**SOC 1010 - Leadership/College Student**
The purpose of this course is to provide students with an introductory framework in leadership
development theory. It is meant to encourage students to explore the leadership process and
develop one's own leadership potential. The course is designed to be interactive and thought
provoking while encouraging self-assessment and skill development. Offered every semester.
1.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 1100 - Introduction to Sociology**
This introductory course emphasizes fundamental concepts in sociology and their application to
contemporary society for the purpose of enhancing the students understanding of the world in
which they live.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 1105 - Introduction to Sociology**
This introductory course emphasizes fundamental concepts in sociology and their application to
contemporary society for the purpose of enhancing the students understanding of the world in
which they live.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, **Entirely Online**

General Studies Department

Course Attributes:
Prof. Studies Students Only

**SOC 1110 - Introduction to Sociology: Diversity Emphasis**
This course will survey the field of sociology, stressing important ideas, methods, and results, as
well as paying particular attention to points of controversy and disagreement among sociologists
to develop critical and analytical thinking. As a survey course, topics this semester will include
critical inquiry into the sources of group identities, the structures of diversity or inequalities
based on race, gender, class, age and life style, as well as the institutions that promote or
challenge those inequalities. Students will engage these topics through readings, group
discussions and exercises.
SOC 1120 - Introduction to Sociology: Diversity and Health Emphasis
This course surveys the field of sociology, stressing important ideas, methods, and results. It focuses on health and diversity to illustrate the application of sociological ideas and develop analytic thinking skills. The text is supplemented with articles/chapters illustrating topical issues and exercises on the skills of the social sciences. There are no prerequisites.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Diversity in the US

SOC 1180 - World Geography
This course provides students with a worldwide overview of the relationship between people and place. Emphasis is given to the relationships among physical geography, environment, population, economy and culture. No prerequisites.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Global Citizenship

SOC 1190 - Cultural Geography
This course will familiarize the student with broad themes in cultural geography. Student will begin to think critically about how humans interact with their environments, analyze daily geographies and complete practice based assignments that explore core concepts of cultural geography.
3.000 Credit hours
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 1200 - Introduction to Anthropology**
This course provides an introduction to the primary theories, concepts, and methodologies relating to anthropology. The main subfields of cultural anthropology, archeology, biological anthropology, linguistics, and applied anthropology are surveyed and their integration is highlighted for a more in-depth understanding of the complexities in modern human societies and behavior.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Global Citizenship

**SOC 1205 - Introduction to Anthropology**
This course provides an introduction to the primary theories, concepts, and methodologies relating to anthropology. The main subfields of cultural anthropology, archeology, biological anthropology, linguistics, and applied anthropology are surveyed and their integration is highlighted for a more in-depth understanding of the complexities in modern human societies and behavior.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

General Studies Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Global Citizenship, Prof. Studies Students Only

**SOC 1500 - The Urban Community: Race, Class, and Spatial Justice**
This course will focus on people in racial and ethnic urban neighborhoods in the United States. The course will explore the basic concepts and ideas behind neighborhood, community, race, ethnicity, immigration, ethnic identity, and the spatial hierarchies of cities based on race, ethnic, and class characteristics.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Diversity in the US

SOC 1930 - Special Topics

2.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 1EL - Freshman Level Elective

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Lecture

Sociology & Criminal Justice Department

SOC 1RQ - 100 Level Soc Requirement

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Lecture

Sociology & Criminal Justice Department

SOC 2000 - Research Methods

Students are introduced to key issues involved in sociological research, the design of research to answer distinct types of questions, the nature and techniques of measurement and the major modes of data collection and analysis. Prerequisites: SOC 1100 or 1110 or 1120 or 1200

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 2100 - Classical Social Theory

This course provides an overview of social science theories, major theorists, and theoretical
formulations. It emphasizes key assumptions, assessing the strengths and weaknesses of each theory, and the historical development of social theory. Prerequisites: SOC 1100 or 1110 or 1120 or 1200
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 2110 - Sociology of Sport**
This course investigates the institution of organized sports from sociological perspectives. It reveals how sports reflect American society and contribute to the social construction of that society. The course examines the culture, socialization, social structure, deviance, discrimination, stratification, economics, and politics as it appears in professional and amateur athletics.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Diversity in the US

**SOC 2180 - Cities and Space**
This course familiarizes students with the concepts of urbanization, with a focus on cities in the context of globalization. The class will also focus on urban processes and politics with an emphasis on processes of immigration and citizenship. Students are evaluated through written projects on themes discussed in the course. No prerequisites
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Sustainability Related

**SOC 2200 - Cultural Anthropology**
This course provides an introduction to the theoretical foundations and methodological approaches of Cultural Anthropology. It focuses on the concept of culture and how it relates to various topics, including ethnicity, language, adaptive strategies, kinship, political systems, gender, and religion. The purpose to the course is to give students a broad perspective on the
types of anthropological research and discuss how the work of anthropologists is relevant to understanding the human condition. Prerequisite: SOC 1200
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Global Citizenship

