

# RECOMMENDED ACADEMIC PLAN – SOCIOLOGY

Semester I		Semester II	
ENGL 015 Rhetoric and Composition or 030 Honors Freshman Composition GWS	3	CAS 100 Effective Speech GWS	3
Quantification GQ	3	Quantification GQ	3
Humanities GH	3	Social and Behavioral Science GS	3
<b>Select from: SOC 001 Introductory Sociology GS or R SOC 011 Introductory Rural Sociology GS</b>	3	Natural Sciences GN	3
First-Year Seminar	1	Health and Physical Activity GHA	1.5
Health and Physical Activity GHA	1.5	Elective	3
	14.5		16.5
Semester III		Semester IV	
Arts GA	3	Natural Sciences GN	3
Humanities GH	3	<b>ENGL 202A Effective Writing: Writing in the Social Sciences GWS</b>	3
Natural Sciences GN	3	Arts GA	3
Electives	6	Electives	6
	15		15
Semester V		Semester VI	
<b>SCLSC 480W Quantitative Methods in the Social Sciences</b>	4	<b>SCLSC 481 Qualitative Research Methods in the Social Sciences</b>	4
<b>*SOCIO 384 Seminar in Social Problems</b>	3	<b>SOC 405 Sociological Theory</b>	3
<b>Select from: SOC 015 Urban Sociology, 424 Social Change, 425 Social Conflict, 449 Environmental Movements, 450 Justice and the Environment</b>	3	<b>Select from: SOC 030 Sociology of the Family, 416 Sociology of Education, 429 Social Stratification, 444 Complex Organizations, 446 Political Sociology, 448 Environmental Sociology, 455 Work and Occupations or 456 Gender, Occupations, and Professions</b>	3
Electives	5	<b>Select from: AAA S 212 Black History to the Twentieth Century US, BE SC 464 Feminine/Masculine US, SOC 435 Social Gerontology</b>	3
	15	<b>Select from: SOC 015 Urban Sociology, 424 Social Change, 425 Social Conflict, 449 Environmental Movements, 450 Justice and the Environment</b>	3
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Semester VII		Semester VIII	
<b>Select from: SOC 030 Sociology of the Family, 416 Sociology of Education, 429 Social Stratification, 444 Complex Organizations, 446 Political Sociology, 448 Environmental Sociology, 455 Work and Occupations or 456 Gender, Occupations, and Professions</b>	3	<b>SCLSC 492 Current Topics in the Social Sciences</b>	3
<b>Select from: SOC 015 Urban Sociology, 424 Social Change, 425 Social Conflict, 449 Environmental Movements, 450 Justice and the Environment</b>	3	<b>Select from: SOC 030 Sociology of the Family, 416 Sociology of Education, 429 Social Stratification, 444 Complex Organizations, 446 Political Sociology, 448 Environmental Sociology, 455 Work and Occupations or 456 Gender, Occupations, and Professions</b>	3
<b>Select from AAA S, BE SC, SOC, or elective</b>	3	<b>Select from: AAA S 212 Black History to the Twentieth Century US, BE SC 464 Feminine/Masculine US, SOC 435 Social Gerontology</b>	3
<b>Select from AM ST, CRIMJ, ENGL, COMM, HIST, I HUM, MUSIC, PL SC, PUBPL, THEA, WMNST</b>	3	<b>Select from BE SC, AAA S, SOC</b>	3
Elective	3	<b>Select from AM ST, CRIMJ, ENGL, COMM, HIST, I HUM, MUSIC, PL SC, PUBPL, THEA, WMNST, or elective</b>	3
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## Advising Notes

- **Bold type** require a grade of C or better.
- *Italics* indicates courses that satisfy both major and General Education requirements.
- **Bold Italics** indicates courses requiring a quality grade of C or better and that satisfy both major and General Education requirements.
- GWS, GHA, GQ, GN, GA, GH, and GS are codes used to identify General Education requirements.
- US, IL, and US;IL are codes used to designate courses that satisfy University United States/International Cultures requirements.
- W is the code used to designate courses that satisfy University Writing Across the Curriculum requirements.

*Students must complete a 3-credit course in "United States Cultures (US)" and a 3-credit course in "International Cultures (IL)."*

\* SOCIO 384 is currently not offered, please see adviser regarding substitution.

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