

INITIAL APPLICATION FOR GENDER STUDIES SENIOR CAPSTONE EXPERIENCE

This form should be completed by the student and submitted to their Gender Studies advisor by the fifth week of Spring term of your junior year.

Name of Student: _____ Date: _____

Name of Gender Studies Capstone Project Advisor(s): _____

During what term(s) will you complete your project? Fall Winter Spring

How will your project be completed (select one)?

- as an Independent Study
- as an Internship and Independent Study
- as part of the following course: _____
(provide course name and number)

Note that this option requires a more substantial project and paper than what is required in the course if you wish to receive capstone credit

Are you completing a major in any other department?

- No
- Yes, other major: _____

If yes, do you intend to connect this project to both of your majors? Yes No

Are you considering pursuing honors for this project? Yes No

What is your project topic? _____

Provide a brief (3-5 sentence) description of how you plan to begin this project, what types of sources you will use, and what you will produce. Be sure to address how your work for your capstone project will do one or more of the following:

- Address issues of gender and/or sexuality theoretically or conceptually, as opposed to simply presenting gender similarities/differences, or “adding women” or other underrepresented groups;
- Explicitly include and analyze feminist/queer/intersectional gender perspectives, theories, and/or concepts;
- Use, expand, or critique feminist or queer methodologies.

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Signature of Student

Date: _____

Signature of Gender Studies Capstone Advisor(s)

Date: _____

Signature of Course Instructor (if applicable)

Date: _____

Signature of Major Advisor in Gender Studies

Date: _____

Signature of Major Advisor in other major (if applicable)

Date: _____