The "cross-disciplinary focus Gender Studies" is a teaching project which has been founded at the Dresden University of Technology in the beginning of 2001. Being a corporation of the departments for American Studies, Italian Studies and New German Literature, the project's courses are not only open for students of these three departments but also for students of the university's studium generale, and thus for basically all students. The paper describes the content of this teaching project as well as the peculiarities and experiences taken from the organizational and practical work in this cross-disciplinary study project under the special circumstances of the university's location, history and contemporary situation.