

Major in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality (BA)

Simone de Beauvoir Institute, Concordia University

Student Name:		Student ID #:		Year Admitted:	
Select Program: ☐ 90-Credit B.A. Program ☐ 108-Credit B.A. Program ☐ 120-Credit B.A. Program		See reverse for breakdown of credit requirements for degree completion. Students completing an additional Major and/or Minor should consult with the program advisor in that unit.			
42 Credits for the Major				Credits	
18 credits from Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality Core	<i>12 credits</i>	SSDB 220 ³	Introduction Theories of Sexuality	/3	
		SSDB 275 ³	Introduction to Sexuality Research	/3	
		SSDB 390 ³	Sexuality Theory in Historical Perspectives	/3	
		SSDB 392 ³	Advanced Sexuality Theory	/3	
	<i>6 credits chosen from</i>	FASS 393 ³	Queer and Trans Studies and Culture	/3	
		FFAR 291 ³	HIV/AIDS in the 20th Century	/3	
		FFAR 292 ³	Cultural Studies and Creation in HIV/AIDS	/3	
6 credits from chosen from ONE of the following streams	<i>Stream I: Practicum 6 credits</i>	SSDB 425 ³	Ethics in Community Engagement	/3	
		SSDB 426 ³	Practicum	/3	
	<i>Stream II: Advanced Coursework 6 credits chosen from</i>	SSDB 428 ³	Independent Study	/3	
		SSDB 492 ³	Seminar in Advanced Topics in Sexuality	/3	
		SSDB 493 ³	Seminar in Advanced Topics in Sexuality II	/3	
18 additional credits	<i>18 credits chosen from the following courses, or other appropriate courses approved by the Institute</i>	AHSC 312 ³	Sexuality in Human Relations	/3	
		ANTH 375 ³	Social Construction of Sexualities	/3	
		/SOCI 375 ³			
		BIOL 200 ³	Fundamentals of Human Biology	/3	
		ENGL 393 ³	Gender and Sexuality in Literary Studies	/3	
		FASS 293 ³	Sexuality Representation in the Arts	/3	
		FASS 298 ³	Special Topics in Sexuality and the Arts	/3	
		FASS 393 ³	Queer and Trans Studies and Culture	/3	
		FFAR 291 ³	HIV/AIDS in the 20th Century	/3	
		FFAR 292 ³	Cultural Studies and Creation in HIV/AIDS	/3	
		FMST 391 ³	Sexual Representation in Cinema	/3	
		FMST 392 ³	Queer/Trans Film and Media History	/3	
		FMST 393 ³	Queer/Trans Film and Media Analysis	/3	
		HIST 346 ³	Sexuality in History	/3	
		RELI 380 ³	Religion and Sexuality	/3	
		SSDB 425 ³	Ethics in Community Engagement	/3	
		SSDB 428 ³	Independent Study	/3	
		SSDB 492 ³	Seminar in Advanced Topics in Sexuality I*	/3	
		SSDB 493 ³	Seminar in Advanced Topics in Sexuality II*	/3	
		WSDB 383 ³	Lesbian Issues and Realities	/3	
		WSDB 384 ³	Queer Feminism	/3	
		WSDB 385 ³	Introduction to Trans Studies	/3	
		WSDB 386 ³	Framing the Prostitute	/3	
		WSDB 401 ³	Ending Sexual Violence	/3	
		<i>Other courses approved by the Institute</i>			
		CODE	TITLE		
				/3	
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For students enrolled in 2024 and later

Important Notes:

- 1) Students cannot use the same course twice to complete degree requirements.
- 2) It is the student's responsibility to fulfill all program and degree requirements. Exceptional substitutions to these requirements must be approved via Student Request prior to graduation, and permission to register for a course does not constitute approval of a substitution.
- 3) To get permission to register for courses given in other departments, students must contact that department.

Additional Degree Requirements		Credits
6 Credits: General Education Requirements (see note below) <i>General Education Requirements in Humanities and/or Sciences, or from other Faculties at Concordia outside of the Faculty of Arts and Science</i>	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
24 Credits <i>Elective Courses (courses outside your program)</i>	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3

Additional Credits to Complete Degree		Credits
<i>based on number of credits in degree program</i>		
Complete the follow section for 90-Credit B.A. Program		
18 Credits For 90-Credit Degree B.A.	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
Additionally, complete the follow section for 108-Credit B.A. Program		
36 Credits For 108-Credit Degree B.A.	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
Additionally, complete the follow section for 120-Credit B.A. Program		
48 Credits For 120-Credit Degree B.A.	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3
	Course:	/3

General Education Requirement: A candidate for graduation must satisfy the Arts & Science General Education Requirement by successfully completing a minimum of 6 credits from course offerings outside the candidate's disciplinary sector. Sexuality is in the Social Sciences.

Gen Ed Options for Sexuality Majors

Humanities: Classics, Modern Languages and Linguistics; Communication Studies; English; Études françaises; History; Irish Studies; Journalism; Liberal Arts College; Philosophy; Theological Studies

Science: Biology; Chemistry/Biochemistry; Exercise Science; Mathematics and Statistics; Physics; Psychology; Science College

Other Faculties: John Molson School of Business, Faculty of Engineering and Computer Science, the Faculty of Fine Arts can also be used toward the General Education Requirement.

ESL courses or introductory English language courses are not considered as substitutions for this requirement.

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RELEVANT PREREQUISITES

FMST 391³ *Sexual Representation in Cinema*

Second-year standing* or 6 credits in the Major or Minor in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality. *66 or fewer credits remaining in degree program.

FMST 393³ *Queer Cinema II*

FMST 392 *Queer Cinema I*

SOCI 375³ *Social Constructions of Sexuality*

30 university credits and enrolment in the Major or Minor in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality.

SSDB 390³ *Sexuality Theory in Historical Perspectives*

30 university credits; SSDB 220 or SSDB 275; or permission of the Institute.

SSDB 392³ *Advanced Sexuality Theory*

30 university credits; SSDB 220 or SSDB 275 or permission of the Department.

SSDB 425³ *Ethics in Community Engagement*

30 university credits; enrolment in the Major or Minor in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality; or permission of the Institute is required.

SSDB 426³ *Practicum*

SSDB 425, 60 university credits, enrolment in the Major in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality, and permission of the Institute.

SSDB 428³ *Independent Study*

60 university credits, enrolment in the Major or Minor in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality, and permission of the Institute.

SSDB 492³ *Seminar in Advanced Topics in Sexuality I*

30 university credits; enrolment in the Major or Minor in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality; or permission of the Institute.

SSDB 493³ *Seminar in Advanced Topics in Sexuality II*

30 university credits; enrolment in the Major or Minor in Interdisciplinary Studies in Sexuality; or permission of the Institute.

WSDB 383³ *Lesbian Issues and Realities*

permission of the Institute

WSDB 384³ *Queer Feminism*

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WSDB 385³ *Introduction to Trans Studies*

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WSDB 386³ *Framing the Prostitute*

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WSDB 401³ *Ending Sexual Violence*

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