SOC 2210 - Biological Anthropology
The course examines humans within an evolutionary context to better understand ourselves as part of the natural world. Topics include: the history of evolutionary thought, molecular and population genetics; human variation and adaptation; living and extinct primates; the hominid fossil record; and biological and cultural strategies of humans through time. Prerequisite: SOC 1200
0.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online, Specialized Lab/Studio
All Sections for this Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 2220 - Peace and Conflict Studies
This course introduces students to social science perspectives on peace and conflict by examining cooperation and conflict in human society. Cross-cultural examples and examination of our evolutionary past reveal what is really 'human nature'. Prerequisite: SOC 1200
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 2240 - Archaeology
Archaeology is the study of past cultures through the analysis of their material remains. This course introduces archeology as a subfield of anthropology and emphasizes the scientific methods and procedures, tools and techniques used by archaeologists to investigate, reconstruct, interpret, preserve, and learn from artifacts, features, and ecofacts.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 2300 - American Popular Culture**
The course examines main stream (in contrast to high culture) cultural elements that prevail in American society, mainly in the more popular media. It includes myths, morals, music, material consumption, rituals, and icons of mass media.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 2360 - Diversity & Health Disparities**

0.000 TO 4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 2470 - Culture and Health**
This course will focus on exploring the interplay between culture and health by examining issues such as the social construction of disease and health and the traditional health and illness beliefs and practices of select populations both within and outside the United States.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 2480 - Drugs and Society: Legal and Medical Implications of the "War on Drugs"**
This course takes a sociological approach to understanding U.S. drug use and drug policy. We will examine what constitutes a "drug", how drugs' meanings and uses have changed over time, and how professional, economic, and cultural forces shape how we make sense of drugs and the people who use them.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: [Entirely Classroom](#)

Sociology & Anthropology Department
SOC 2490 - Sociology of Medicine
Sociological interpretation of selected aspects of the field of medicine, including health and illness behaviors, professional socialization, analysis of health organization, political and economic aspects of health care delivery, cross national comparisons of health systems. No prerequisites
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 2500 - Social Ecology
Social ecology is a holistic approach to urban problems recognizing that interactions within the social, institutional, and cultural contexts of people-environment relations support well-being. The causes of urban problems (e.g. sprawl, crime, violence, disease/illness, housing segregation and food insecurity) are sought in social structures, environmental scarcity, and people’s socio-economic status.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 2600 - Survey of Forensic Science
Students learn scientific methodology, its rules and norms, as applied in the biological and chemical analysis of crime and how these methodologies are used to evaluate legal arguments and solve legal issues. They also learn how the technical/scientific analysis articulates with the different components of the legal system.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 2930 - Special Topics
This course is designed for experimental courses or courses of special interest that are approved by the departmental faculty prior to offering. This opportunity may take the form of a visiting faculty member or another program requesting a unique course at the 200 level for a single semester.
0.000 TO 4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 2EL - 200 Level Sociology Elective**

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Lecture

Sociology & Criminal Justice Department

**SOC 2RQ - 200 Level Sociology Requirement**

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Lecture

Sociology & Criminal Justice Department

**SOC 2WU - Wash U Inter-University Course**

1.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours
1.000 TO 3.000 Lecture hours

Schedule Types: Lecture

**SOC 3010 - Quantitative Analysis**

This course introduces the quantitative skills, methods, and techniques necessary for analyzing the implementation and impact of social programs and policies (more specifically, those related to sociology and criminal justice). Students will learn the vocabulary associated with scientific thinking and research, data collection, data analysis, data presentation, and interpretation and discussion of analytical results. This is an introductory course in quantitative (i.e., numerically-based information or data) statistical analysis that covers the properties/characteristics of data and variables and presents both descriptive and inferential statistics. Prerequisite: SOC 2000

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3020 - Qualitative Research**

This course introduces the major methodologies and techniques for conducting research into the human condition in its natural context. It includes discussion of the analysis of group behavior,
beliefs, rituals, ceremonies, relate to technologies, and generally order their natural world and control their societies. Prerequisite is SOC 200 Research Methods or permission of instructor. Prerequisite: SOC 2000
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3100 - Contemporary Sociological Theory**
This course is an extension of classical social theory with an overview of recent sociological theories, major theorists, and theoretical formulations. It includes the key assumptions of different theories, evaluation of each theory, appreciation of the historical development of theories, and how theories shape our understanding of society.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3180 - Immigration**
Students critically engage themes of urban immigration, citizenship and transnationalism, while developing the skills needed for graduate research. They write a professional quality research proposal for a small fieldwork study and participate in the research seminar by helping to critique each other’s proposals. SOC 118, World Regions is recommended as a prerequisite by not required.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Global Citizenship

