional cre	ədit.)	Special	Special Topics (Double-click on boxes to select.)			
Former course code/number:			This course is offered with different topics:				
Cross-listed with:	\boxtimes No \square Yes (If yes, topic will be recorded w			e recorded when offered.)			
Dual-listed with:			Independent Study				
Equivalent course(s):			If offered as an Independent Study course, this course may				
(If offered in the previous five years, antirequisite course(s) will be included in the calendar description as a note that students with o for the antirequisite course(s) cannot take this course for further of			⊠ No	be repeated for further credit: (If yes, topic will be recorded.) ⊠ No □ Yes, repeat(s) □ Yes, no limit			
				er Credit			
Typical Structure of Instructional Hours			Transfer credit already exists: (See <u>bctransferguide.ca</u> .)				
Lecture/seminar hours		45					
Tutorials/workshops			Submit outline for (re)articulation:				
Supervised laboratory hours			Yes (If yes, fill in trans	fer credit form.)			
Experiential (field experience, practicum, int		Grading	g System				
Supervised online activities			🛛 Lette	er Grades 🛛 Credit/No (Credit		
Other contact hours:			Maximu	um enrolment (for inform	nation only): 36		
	Total hours	45		ed Frequency of Course			
Labs to be scheduled independent of lecture	hours: 🛛 No	o 🗌 Yes	-	y (Every semester, Fall or	-		
Department / Program Head or Director: S	stephen Piper			Date approved:	September 2020		
Faculty Council approval				Date approved:	September 18, 2020		
Dean/Associate VP: Jacqueline Nolte				Date approved:	September 18, 2020		
Campus-Wide Consultation (CWC)			Date of posting:	October 23, 2020			
Undergraduate Education Committee (UEC) approval				Date of meeting:	October 30, 2020		

Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Discuss the complexities of gender and development issues in several regions of the Global South.
- Critically analyze the evolution of key concepts, theories, and perspectives related to gender and development.
- Identify and explain the diverse contributions and roles of development actors in the gender and development sector.
- Develop skills in applying gender and development methods and approaches to the work of development organizations.
- Convey complex ideas in peer-based discussions and written assignments.

Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR)

Yes No, PLAR cannot be awarded for this course because

Typical Instructional Methods (*Guest lecturers, presentations, online instruction, field trips, etc.; may vary at department's discretion.*) This course will consist of lectures, presentations, and in-class group work.

NOTE: The following sections may vary by instructor. Please see course syllabus available from the instructor.

Typical Text(s) and Resource Materials (If more space is required, download Supplemental Texts and Resource Materials form.)						
	Author (surname, initials)	Title (article, book, journal, etc.)	Current ed.	Publisher	Year	
1.	Visvanathan, N., L. Duggan, N. Wiegersma, & L. Nisonoff	The Women, Gender, and Development Reader (2 nd edition)		Zed Books	2011	
2.	Global Affairs Canada	Feminist International Assistance Gender Equality Toolkit for Projects		Government of Canada	2017	
3.						
4.						
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Required Additional Supplies and Materials (Software, hardware, tools, specialized clothing, etc.)

Typical Evaluation Methods and Weighting

Final exam:	%	Assignments:	35%	Field experience:	%	Portfolio:	%
Midterm exam:	%	Research Paper:	35%	Practicum:	%	Presentation:	20%
Participation:	10%	Lab work:	%	Shop work:	%	Total:	100%

Details (if necessary):

Typical Course Content and Topics

Week 1: Introduction to study of gender and development

Week 2: Evolution of theories and concepts and debates

Week 3: Evolution of theories and concepts and debates, part 2

Week 4: Masculinities, engaging men and boys, and gender-transformative development

Week 5: Gender, poverty, and economy

Week 6: Gender and environment

Week 7: Gender, education, and health

Week 8: Gender, politics, governance, and conflict

Week 9: Gender and development agendas

Weeks 10-11: Group presentations and discussions

Week 12: Gender and development in practice

Week 13: Conclusions