



Honors Specialization in Global Development Studies
Honors Specialization in Global Gender Studies
Honors Specialization in Global Health Studies
Honors Specialization in Gender Studies
Major in Global Culture Studies
Major in Global Development Studies
Major in Globalization Studies

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Executive Summary

During their onsite visit the External Consultants met with John Doerksen (Vice-Provost, Academic Academic Advisor; and four undergraduate students enrolled in CGS. The External Consultants also had a roundtable discussion with the full Educational Policy Committee (EPC) of Huron University College.

The External Consultants described CGS as “a pioneering program” that “has a strong philosophical foundation that make it a vibrant and growing program on campus”. The External Consultants commented on appreciating the distinction that the CGS makes between it as a Centre, a site of an academic program, rather than as a department, and how this supports its interdisciplinarity.

The External Consultants had comments on the number of courses available to students in these modules and the apparent complexity of the modules (Globalization Studies, Global Development Studies, Global Cultural Studies, Global Gender Studies, Global Health Studies, and Global Rights Studies). These consideration offer both a strength and potential weakness to the program. The External

Consultants thought that, considering how options are laid out in the academic calendar, it was confusing for students to identify a clear trajectory or series of course