**SOC 3200 - Contemporary Anthropological Theory**
This course introduces the major theories that inform contemporary anthropology. The course investigates a range of topics including issues of agency, subjectivity, history, social change, power, culture, and representation. The course objectives include: the appreciation of history of the anthropological study, anthropological theory, reading literacy in the discipline, and its communication. Prerequisite: SOC 1200 or instructor's permission.
3.000 Credit hours
SOC 3210 - Science and Pseudoscience
This course will explore the data surrounding notable claims such as Atlantis, Piltdown man, Shroud of Turin, and other myths and hoaxes in anthropology. Students will learn the nature of scientific inquiry and how the scientific method is applied to archaeological as well as other areas of social science research. No prerequisites.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3220 - Urban Sociology
Sociology of the city and the metropolis. Examines processes of change and resistance to change in the urban community; ethnic and racial groupings; the effects of varying social policies and efforts at urban development. Includes field experience.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3230 - Gender and Society
Examination of the impact of large-scale forces on how gender roles are structured and enacted in our society. Particular attention to be paid to the different experiences of men and women in the labor force, politics, and the family.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3240 - Anthropology of Sex & Gender
This course examines human sexuality in an anthropological context, highlighting the importance of integrating biological and cultural aspects of sexuality. Broad perspectives on sexual behavioral patterns across, and within, human cultures are taken. Topics include sexuality in an evolutionary perspective, the physiology of sex, human sexual practices around the world,
and gendered sexuality.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3260 - Peace and Conflict**
This course examines cooperation and conflict in human sociality. We compare the underlying assumptions that humans are innately aggressive or war-like with data to the contrary. We look at cross-cultural examples through a series of readings by contemporary social science authors, and also examine our evolutionary past for clues to what is really “human nature”.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3270 - Environmental Anthropology**
This course examines current ecological problems and conservation/management efforts around the world, and combines case studies with classic anthropological theory to explore the ethical, cultural and biological ramifications of habitat use and environmental change. Topics include population growth, large-scale development, biodiversity conservation, sustainable environmental management, indigenous groups, consumption, and globalization.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Sustainability Focused

**SOC 3280 - Forensic Anthropology**
This course is an introduction to the field of forensic anthropology, which involves the analysis of human skeletal remains within the context of a legal investigation. We will explore knowledge of human osteology, dentition, skeletal variation, and pathology to identify human remains.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
SOC 3290 - Native Peoples of North America
This course is an introduction to past and present indigenous cultures of North America. The course explores the beliefs, behavioral systems, economic and sociopolitical systems, and regional attributes of North America's indigenous peoples.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3300 - Social Psychology
Processes of social interaction and reciprocal influence which arise in and constitute groups. Central emphases is on self image and communication.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3340 - World History and the Development of Human Societies
This course discusses significant archaeological discoveries throughout the world that serve to inform us about our human past, from human origins to the advent of writing, focusing on major cultural changes documented through archaeology.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3350 - Social Movements
Analysis of selected American social movements since 1930, including their precipitating factors, recruitment strategies and consequences. The role of societal power an ideology as well as that of social identification and meaning on collective action are examined.
3.000 Credit hours
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3360 - Racial and Ethnic Relations**
This course provides an interpretive framework for examining the many issues associated with racial and ethnic identity. We will focus primarily on Western models of race and ethnicity, but we will also explore the different ways these concepts are both imagined and perpetuated in other, non-Western societies.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3380 - Power in U.S. Society**
The socioeconomic roots of political affiliation and interest group formation are examined as are the theoretical and practical considerations of the relationship between social structure and political action.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3390 - Cultural Anthropology**
Exploration and examination of different societies including tribal, rural, and urban. Analysis of cultural systems, their legacies, and their meaning in contemporary contexts. Emphasis on cross-cultural case studies that highlight the impact of larger forces such as globalization, acculturation, migration, and social and political organizations.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3420 - Organizations: Theory and Practice**
This course examines some of the salient sociological models, concepts and problems of organizations. The role of students as citizens of an organizational society and as participants in a variety of occupational, civic and value-based organizations is emphasized.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3430 - Marriage and the Family**
Examination of theories and data on different types of families, role assignments, and definitions, pertaining to various types of societies through space and time. Modern aspects of family institutions and problems, with an emphasis on the issue of equality of marriage.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Cult Div: Diversity in the US

