OSU Diversity Statement

Oklahoma State University is a land-grant institution committed to excellence in diversity and inclusion. We strive to maintain a welcoming and inclusive environment that appreciates and values all members of the University community. We define diversity as engagement in meaningful actions, behaviors, and conversations that reflect a commitment to recognizing, understanding, and respecting the differences among students, faculty, staff, and visitors throughout the OSU system. We do not condone acts, behavior, language, or symbols that represent or reflect intolerance or discrimination. OSU is dedicated to cultivating and enriching the competitive advantages that diversity and inclusion provides all members of the University community. We identify diversity as a quality of life issue, as well as an important economic driver for the prosperity and well-being of the state, nation, and world.

OMA Scholarship Information

- OMA First Year Scholarship
- OMA Undergraduate Leadership Scholarship
- OMA Undergraduate Continuing Scholarship
- OMA Transfer Scholarship
- OMA Distinguished Scholars Program
- Dr. Howard Shipp, Jr. Scholarship

Celebrating Women!

With the help of faculty, staff, and collaborating student organizations, we hold events geared to support and celebrate our female students. Key women’s events are:

- Take Back the Night
- Vagina Monologues
- The Zine
- Raising Awareness for Feminism
- Community Service Projects

Additional Resources

- Women's and LGBTQ Affairs
  Irissa Baxter, MA, Coordinator (405) 744-6538
  irissa.baxter@okstate.edu

- Office of Multicultural Affairs
  240 Student Union (405) 744-5481
  oma@okstate.edu

- Oklahoma Commission on the Status of Women
  www.ok.gov/ocsw/resources

- Student Conduct Education and Administration
  Aleigha Mariott, MS, Director
  328 Student Union (405) 744-5470

- Equal Opportunity & Title IX
  Justin Lacy, Director
  409 General Academic Building (405) 744-7773

- OSU Student Counseling Center
  320 Student Union (405) 744-5472
  Emergency Counselor: (405) 744-6523

Need assistance navigating forms, policies, or just handling all the information? Have questions and/or comments?
Please contact:
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Health and Wellness

- **University Health Services (UHS)**
  University Health Services is an outpatient ambulatory care facility designed to provide cost effective, physician directed healthcare and health information. The primary focus of the University Health Services is to provide primary health care with services including general medicine, gynecology, simple surgery and sport medicine. University Health Services is open Monday-Friday from 8am - 5pm. At other times, contact the Stillwater Medical Center Emergency Room, 1323 W 6th, (405) 372-1480. For more information, call (405) 744-7665 or for TTY call (405) 744-7012.

- **Women’s Clinic**
  The Women’s Clinic is provided for the female population of Oklahoma State University. Located in a private area of University Health Services, the clinic offers information and treatment for a wide range of gynecologic issues including annual papan test and contraception services. Available by appointment only. The hours of service are Monday-Friday 8am - 11am and 1pm - 4pm. To schedule an appointment or for more information call (405) 744-7032.

- **Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma**
  For more than 70 years, Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma has provided women, men, and families of central Oklahoma the best possible reproductive health care services to our community. For more information, call (405) 528-2157 or visit www.ppcok.org.

- **Gender and Women’s Studies**
  Gender and Women’s Studies is a vibrant academic program offering a minor for undergraduates, support for curricular development and research by faculty, and opportunities to collaborate with community and campus partners who are intrigued by how gender shapes the world. Faculty and courses from twelve departments across the university contribute to this interdisciplinary program. Students and faculty in Gender and Women’s Studies pursue research in the history of women, in theories of gender, in feminism, in the cultural construction of masculinity, and in the cross-cultural intersections of race, class, nationality, and sexuality. For more information, including course listings, go to http://womensstudies.okstate.edu.

- **Women in Engineering, Architecture and Technology (WEAT)**
  The Women in Engineering, Architecture and Technology Program is an academic support program designed to recruit, retain and graduate female students in engineering, architecture and technology. The program provides opportunities for mentoring, residential life components, and monthly breakfasts to focus on professional development. For more information, contact Yoklanda Speight at yokolan@okstate.edu.

- **OSU ADVANCE**
  The National Science Foundation’s ADVANCE program is an initiative to promote the representation of women and minorities in the STEM disciplines—science, technology, engineering and mathematics—as well as agriculture. OSU seeks to achieve these aims by providing support for female faculty at all levels, and through research, workshops, mentorships, and training seminars to broaden the participation of women in science. For more information, go to http://advanceosu.okstate.edu.

Student Organizations

- **Minority Women’s Association (MWA)**
  The Minority Women’s Association exists to assist minority women in development of their knowledge of politics, academic excellence, social interaction and self-realization. For more information, contact Irissa Baxter at irissa.baxter@okstate.edu.

- **Women’s Programming Advisory Council (WPAC)**
  The Women’s Programming Advisory Council, formerly the National Organization for Women (NOW) and the Women’s Resources Center Student Alliance (WRC), is charged with guiding the growth and direction of Women’s Programs at Oklahoma State University. Members help to engage the OSU community in dialogue about how gender shapes our lives and experiences. They provide ideas for new programming, feedback on existing programs, and serve as ambassadors to promote Women’s Programs on the campus and in the community. For more information, contact Irissa Baxter at irissa.baxter@okstate.edu.

- **Greek Life**
  OSU Greek life includes both women’s fraternities and sororities on the OSU campus. We are proud to have a thriving system on campus with numerous, diverse nationally recognized fraternities and sororities represented. For more information, email gogreek@okstate.edu.