Department of Gender Studies

BS in Gender Studies

Join Gender Studies Degree Program and be a part of:
- United Nations and other International Agencies
- Academia
- Governmental and Non-Governmental Development Organization

Gender Equality through Learning and Leadership
Introduction
As a participant in BS in Gender Studies program, the learners will be exposed to historical, social, psychological, economic and political aspects which shaped gender roles. The intersectionality of gender with class, caste, race, ethnicity and sex will be focused for a better understanding of human interaction and existence. This in turn bring out the diverse nature, complexity and depth of this program and sensitize how gender is one of the basic elements of experience and how this education brings equality, understanding of discrimination and social justice into every individual's life. The program provides an insight of women's diverse contribution to all areas of human development and interaction.

Objectives
With the vision to create awareness and to develop communities where both men and women can live and work in mutual respect, peace and harmony, the BS in Gender Studies program aims to create awareness among men and women regarding their social, economic, political and legal rights. Participants of this program will be able to learn the application of Gender Studies and Feminist analyses of existing structures and traditional historical, social and cultural clichés and will be trained to analyze the variety of ways in which systems of dominance function and have evolved over time, including patriarchy, sexism, racism etc. This program aims to enable participants to think critically about gender roles that shape the personal, social, domestic, religious, political and economic worlds.
Program Details

- Duration: 4 Years
- Semesters: 8
- Total Credit Hours: 134
- Program Type: Morning

Entry Requirements

- F.A/ FSc or equivalent (A level/ International Baccalaureate /American High School Diploma etc) with 50% or above marks.

Career opportunities

BS in Gender Studies covers a wide variety of subjects such as history, politics, literature, anthropology, sociology and psychology etc. through the Gender lens, so it brings a broad range of job opportunities as;

- National Commission on Status of Women
- Punjab Commission on Status of Women
- R&D Organizations (National and International)
- Gender Specialist/Gender Focal Person in Government
- Social Welfare Departments/Police Help Desk
- Projects with Donor Agencies
- Academia (Teaching and Learning and Research)
- Women Development Departments
- UN Women
- Consultancy
- Gender Division in Election Commission of Pakistan
- Also, Approved Subject for CSS and PPSC Jobs
About the Department

Department of Gender Studies at UMT is the pioneer department in private sector universities offering degree programs in Gender Studies. It pledges to provide an international level education through teaching with market orientation. It has developed its own curriculum aligned with international standards with particular inclusion of indigenous aspects of Pakistani society which distinguishes the department from other institutions, and which is also in line with HEC requirements. Unlike other departments of Gender Studies, Department of Gender Studies at UMT is the only department in the country which has the most relevant faculty in the discipline, including two PhDs in Gender Studies.