GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN GLOBAL GENDER POLICY

The graduate certificate in global gender policy allows students to gain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become world class leaders on gender equality issues in a multiplicity of roles. The program is designed for students interested in roles such as gender expert policymakers, advocates, practitioners, researchers, and change makers.

REQUIREMENTS

Visit the program website (http://elliott.gwu.edu/graduate-certificates/global-gender-policy) for additional program information.

The following requirements must be fulfilled: 15 credits, including one 3-credit core course and 12 credits in supporting courses. Up to 3 credits of skills courses may be applied to the supporting course requirements.

See notes regarding special topics and skills courses.*

### Core Requirement (3 credits):

IAFF 6102 Global Gender Policy

### Supporting Courses (12 credits)

- At least three courses from the following:
  - ANTH 6501 Gender and Sexuality
  - EDUC 6640 Selected Topics in International Education (Gender in International Education and Development)
  - IAFF 6118 Special Topics in International Affairs (Gender, War, and Peace)*

- IAFF 6136 Gender and Development

- IAFF 6138 Special Topics in International Development Studies (Care of Women and Children in Complex Emergencies)

- IAFF 6138 Special Topics in International Development Studies (Gender and Development)*

- IAFF 6138 Special Topics in International Development Studies (Gender, Disaster, and Development)*

- IAFF 6138 Special Topics in International Development Studies (Gender, Power, and Sexuality in East Asia)*

- IAFF 6138 Special Topics in International Development Studies (Human Trafficking)

- IAFF 6138 Special Topics in International Development Studies (Violence, Gender, and Humanitarian Assistance)*

- IAFF 6186 Special Topics in Security Policy Studies (Identity and CVE)

- LAW 6350 Domestic Violence Law

- LAW 6394 Sexuality and the Law

- LAW 6570 International Human Rights of Women

- LAW 6608 Feminist Legal Theory

- PUBH 6399 Topics in Health Policy (Reproductive Health Policy)

- SOC 6273 The Sex Industry

- WGSS 2135 A Study of Women and Media

- WGSS 6220 Fundamentals of Feminist Theory

- WGSS 6221 Research Issues in Women’s, Gender, and Sexuality Studies

- WGSS 6230 Global Feminisms

- WGSS 6238 Feminist Ethics and Policy Implications

- WGSS 6240 Gender and Public Policy

- WGSS 6241 Gender, Law, and Politics

- WGSS 6268 Race, Gender, and Class

- WGSS 6270 Seminar: Selected Topics **

### Recommended Skills Courses

Up to three credits from the following can be applied to supporting course requirements:

- IAFF 6502 Professional Skills I (Advocating for Women’s Rights)*

- IAFF 6502 Professional Skills I (Developing Effective Proposals)

- IAFF 6502 Professional Skills I (Negotiation Skills)

- IAFF 6502 Professional Skills I (Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation for Development)
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*These courses are directly affiliated with the Elliott School’s Gender Equality Initiative in International Affairs and are strongly recommended to be taken as part of students’ program of study.

**Only specific topics that are determined by the director to be relevant to the student’s program of study may be used to fulfill this requirement. Any topic intended to be used for this requirement must be approved by the director prior to enrollment. Specific subject matter covered in special/selected topics courses varies by semester. Consult the Schedule of Classes for each semester’s offerings. Topics courses not listed here may be used to fulfill program requirements if approved by the director. Additional information regarding skills courses (https://elliott.gwu.edu/professional-skills-courses) is available on the Elliott School website.