College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences  Bachelor of Science in Sociology  Department of Sociology
  Major: Sociology  Major Option: Social Inequality

For students graduating in calendar year 2020

Checksheet: This checksheet specifies the requirements for a major in sociology with a social inequality option.

Number of Credits for a Bachelor of Science Degree: 120 credits.
  77 credits must be completed beyond what is required for a sociology major with a social inequality option.

Number of Credits for a Sociology Major with a Social Inequality Option: 43 credits.
  The 43 credits consist of 22 credits of sociology core degree courses.

Number of Credits of Free Electives: 41 credits.

Number of Credits for the Curriculum for Liberal Education: 36 credits.
  All students with a sociology major are required to complete the Curriculum for Liberal Education.

Double Majors in the Department of Sociology: The Department of Sociology offers a major in sociology, with and
  without options, and a major in criminology. Students are permitted to obtain both majors. Courses in the
  sociology core degree can meet the requirements of both majors, but none of the other required or elective
  courses taken for either major can count toward the other.

Minimum GPA: A minimum 2.0 in-major GPA and 2.0 overall GPA.
  All courses with a SOC prefix or cross-listed with SOC are included in the calculation of the in-major GPA.

Grade Requirement: Courses taken as part of the sociology major with a social inequality option must be taken for
  a letter grade of A-F.

Requirements for Satisfactory Progress: Students must have completed Introductory Sociology (SOC 1004),
  Sociological Theory (SOC 3104), Social Research Methods (SOC 3204), and an additional 9 credits of
  sociology courses prior to attempting 72 credits (including transfer, advanced placement, advanced
  standing, and credit by examination).

  Upon having attempted 60 credits, students must have an in-major GPA of 2.0 and an in-major GPA of 2.0
  thereafter to be considered as making satisfactory progress toward the degree.

  If satisfactory progress is not made, procedures will be followed as required by the Academic Eligibility
  Policy.

Prerequisites: Check the Undergraduate Course Catalog & Academic Policies for prerequisites.

Advising: Regular contact with the academic advisor for criminology is not required but strongly encouraged. Call
  (540) 231-8971 to schedule an appointment. The Department of Sociology office is located at 560 McBryde
  Hall.
Sociology Major with a Social Inequality Option

Sociology Core Degree Required Courses: 22 credits

In accordance with State Council of Education guidelines, courses used to fulfill the SCHEV approved degree core may not also be used to meet Curriculum for Liberal Education or major requirements.

Sociology: 16 credits. Take in the order listed

_____ SOC 1004
   Introductory Sociology (3) (including First Year Experience)

_____ SOC 3104*
   Sociological Theory (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)

_____ SOC 3204
   Social Research Methods (4) (Pre: SOC 1004).
   Recommend taking before STAT 3604.

_____ SOC 3004
   Social Inequality (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)

_____ SOC 4194
   Senior Seminar (3) (Pre: SOC 3104 and SOC 3204)

Statistics: 3 credits

_____ STAT 3604
   Statistics for the Social Sciences (3) (Pre: MATH 1014 or
   higher level Math)

Africana Studies, American Indian Studies, Peace Studies and Violence Prevention, and Women's
and Gender Studies Electives: 3 credits

Select one of the following:

_____ AFST 1714
   Introduction to African American Studies (3)

_____ AINS 1104
   Introduction to American Indian Studies (3)

_____ PSVP 2044 (SOC 2044)
   Peace and Violence (3)

_____ WGS 1824
   Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3)

*Recommend taking two of the following courses prior to registering for SOC 3104, Sociological Theory:
SOC 2004, Social Problems, SOC 2014, Dating Marriage Divorce, SOC 2024, Minority Group Relations,
SOC 2034, Diversity and Community Engagement, and/or SOC 2304, Individual in Society.
Social inequality Option Required Courses: 18 credits.

Select 18 credits from the list below.

A course not taken as a required course can be used as a social inequality option elective.

_______ SOC 2024 Minority Group Relations (3)
_______ SOC 2034 Diversity and Community Engagement (3)
_______ WGS 2264 (AFST 2264) (SOC 2264) Race, Class, Gender, and Sexualities (3) (Pre: WGS 1824)
_______ AFST 2454 (SOC 2454) Race and Racism (3)
_______ SOC 3014 Gender Relations (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
_______ SOC 3714 Sociology of Aging (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
_______ SOC 4404 Sociology of Law (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
_______ SOC 4754 Internship (3) (in related field with approval of the department chair)

Social Inequality Option Elective: 3 credits.

