

**WOMEN and GENDER STUDIES  
THESIS PROPOSAL COVER SHEET**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Box Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Thesis Title (provisional): \_\_\_\_\_  
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Proposed Term (check one):

- Fall One Semester
- Winter One Semester
- Two Semesters (non-honors)
- Two Semesters (honors)

For Double Majors: Other major: \_\_\_\_\_

Other major advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Does this thesis contribute to both majors? \_\_\_\_\_

Enrolling in WGST457, WGST458, or both? \_\_\_\_\_

**To the Student:**

Before submitting your proposal to your advisor for a signature, please check each box to confirm that you have included these four key elements:

- clear statement of the specific research question to be investigated;
- succinct discussion of relevant scholarly literature, and a description of how your research question fits into existing literature in Women and Gender Studies;
- explanation of methodology that notes the suitability of these methods to the research question at hand;
- description of the specific materials to be used in the research (e.g. particular documents, interview subjects, numerical data, *et cetera*).

**To the Thesis Advisor:**

**I HAVE AGREED TO ADVISE THE ABOVE NAMED STUDENT'S THESIS IN WOMEN AND GENDER STUDIES AND AM AWARE THAT THIS PROPOSAL IS BEING SUBMITTED TO THE WOMEN AND GENDER STUDIES COMMITTEE AT THIS TIME.**

\_\_\_\_\_ (signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (date)