**SOC 3460 - Principles of Social Development**
This course looks at the concept of social development which implies value based social change. Sociological thinking is applied to major societal issues both at a national and international level.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3480 - Sociology of Emotions**
This course focuses on a deeply personal yet thoroughly social phenomenon, human emotion. It will examine some of the major themes and notable studies that have emerged in recent decades and students are encouraged to understand and creatively apply course concepts to their own lives and the world around them.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3490 - Sociology of Mental Health**
This course provides an overview of how western society defines and researches mental health, the causes and consequences of mental health problems, and how institutions respond to mental illness. Topics include: perspectives on mental health, stigma, demographics of incidence/prevalence, treatment and institutional responses. No prerequisites.
3.000 Credit hours
SOC 3500 - Social Inequality
The different forms of inequality will be examined from different theoretical perspectives. The course examines the causes and consequences of inequality in society as well as alternative approaches to dealing with the inequality. Prerequisites are: SOC-110, Introduction to Sociology, or SOC-120, Introduction to Anthropology, or SOC-190, Introduction to Criminal Justice, and Research Methods, SOC-200, and Classical Social Theory, SOC 210.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3510 - The Structure of Poverty: Globally and Locally
This course examines the structural causes of poverty at the global and local levels from a multidisciplinary perspective. The course focuses on the social, political, and economic structures that produce and perpetuates poverty. The global dimension of the course focuses on developing countries, while the local dimension focuses especially in the St. Louis area.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3525 - Elite & White Collar Deviance
This course will use sociological and organizational theories to analyze, critique, and examine deviance and crimes committed by organizations, the rich, and powerful. This class will place an emphasis on the social structural (macro-level) and social psychological (micro-level) factors associated with elite and white collar deviance.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 3570 - Sociological Theories of Crime
This course offers theoretical and methodological tools to study the different explanations of criminal and deviant behavior. Students will learn about strain, control, life course,
disorganization, and subcultural theories. The course relates the theories to their historical intellectual origin and the role they play in public policy today.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3575 - Theories of Crime**

This course introduces different explanations of criminal behavior, including the individual and contextual levels variables appropriate for different theories. In addition, the course relates the theories to their historical development and the role they play in public policy. The objectives are to describe the historical development of different theories and clarify the assumptions of different theories.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

General Studies Department

Course Attributes:
Prof. Studies Students Only

**SOC 3580 - Deviant Behavior: Drugs, Alcohol and Addiction**

Deviance takes the forms from simple violations of informal codes of dress (violations) to the systematic eradication of human lives (genocide). Our studies together will consider both individual and systemic deviance, with particular attention paid to deviant behavior on the part of powerful social groups and even entire nations.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: [Entirely Classroom](#), Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3590 - Law and Society**

Examination of the complexities and concerns inherent in sociological and legal understanding of the relationship between law and society. Law is examined both as a social force and a social product.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
The course is designed to analyze the sociological factors and influences that give a particular group of people identity and uniqueness; Examines the sociological skills required to facilitate understanding of different societies and identifies the changes that might be expected in future international relations.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Chemical Forensics is the application of physical science to both the collection and analysis of evidence. This course will introduce various methodologies and applications of chemical and physical principles. Prerequisite: SOC 260 Survey of Forensic Science
4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom

This lecture/laboratory course is an overview of the biological evidence and techniques used in forensic science. Topics include pathology, fingerprinting, forensic anthropology, forensic entomology, serology, DNA hair analysis, botany and microbial forensics. Prerequisite: SOC 260
4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom

This course offers instruction in survey, excavation, artifact identification, mapping, sediment analysis, laboratory and interpretive techniques. In addition, students will attend lectures and discussions on prehistoric archeology and material culture in the American Bottom. Prereq.: consent of instructor.
4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online, Field-based Course
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3720 - Archaeological Lab Method**
This course introduces archaeology, a subfield of anthropology, and the scientific methods and procedures used to investigate, reconstruct, interpret, preserve, and learn from artifacts, features, and ecofacts. Students learn to process, inventory, analyze and interpret the archaeological record and write a preliminary report on their findings.
2.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3840 - African-American Religious Traditions**
The purpose of this class is to expose the student to the historical and social nature of African American Religion. The course will cover the historical development of African American Religion from its African origins up to and including the Civil Rights Movement with some attention given to contemporary black liberation theology.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3850 - Human Sexuality in the Black Community**
In addition to providing general knowledge about human sexuality, this course assists students with gaining an insight into their sexuality and relationships. In addition to examining sexual issues at the personal and relational level, the course focuses on increasing general knowledge and understanding of human sexuality.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 3870 - Metropolitan Environment**

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
SOC 3930 - Special Topics
This course is designed for experimental courses or courses of special interest that are approved by the departmental faculty prior to offering. This opportunity may take the form of a visiting faculty member or another program requesting a unique course at the 300 level for a single semester.
0.000 TO 4.000 Credit hours
Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online, Specialized Lab/Studio

All Sections for this Course

SOC 3EL - 300 Level Sociology Elective
3.000 Credit hours
Schedule Types: Lecture

SOC 3WU - Wash U Inter-University
3.000 Credit hours
3.000 Lecture hours
Schedule Types: Lecture

SOC 4000 - Practicum
Field work in criminal justice, forensic science, and sociology at corrections, probation, parole, and other governmental agencies, as well as business and private social service organizations. Instructor permission required.
1.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours
Schedule Types: Field-based Course

