



SOCIOLOGY

Traditional Program (Academic Focus)

College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences

Program Overview

Sociology is the scientific study of society and social behavior and can prove invaluable for one's personal life and professional career. Sociology transcends common opinion and discovers the facts. It deals with what is and seeks to discover why it is. In order to solve problems, it is necessary to know the causes and the possible consequences of our action or inaction.

Career Opportunities

Students graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology can pursue work in:

- Criminal Justice: Probation, Parole, & Delinquency Prevention
- Social Services: Working with the poor, children, aged, & families
- Business: Sales, Personnel, Marketing, Administration, & Research
- Government: Working in City, County, or State offices
- Professional/Graduate School: Excellent preparation for law school
- Teaching: with Graduate Degree, M.A. or Ph.D.

Degree Plans

There are two degree plans for earning a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology:

1. Traditional Program (Academic Focus)
 - 36 semester hours in Sociology
 - 12 semester hours in chosen minor
2. Human Services Program (Professional Focus)
 - 48 semester hours in Sociology and specified courses
 - Includes 6 semester hours of internship in social agencies

Sociology Minor

12 semester hours in Sociology (6 advanced) in any of the courses offered

Faculty

Dr. Roger Barnes, Professor (Ph.D., University of Kansas)
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Bachelor of Arts in Sociology: Academic Specialization
COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES, ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES
2015-2017

Freshman Year: Fall		Hrs.
ENGL 1311 (or 1311L) Composition I		3
PHIL 1381 Introduction to Philosophy		3
SOCI 1311 Introduction to Sociology		3
HIST Core		3
Elective		3
Total hours		15
Sophomore Year: Fall		
ENGL 2310 World Literature Studies		3
Fine Arts Core		3
Modern Language I		3
Natural Science and Lab Core		4
Minor		3
Total hours		16
Junior Year: Fall		
SOCI 3351 Social Psychology		3
SOCI 3381 Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences		3
SOCI Elective		3
Minor or Electives		6
Total hours		15
Senior Year: Fall		
SOCI Electives (upper-division)		6
Minor or Elective		3
Electives		6
Total hours		15

Freshman Year: Spring		Hrs.
DWHP 1200 or DWHP 3200 Dimensions of Wellness) and 1-hour lifelong physical activity course		3
ENGL 1312 Composition II		3
RELS Core		3
SOCI Elective: Consider SOCI 2335 Social Issues Through Cinema OR 2341 Social Institutions		3
Elective		3
Total hours		15
Sophomore Year: Spring		
MATH Core		3
Modern Language II		3
RELS or PHIL Core: Any 3-hr upper-division REL or PHIL course		3
SOCI Elective		3
Elective		3
Total hours		15
Junior Year: Spring		
SOCI 3384 Research Methods		3
SOCI 3387 Sociological Theory		3
SOCI Elective (upper-division)		3
Minor (upper-division)		3
Elective		3
Total hours		15
Senior Year: Spring		
SOCI Elective (upper-division)		3
Minor or Electives (upper-division)		6
Electives		6
Total hours		15

Core Curriculum – Total Hours 43
Major – Total Hour 78
Degree - Total Hours 121