

## ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY



Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, a multi-purpose institution of higher learning, has become one of the leading educational institutions in western Pennsylvania.

Located in the resort community of Edinboro, the University is only 18 miles from Erie and within 100 miles of the educational and cultural centers of Buffalo, Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

"Edinboro University provides a quality education at an affordable cost through full-time professional faculty members in an environment that is caring, attractive, safe and secure." — Dr. Frank G. Pogue, President

*One of the 14 universities in Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education, Edinboro University is committed to affirmative action for all persons in its educational programs, activities, and employment practices.*

## What can I do with a Major in Women's Studies?



Jamie Chapman, EUP Iota Iota Iota member, presenting a paper "women and poverty in Northwestern PA" at the Ohio Valley History Conference.



Jamie Chapman and Angela Loomis, EUP Iota Iota Iota members, with journalist Lisa Ling at the PA Governor's Conference for Women.

### FINANCIAL AID

More than \$46 million in student financial aid is available to Edinboro students through the following programs:

- ❖ Federal Pell Grants
- ❖ PHEAA State Grants
- ❖ Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants
- ❖ Federal Perkins Loans
- ❖ Federal Stafford Student Loan Program
- ❖ Federal Work-Study Program
- ❖ Student Employment
- ❖ Graduate Assistantships
- ❖ Other public, private and institutional sources.

In addition, the University has established a general scholarship fund from which more than 500 scholarships are awarded each year.

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Financial Aid Office  
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania  
Edinboro, PA 16444  
Local: 814-732-5555  
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The Women's study major will not only prepare you for graduate and professional schools but it will also prepare you for many different career opportunities, such as:

- social services
- teaching
- communication
- law
- civil and human rights organizations
- the ministry
- cultural centers
- museums
- historic archeological sites
- government agencies, including immigration and foreign services
  - federal
  - state
  - local
- businesses, including human resources and public relations offices
  - international corporations
  - medical facilities
  - manufacturing firms

Your deep understanding of women's lives, their contributions, and the obstacles women confront could be the single factor that distinguishes you from other applicants and makes you the best person for the job.

## BACHELOR OF ARTS IN WOMEN'S STUDIES



EUP students in a US women's history course visit the Rebecca Nurse Homestead and listen to tour guide discuss the Salem Witch Trials.

### ADMISSIONS

Students are admitted to the University in September or January and are considered for admission on the basis of their general scholarship, satisfactory character, nature of secondary program, and SAT or ACT scores.

To apply to the University, freshmen and transfers are required to submit official transcripts from their secondary institution. In addition, transfers must file official transcripts from any previous post-secondary institutions of attendance. All applicants must submit a current application with a fee of \$25.00.

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See department web page for info  
about jobs and internships.

or

Admissions Office  
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The Department of History and Anthropology at Edinboro University offers a new undergraduate degree program in Women's Studies. This interdisciplinary program brings together faculty from ten different departments in two schools (Liberal Arts and Science, Management and Technology). The Women's Studies major is an exciting new and unique program in northwestern PA and the entire State System of Higher Education. Women's Studies encourages both a specialized and integrative approach to subject areas in the social sciences and humanities to prepare graduates to compete in the local, national, and international job markets.

The Women's study major will prepare graduates to live and work in our global society. It is designed to provide graduates with the necessary background to pursue employment in international corporations, federal, state and local government agencies, social services and education. In addition, it will also provide graduates with the necessary background to pursue advanced academic study either in graduate or law school. The strength of the program is in its diversity and flexibility in structure:

- 6 hours in Women's Studies courses
- 15-18 hours in one of the primary tracks
  - Humanities
  - History
  - Human development
  - Communication
- 9-18 hours in Women's Studies electives
- 3-12 hours field experience/internship
- 27-30 hours free electives

### Opportunities:

Locally: 98% of the 50 area businesses and non-profit agencies surveyed said they would be very interested in graduates of Edinboro University of Pennsylvania with a degree in Women's Studies.

### Women's Studies Minor:

The Department of English and Theater also offers a minor in Women's Studies to enhance other degree programs and employment opportunities for graduates.

### Practical Experience:

The program also incorporates practical experience by requiring students to participate in a field experience or internship outside of the University. This ensures that students move beyond theory and apply their learning in critical ways in the public and professional arena.