



Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences  
Gender Studies

### Syllabus

#### **Course Approval**

The syllabus was approved by the Faculty Board of Arts and Social Sciences on 6 March 2014, and is valid from the Autumn semester of 2014 at Karlstad University.

**Course Code:** GVGA12

**Gender and Equality in Theory and Practice, 7.5 ECTS Credits**

**(Genus och jämställdhet i teori och praktik, 7.5 Swedish credit points)**

**Degree Level:** Bachelor

**Progressive Specialisation:** G1N (First cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements)

#### **Language of Instruction**

Swedish

#### **Prerequisites**

General admission requirements

#### **Major Field of Study**

GEU (Gender Studies)

#### Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the course, students should be able to:

- give an essential account of facts about the conditions and daily existence of women and men from a gender and equal opportunities perspective,
- problematize and analyze problems of equal opportunity based on theories of gender studies,
- formulate and implement strategies of concrete equal opportunity promotion.

#### Content and Form of Instruction

The course provides knowledge of the different conditions and daily existences of women and men in the workplace, home, and family. The course also introduces instruments for analyzing such gender related problems and the strategies needed to manage them on an individual, organizational, and societal level.

#### Reading List

See separate document.

#### Examination

Assessment is based on individual written take-home exam or oral exam.

#### Grades

One of the grades Distinction (VG), Pass (G), or Fail (U) is awarded in the examination of the course.

## Quality Assurance

Follow-up relating to learning conditions and goal-fulfilment takes place both during and upon completion of the course in order to ensure continuous improvement. Course assessment is based on student views and experiences as reported in written course evaluations and/or group discussions. Students will be informed of the result of the evaluation and of the measures to be taken.

## Course Certificate

A course certificate will be provided upon request.

## Additional Information

Students who enrolled before 1 July 2007 will complete their studies in accordance with the requirements of the earlier admission. Upon completion students may request degree and course certificates to be issued under the current ordinance if they meet its requirements.

The local regulations for studies at the Bachelor's and Master's levels at Karlstad University stipulate the obligations and rights of students and staff.

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