SOC 4010 - Evaluation Research
This course covers both the theory and methods of evaluation research. It provides students with a basic understanding of the social science approaches and techniques to evaluate non-profit and
government agencies. The social and political context in which agencies and social programs operate is incorporated into the analysis. Prerequisites: SOC 2000 and SOC 3010 or 3020
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4020 - Forensic Science Practicum I**
Fieldwork in forensic science at forensic labs, county morgue, and other governmental agencies, as well as business and private social service organizations. Approval of the instructor required.
Every Semester.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Field-based Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4030 - Forensic Practicum II**
Continuation of fieldwork in forensic science at forensic labs, county morgues, and other governmental agencies, as well as business and private social service organizations. Approval of the instructor required.
Every Semester.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Field-based Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4040 - Sociology Practicum**
Fieldwork in governmental agencies, as well as business and private social service organizations.
Approval of instructor required. Every Semester.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Field-based Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4050 - Feminist Social Movements**
This course analyses the American women's equal rights and suffrage movements of the 19th century to the present. The course makes comparisons with feminist movements in European countries. Permission of the instructor.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4080 - Urban Issues: Poverty and Unemployment

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4100 - Introduction to Urban Economic

Analysis of the factors determining economic growth of urban areas. Economic considerations relevant to selected urban problems such as poverty, unemployment, housing and transportation.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4180 - Citizenship: The Struggle to Belong

Students critically engage themes of citizenship in the Western tradition while also building the skills needed for graduate research. Students complete an annotated bibliography and write a professional quality literature review during the class. Students participate in the research seminar by helping to critique each other’s proposals. No prerequisites

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4200 - Cities, Suburbs,&Neighborhoods

This class explores theories that contribute to the historical and contemporary understanding of urban life. Students will explore and critique micro and macro theories related to community, neighborhood, race, and inequality. Students will have the opportunity to engage in empirical research related to urban challenges and opportunities in American cities.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**Course Attributes:**
Sustainability Focused

**SOC 4240 - Primate Social Behavior**
This course examines the social lives of primates. The course includes an introduction to primate evolution and taxonomy and behavioral ecology. The course covers topics such as conservation, behavior, physiology, reproduction, and evolution of social organization will be highlighted. 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4250 - Urban Classics**
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4260 - Census and Neighborhood Analysis**
Examination of analytic approaches to communities and neighborhoods utilizing census and socio-demographic data. 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4310 - Issues in Jurisprudence**
This course focuses on how the courts operate and fit within our democracy. Students will gain an understanding of the Constitutional guarantees including the Due Process Clause and the Equal Protection Clause and various guarantees contained in the Bill of Rights. Criminal Law and Procedure (SOC 439) is a prerequisite. 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4320 - Issues in Law Enforcement**
We study the administration of law enforcement agencies, emphasizing the process, role, organization, and management of policing organizations. Specifically, we will pay particular attention to its history, innovations, the rationale for changes, and impediments to policy and program implementation. Introduction to Criminal Justice (SOC 190) is a prerequisite.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4330 - Issues in Corrections**
This course examines how various institutional and community sanctions (or 'corrections') have been used as a method in responding to crime. Correctional concepts, history, processes and contemporary issues in corrections are explored within the social and legal contexts of correctional facilities function. A prerequisite is SOC 233, Introduction to Corrections.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4510 - Constructing Social Problems**
This course provides an overview of the constructionist approach to social problems. This class examines how problems are 'interpretively constructed' as discussed and debated by various individuals and groups. The process of making claims about problems is the central concern of this course. Prerequisite: SOC 1100 or 1110 or 1120 or 1200
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4520 - Sociological Social Psychology**
An overview of sociological social psychology or symbolic interactionism. Use of classic and current readings to explore interactionist theories and research on topics, including the self, motives, alcohol, emotions, language, and social problems. Prerequisite: SOC 1100 or 1110 or 1120 or 1200
3.000 Credit hours
Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4530 - Urban Ethnography**
This course introduces students to a sociological perspective of everyday social settings by applying methods of systematic, qualitative observation. Throughout this course, you will gain hands-on experience by carrying out your own ethnographic research project. Prerequisite: SOC 1100 or 1110 or 1120 or 1200

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4540 - Environmental Impact**
This course examines the social, economic and environmental dimensions of sustainability in cities around the world. Also examined are policies and opportunities to address the challenges of sustainability from both developed and developing countries.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Sustainability Focused

**SOC 4550 - Crime Scene Investigation**
Crime Scene Investigation is the application of science to both the collection and analysis of evidence at a crime scene. This course will introduce various methodologies and applications of crime scene processing. Prerequisite: SOC 2600

