

UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG Degree Requirements

Major in Sociology

A minimum of 120 credit hours are required to complete the major in Sociology, including the following:

- A minimum of 33 credit hours in Core Curriculum requirements
- A minimum of 30 credit hours in Major Requirements
- A minimum of 21 credit hours in Major Electives
- A minimum of 24 credit hours in Minor Requirements
- A minimum of 6 credit hours Supplemental Courses
- A minimum of 6 credit hours in Free Electives

Core Curriculum Program (33 CH)

Common package (15 CH)

- ARAB 100 Arabic Language I
- ARAB 200 Arabic Language II
- ENGL 110 English I
- ENGL 111 English II
- DAWA 111 Islamic Culture

Social/Behavioral Sciences package (3 CH)

Courses in CCP defined Social/Behavioral Sciences package

Humanities /Fine Arts package (3 CH)

Students must complete a minimum of 3 Credit Hours from courses listed in the Qatar and Gulf History Sub-package part of the Humanities/Fine Arts package

Natural Science/Mathematics package (3 CH)

Courses in CCP defined Natural Science/Mathematics package

Supplemental College /Program core requirements package (9 CH)

- ENGL 250 English for Communication I
- ENGL 251 English for Communication II
- UNIV 100 First Year Seminar

Major Requirements (30 CH)

Students must complete a minimum of 30 Credit Hours in major requirements from the following list:

- SOCI 120 Introduction to Sociology
- SOCI 122 Demography
- SOCI 201 Sociology of Development
- SOCI 261 Quantitative Research Methods
- SOCI 302 Social Change
- SOCI 360 Sociological Theory
- SOCI 301 Social Statistics
- SOCI 300 Qualitative Research Methods
- SOCI 400 Internship
- SOCI 469 Research Project

Major Electives (21 CH)

Students must complete a minimum of 21 credit hours in Major electives courses from the following list:

General Sociology Package

- SOCI 121 Intro to Anthropology
- SOCI 202 Contemporary Arab Society
- SOCI 204 Sociology of Culture
- SOCI 205 Sociology of Gulf Society
- SOCI 306 Digital Society
- SOCI 307 Sociology of Sport
- SOCI 361 Human Rights
- SOCI 363 Ethnicity
- SOCI 402 Political Sociology
- SOCI 403 Industrial Sociology
- SOCI 467 Globalization
- SOCI 471 Special Topics

Development Studies Package

- SOCI 200 Sustainable Development
- SOCI 267 Urban Sociology
- SOCI 308 Sociology of Education
- SOCI 309 Economic Sociology
- SOCI 310 Sociology of Risk
- SOCI 404 Social Problems
- SOCI 405 Environmental Sociology

Population & Migration Studies Package

- SOCI 203 Medical Sociology
- SOCI 264 Sociology of the Family
- SOCI 303 Social Anthropology
- SOCI 304 Sociology of Crime
- SOCI 305 Sociology of Gender
- SOCI 401 Sociology of Organizations
- SOCI 464 Social Policy and Planning

Supplemental Courses Package (6 CH)

Students must complete a minimum of 6 credit hours in Supplemental courses from the following list:

- INTA 102 Introduction to Political Science
- EDUC 200 Education and Social Problems
- PSYC 206 Introduction to Social Psychology
- GEOG 254 Population Geography
- SOWO 309 Voluntary Social Work
- HIST 314 Economic & Social History of the Muslim World

Free Electives (6 CH)

Students must complete a minimum of 12 credit hours in University Free Electives from courses outside the Sociology major

Minor Requirements (24 CH)

Students enrolled in the Sociology program may take any of the Minors offered within the university. If the minor the students enrolled in is less than 24 CH, students must take additional courses as free electives to complete the 24 CH requirements.