Select 3 credits from the list on the following page of social inequality electives. A course not taken as a social inequality required course can be used as a social inequality option elective. Check the Undergraduate Course Catalog & Academic Policies for prerequisites. A maximum of 3 credits from SOC 4754 (Internship), SOC 4964 (Field Study), and SOC 4974 (Independent Study) can be used to fulfill this requirement.
Social Inequality Option Electives

AFST 1714
AFST 2275 (HIST 2275)
AFST 2276 (HIST 2276)
AFST 2354 (SOC 2354)
AFST 2454 (SOC 2454)
AFST 2734 (SOC 2734) (WGS 2734)
AFST 3174 (HIST 3174)
AINS 1104
AINS 3684 (PSCI 3684)
PSVP 2044 (SOC 2044)
SOC 2024
SOC 2034
SOC 2514 (RLCL 2514)
SOC 3014
SOC 3303
SOC 3614
SOC 3714
SOC 3854 (PSVP 3854)
SOC 4404
SOC 4754
SOC 4764 (GEOG 4764) (UAP 4764)
SOC 4964
SOC 4974
WGS 1824
WGS 2114
WGS 2254 (SOC 2254)
WGS 2284 (SOC 2284)
WGS 3214

Introduction to African American Studies (3)
African-American History (1619 to 1877) (3)
African-American History (1877 to present) (3)
The Civil Rights Movement (3)
Race and Racism (3)
The Black Woman in the U.S. (3)
African American Men in U.S. History (3)
Introduction to American Indian Studies (3)
Indigenous Peoples and World Politics (3)
Peace and Violence (3)
Minority Group Relations (3)
Diversity and Community Engagement (3)
Asian American Experience (3)
Gender Relations (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
Social Movements (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
Gender and Work in the U.S. (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
Sociology of Aging (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
Globalization: Sociological Perspectives (3)
Sociology of Law (3) (Pre: SOC 1004)
Internship (3) (Pre: SOC 1004), in related area with approval of the department chair.
International Development Policy and Planning (3) (Pre: Junior standing)
Field Study (variable) in related area with approval of department chair.
Independent Study (variable) in related area with approval of department chair.
Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3)
Feminist Theory (3) (Pre: WGS 1824)
Feminist Activism (3) (Pre: WGS 1824)
Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Issues (3)
(Pre: WGS 1824)
Global Feminisms (3) (Pre: WGS 2284)
**Curriculum for Liberal Education and Foreign Language**

**Curriculum for Liberal Education** 36 credits.
All students must fulfill the requirements of the Curriculum for Liberal Education. Check the Undergraduate Course Catalog & Academic Policies for prerequisites.

**Area 1: Writing and Discourse**
6 credits from the sequence ENGL 1105/1106.

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**Area 2: Ideas, Cultural Traditions, and Values**
6 credits selected from Area 2 Curriculum for Liberal Education courses. Courses listed in Areas 2 and 6 may not count for both areas.

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**Area 3: Society and Human Behavior**
6 credits selected from Area 3 Curriculum for Liberal Education courses.

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**Area 4: Scientific Reasoning and Discovery**
6 credits of lecture selected from Area 4 Curriculum for Liberal Education courses.

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**Area 5: Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning**
6 credits selected from Area 5 Curriculum for Liberal Education courses.

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**Area 6: Creativity and Aesthetic Experience**
3 credits selected from Area 6 Curriculum for Liberal Education courses. Courses listed in Areas 2 and 6 may not count for both areas.

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**Area 7: Critical Issues in a Global Context**
3 credits selected from Area 7 Curriculum for Liberal Education courses. A course taken to satisfy another area of the Curriculum for Liberal Education that also is included as an Area 7 course will satisfy the Area 7 requirement simultaneously.

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**Foreign Language Requirement:**
Students who completed 3 years of a single foreign, classical, or sign language in high school have completed this requirement. Students who did not complete 3 years of a foreign, classical, or sign language in high school must complete one of the following:

- 2 years of a foreign, classical, or sign language in high school plus FL 1106 or the equivalent in college. These 3 hours count towards the 120 required for graduation.
- Complete FL 1105-1106 or the equivalent in college. These 6 hours do not count toward the 120 required for graduation.
- Complete either SPAN 1114, GER 1114, RUS 1114, or ITAL 1114. The 4 hours do not count towards the 120 required for graduation.