



ST. FRANCIS XAVIER
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Women's & Gender Studies Program – Limited Term Appointment

The **Women's and Gender Studies Program** at St. Francis Xavier University invites applications for a nine-month Limited Term Appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor beginning September 1, 2022. This position is subject to final budgetary approval.

St. Francis Xavier University has a long and distinguished history of educating high-quality undergraduate students and providing opportunities for undergraduate students to contribute to faculty research. The Town of Antigonish, a community noted for its quality of life, is only minutes from the rugged coastal beauty of Northern Nova Scotia near Cape Breton Island.

Women's and Gender Studies is a vibrant interdisciplinary program with longstanding connections to the feminist community in Antigonish, as well as to thirteen departments and interdisciplinary programs at StFX. Committed faculty members practise interdisciplinary teaching and scholarship, and develop programming for students who are intellectually and politically engaged with the Antigonish and StFX communities.

Applicants should possess a PhD in Gender, Feminist, and Women's Studies at the time of appointment. The successful applicant will teach 18 credits over the academic year (3 courses per term), including WMGS 100: Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies, other core courses (for example, WMGS 205: Gender, Sexuality, and the Body or WMGS 346: Critical Race and Sexuality Studies in Canada), and courses in their area of specialization.

St. Francis Xavier University is committed to the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusion. In accordance with this commitment, the Department seeks candidates who can contribute to and strengthen the diversity of our community, and will prioritize applications from one or more of the following underrepresented groups: women, Indigenous persons, members of visible minorities, people with disabilities, and LGBTQ2S+ individuals.

Applicants should submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, and a list of three references. While we are not requesting a teaching dossier at this time, we would find it helpful for applicants to address your general approach to teaching in Women's and Gender Studies in the cover letter. Please submit these materials by email to:

Ms. Angela Pelrine
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(902) 867-4954

Inquiries about the position can be directed to Rachel Hurst, Program Coordinator, at rahurst@stfx.ca.

For more information on the Women's and Gender Studies Program at StFX, please visit our website: <https://www.mystfx.ca/womens-and-gender-studies/home>. To learn more about StFX and the Antigonish community, visit <https://www.stfx.ca> and <https://www.townofantigonish.ca/>.

*"Only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Preference will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents. **If you are selected for an interview for the advertised position, proof of Canadian citizenship or permanent residency is required**".*

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