

Employment Opportunities in F.I.S.T. Fall/Winter 2025-26

Fall 2025:

DBST 3001 {0.5 credit} – Disability Studies: Policy and Activism

Designated Modality: *In-person*

Anticipated Enrolment: 60

Anticipated TA Support: Yes

The complex legal, policy and discursive frameworks that shape the lives of persons with disability and the history of the emergence of the disability rights movement as a scholarly and activist challenge to, and renegotiation of, those frameworks.

SXST 4103/WGST 5901 {0.5 credit} – Politics of Kink

Designated Modality: *In-person*

Anticipated Enrolment: 20

Anticipated TA Support: No

This seminar analyzes critically the existence and regulation of non-normative sexual attitudes, behaviours and practices. Topics may include: non-monogamy, sadomasochism, pornography.

WGST 2810 {0.5 credit} – Sex For Sale

Designated Modality: *Online*

Anticipated Enrolment: 120

Anticipated TA Support: Yes

Explores feminist perspectives on the sex industry, critically analyzing various legal approaches to regulation and the social meanings assigned to sex work.

Winter 2026

DBST 3002 {0.5 credit} – Mad Studies

Designated Modality: *In-person*

Anticipated Enrolment: 60

Anticipated TA Support: Yes

A critical examination of the psy-disciplines, sanist beliefs and practices, and dominant mental health discourses in Canada and globally through mad-identified people's experiences, stories, and scholarship.

SXST 3103 {0.5 credit} – Sexuality and Disability

Designated Modality: *Online*

Anticipated Enrolment: 60

Anticipated TA Support: Yes

Exploration of ways that embodied categories of sex and gender, as well as desire are mediated through mainstream and alternative discourses of disability. Topics may include: crip theory, mental health issues, and LGBTQ sexualities.

WGST 2801 {0.5 credit} – Activism, Feminisms, and Social Justice

Designated Modality: *Online*

Anticipated Enrolment: 120

Anticipated TA Support: Yes

A comparative, interdisciplinary examination of feminist activism in the modern era. A range of perspectives and materials are used to examine the objectives, scope, and impact of feminists' efforts to effect social and political change in different historical, cultural, and national settings.