4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4610 - Death Investigation**
This course exposes the various forensic disciplines involved in a medicolegal death investigation and teaches the tools and techniques necessary to perform such an investigation. Disseminating this information is also covered. The course teaches the 29 national guidelines in
Death Investigation: A Guide for the Scene Investigator. SOC 260, Introduction to Forensic Science is a prerequisite. Registration in this course requires concurrent registration in the Medicolegal Death Investigator Course sponsored by the Pathology department in the School of Medicine.
2.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4630 - Sociology of Religion
The sociology of religious institutions, the emergence, maintenance and change of social organizations around religious implement.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4640 - Demography: Measuring and Modeling Population Process
This course covers beginning and intermediate demographic methods. This course consists of lectures, seminars, and labs. Topics to be covered include: Population Dynamics, Economic Dynamics, Social Dynamics, and Applied Demographic Methods and Policy.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online, Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4650 - Introduction to GIS
This class introduces concepts, science and theory of GIS with hands-on experiences. After successful completion of the course, students will be able to demonstrate fundamental techniques of geospatial analysis and mapping. Students may only apply credits towards their graduation requirements from one of the following courses: EAS-417, BIOL-417, or SOC-465.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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SOC 4660 - Intermediate Geographic Information Systems
This course covers intermediate and advanced topics in GIS including remote sensing for GIS, geospatial statistics and GIS in biogeography. Students may only apply credits towards their graduation requirements from one of the following courses: EAS-418, BIOL-418, or SOC-466. Prerequisite: SOC 4650 or BIOL 4170 or EAS 4170
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online, Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4670 - Spatial Demography: Applied Statistics for Spatial Data**
This course covers intermediate and advanced topics in Spatial Statistics. This course consists of lectures, seminars, and labs. Topics to be covered include: Spatial Autocorrelation, Spatial Regression, Geographically Weighted Regression, and Gravity Models. Prerequisite: SOC 4650
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online, Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4680 - Forensic GISc**
This course teaches students how to apply spatial statistics and sociological theories to the study of crime and deviance in American cities. Topics to be covered include: hot spot mapping, journey to crime models, temporal and spatial patterns of crime, and risk terrain modeling.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4700 - Applied Spatial Analysis for Social Sciences**
This course covers advanced topics in demography, spatial statistics, and Geographic Information Science (GIS). Topics to be covered include: gravity models, spatial segregation, spatial inequality, spatial scaling, journey to crime models, risk terrain models, and hierarchal spatial models. Pre-reqs include: SOC 464; SOC 465; and SOC 466.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4800 - Research Activity: Supervised**
This course provides students with research experience under the guidance of a faculty member. Student involvement in various components of the faculty member's research project(s) is the typical form. The course provides competitive advantages for students interested in applying to graduate schools.

1.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Specialized Lab/Studio

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4840 - Sociology Capstone
Provides the opportunity for students to synthesize the knowledge and skills they have gained from previous courses. In the process of examining conventional common sense assumptions, students are encouraged to think critically and deeply about themselves and the world in which they live.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4870 - Capstone in Anthropology
This course allows anthropology majors to write a rigorous 25-page paper that focuses on a single topic in depth. Develop a serious scholarly manuscript that you could use for graduate school applications, or (in exceptional cases) as a paper that could be presented at conferences or submitted to third-tier anthropology journals.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Field-based Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

SOC 4890 - Reading Statistics in Research
This course provides background in statistical techniques for judging the legitimacy of an author’s claims based upon statistical results. It focuses on understanding what a given technique accomplishes statistically, the types of conclusions that can be reached using a technique and how the results are reported in research articles and dissertations.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department
**SOC 4930 - Special Topics**
Students are introduced to key issues involved in sociological research.
0.000 TO 4.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 4950 - Senior Residency**
0.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Individualized Study Course

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**SOC 4980 - Adv Independent Study**
1.000 TO 6.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Individualized Study Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5010 - Organizational Theory and Administration**
The theories of organization exist at the intersection of motivation/leadership, politics, and ethics as they relate to policy. Organizational theory is concerned with matters of organizational design, and thus is a useful complement to the study of motivation and leadership taking place in other disciplines. Further, because the social sciences are more tolerant of departures from the 'rational mode' of organizational behavior than economics and business, it is a favorite location for research and teaching on the politics of organizational behavior and policy. Finally, and related point, social science familiarity with cross-cultural research enables students to discuss values and their relation to policy more fluently than those in other disciplines. Thus, policy is well framed by the study of organizational theory.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 5050 - Quantitative I: Applied Inferential Statistics**
3.000 Credit hours
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5060 - Qualitative Research Methodology**
This course will provide descriptive research methods including participant observation, oral history, and photography and their application to program evaluation and policy analysis. 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

SOC 5100 - Proseminar
This course critically examines the linkage of theoretical and practical issues in criminal justice. Topics include crime causation, policing, adjudication and sentencing, and corrections. offered annually. 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: **Entirely Classroom**, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

SOC 5171 - Law, Policy, Society
This class examines the complexities and concerns inherent in social science and legal understanding of the relationship between law and society. The class will focus on (1) the dynamics and development of law and legal processes and (2) the relationship between law/courts and society. 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

SOC 5200 - Cities, Suburbs, & Neighborhoods
This class explores theories that contribute to the historical and contemporary understanding of urban life. Students will explore and critique micro and macro theories related to community, neighborhood, race, and inequality. Students will have the opportunity to engage in empirical research related to urban challenges and opportunities in American cities. 3.000 Credit hours
SOC 5205 - Science, Technology & Policy
This course will give students a multidisciplinary toolkit to study the impact of science and technology (particularly information technology) on public organizations, public policy, and society. The course is designed for those who work with or want to understand the dynamics such technology introduces into organizations.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 5210 - Law, Crime, and Policy
This course will provide students with theory and analytical skills to understand the socio-political parameters of crime and society's policy response. Students will engage in real world policy analysis with an acute understanding of the political and practical issues involved in constructing public policies.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 5300 - Police Administration
Students examine the components of administering a police agency, including human resource management, budget issues, political and constituent group influence, crime trends, legal issues, and community policing.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 5310 - Issues in Jurisprudence
Policy issues regarding court administration are addressed and students examine practical issues facing modern court administration. Offered annually.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 5320 - Contemporary Issues in Law Enforcement**
Issues in the administration of correctional agencies are addressed, including mission development, management and leadership, policy and practice, human resources, legal issues, and budgeting. Offered Annually.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 5330 - Issues in Corrections**
This course examines how various institutional and community sanctions (or 'corrections') have been used as a method in responding to crime. Correctional concepts, history, processes and contemporary issues in corrections will be explored and discussed within the social and legal contexts in which correctional facilities function. Further, we will examine the theory, practice, and human impact of treating criminal offenders, under correctional supervision, in both community and institutions. Thus, we will study (1) the major themes and issues present within the broad arena of corrections, (2) the conceptual debates and controversies surrounding certain correctional programs and policies, and (3) the current research on community and institutional based corrections activities and their effectiveness.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 5400 - Race, Gender, Class and Criminal Justice**
This course will provide students with an understanding of how various master statuses, including race, gender and social class influence how people are treated by the criminal justice system as perpetrators, victims and practitioners. The ways in which this differential and adverse treatment of 'out groups' by the system threatens social cohesion and conflicts with Constitutional mandates as well as ideas of justice and equality will also be explored.
3.000 Credit hours
SOC 5470 - Adv. Issues in CJ Policy
The general public policy process is presented and students examine the various influences on the development and practical implementation of criminal justice policy. Offered annually.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 5500 - Social Stratification
This course provides an interpretative framework for examining the many issues associated with social stratification and resulting inequalities. We will focus primarily on Western models of stratification, but we will also explore the different ways this concept is both imagined and perpetuated in other, non-Western societies. The emphasis will be on socioeconomics stratification, but we will also look at other forms of stratification such as gender, race, ethnicity, etc.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 5510 - Constructing Social Problems
This course provides an overview of the constructionist approach to social problems.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 5520 - Sociological Social Psy
This course provides an overview of sociological social psychology, which is often broadly referred to a symbolic inter actionism.
3.000 Credit hours
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5530 - Urban Ethnography**
This course introduces students to a sociological perspective of everyday social settings by applying methods of systematic, qualitative observation.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 5540 - Environmental Impact of City**
This course examines the social, economic and environmental dimensions of sustainability in cities around the world.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Sustainability Focused

**SOC 5550 - Comparative Theories of Race / Ethnic Relations**
This course will examine the issues of racial, ethnic, and cultural minority groups in the U.S. and abroad from historical, economic, political, and sociological perspectives. Students will learn theoretical perspectives to address issues relevant to race and ethnic relations. The course will use a seminar format which will require students’ active involvement in presentations and discussion.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 5600 - Research Methodology**
This course offers general knowledge and basic skills of conducting scientific research. This course focuses on several major research techniques, such as survey, experimental, evaluation, qualitative, and unobtrusive methods. Students will develop a research design in the form of grant proposal, Master’s thesis prospectus, Ph.D. dissertation prospectus, or a professional paper as required by individual departments.
SOC 5610 - Death Investigation
This course exposes the various forensic disciplines involved in a medicolegal death investigation and teaches an individual the tools and techniques necessary to perform a thorough, competent medicolegal death investigation. Proper instruction for disseminating this information is also covered. The course is designed to teach the 29 national guidelines as set forth in the National Institutes of Justice 199 publication, Death Investigation: A guide for the Scene Investigator. Registration in this course requires concurrent registration in the Medicolegal Death Investigator Course sponsored by the Pathology department in the School of Medicine.

SOC 5620 - Probtln, Parole, & Comm Correct
This course describes the operations of community corrections programs, addresses the obstacles and challenges to success, and discusses issues in the future. Offered annually.

SOC 5640 - Demography: Measuring & Modeling
This course covers beginning and intermediate demographic methods. This course consists of lectures, seminars, and labs. Topics to be covered include: Population Dynamics, Economic Dynamics, Social Dynamics, and Applied Demographic Methods and Policy.

SOC 5650 - Intro to GIS
This class introduces concepts, science and theory of GIS with hands-on experiences. After
successful completion of the course, students will be able to demonstrate fundamental techniques of geospatial analysis and mapping. Students may only apply credits towards their graduation requirements from one of the following courses: IAS 517, BIOL 517, or SOC 565.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5660 - Intermediate GIS**
This course covers intermediate and advanced topics in GIS including remote sensing for GIS, geospatial statistics and GIS biography. Each part is instructed by a professor specialized in the particular area. Students may only apply credits towards their graduation requirements from one of the following courses: IAS 518, BIOL 518, or SOC 566.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5670 - Spatial Demography: Applied Statistics for Spatial Data**
This course covers intermediate and advanced topics in Spatial Statistics. This course consists of seminars and labs. Topics to be covered include: Spatial Autocorrelation, Spatial Regression, Geographically Weighted Regression and Gravity Models.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5700 - Applied Spatial Analysis**
This course covers advanced topics in computational spatial statistics, geoinformatics, and spatial analytics. This course will provide students with state-of-the art skills to apply cutting-edge geospatial analysis and visualization techniques to study social and economic inequality. Topics include: spatial segregation and inequality, spatial scaling, risk terrain models, and spatial-temporal models.

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5750 - Qualitative Analysis, Grounded Theory Method**
The course will focus on hands-on learning of developing a research design, collecting and analyzing data, interpreting and presenting the results, and publishing the research results. Grounded Theory Method for data collection and analysis will a major framework of research design, and students will lean different paradigms in analyzing qualitative data.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5800 - Survey Design & Sampling**
This course offers basic knowledge and skills of survey methods so that students will be able to apply various techniques for data collection and analysis. During the course, students will learn basic proposal development, instrument preparation, data collection and analysis, and presentation of the results, through hands-on practice. Students are expected to write publishable/presentable manuscripts as a term paper. Prerequisite: One introductory level statistics course.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: [Entirely Classroom](#), Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5840 - Research in Criminal Justice**
Students learn about research outcomes in criminal justice, conduct their own research projects using proper methodologies, and determine how the results of their research can contribute to understanding criminal justice organizations, issues, policies and programs.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5850 - Policy Evaluation and Assessment**
This course will provide students with an understanding of the complexity and scope of policy evaluation and analysis. Students will become familiar with the concepts, methods, and applications of evaluation research. Students will also develop a toolkit to design traditional and cutting-edge evaluation methodology and analysis.
3.000 Credit hours
Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5890 - Reading Statistics in Research**
This course provides background in statistical techniques for judging the legitimacy of an author’s claims based upon statistical results. It focuses on understanding what a given technique accomplishes statistically, the types of conclusions that can be reached using a technique and how the results are reported in research articles and dissertations.
3.000 Credit hours

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**SOC 5910 - Criminal Justice Internship**
For students who do not have extensive criminal justice work experience, this internship will expose them to the operations of a criminal justice organization, and they will have the opportunity to examine a policy issue and develop alternative approaches to resolving the identified problem.
3.000 Credit hours

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**SOC 5930 - Advanced Fieldwork**

1.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours

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**SOC 5950 - Special Study for Exam**

0.000 Credit hours

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**SOC 5970 - Research Topics**
Work specifically with a faculty member in an area of interest that results in a prepared grant proposal or a submission of an article to a professional journal.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Individualized Study Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5980 - Graduate Reading Course**
To prepare for comprehensives or to do more in-depth study of a specific criminal justice area.
1.000 TO 3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Individualized Study Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 5990 - Thesis Research**
0.000 TO 6.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Individualized Study Course

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 6100 - Regression Analysis & Non-linear Models**
This course offers advanced knowledge and skills of multiple regression analysis, logistic regressions, log-linear and logit models so that students will be able to apply various techniques for date analysis. Students are encouraged to use their own data for course assignments. Students will develop a draft of a publishable/presentable manuscript as a term paper. Prerequisite: One introductory level statistics course.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

**SOC 6200 - Nonparametric Statistical Analysis**
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3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily
SOC 6225 - Urban Community Development
This course has three goals: introducing students to the history of community development efforts in the U.S.; assessing the policy goals of these efforts; and reviewing relevant research on this subject. The redevelopment of St. Louis receives special attention. Persons who know about the city's redevelopment present guest lectures.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 6250 - Poverty, Inequality and Public Policy
This course provides a multidisciplinary framework to understand the theories and mechanisms that contribute to poverty and inequality in the U.S. The course will also provide a history of anti-poverty policies interventions and introduce current state of knowledge on policies that work at the national, state, city, and neighborhood level.
3.000 Credit hours

SOC 6300 - U.S. Health Care Policy
This course will provide students with an overview of the U.S. health care system; orient students to the policy process, and increase the student's understanding of the nature of health policy making and health politics; and provide opportunities to develop an in-depth understanding of current health care issues.
3.000 Credit hours
**SOC 6320 - Organization Theory & Behavior**
This course will provide a general focus on theories that provide insights into organizational life. Emphasis is given to public bureaucracies. Topics include motivational theory, management behavior and policy evaluation.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

Sociology & Anthropology Department

Course Attributes:
Sustainability Related

**SOC 6350 - Economic Development Policy**
This course on community economic development policy will focus on three issues: (1) theories of economic development; (2) methodological choices for the scale for community economic development (e.g., neighborhood, street, and block); and (3) Best practices and evidence based approaches to community economic development.
3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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**SOC 6500 - Exploratory and Confirmatory Factor Analysis**

3.000 Credit hours

Schedule Types: Entirely Classroom, Primarily Classroom, Blended (Hybrid) Course, Primarily Online, Entirely Online

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