# Sociology Bachelor of Science Degree

**Required prerequisite:** SOCIOL 1101 Introduction to Sociology

## Substantive Area Focus Options:

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<th>Population Dynamics and Wellness</th>
<th>Criminology, Law, &amp; Society</th>
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<td><strong>Core Courses (9 hrs):</strong></td>
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<td>SOCIOL 3488 Introduction to Sociological Theory</td>
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<td>SOCIOL 3487 Research Methods in Sociology* (EL: Advanced Writing)</td>
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<td>SOCIOL 3549 Statistics in Sociology* (EL: Data Analysis)</td>
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<td><em><em>Embedded Literacies</em> (3):</em>*</td>
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<td>SOCIOL 3302 Technology and Global Society (EL: Technology)</td>
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### Substantive Area Required Courses (6 hrs)

- SOCIOL 3597.02 World Population Problems, and
- SOCIOL 4629 Health Disparities in Social Context, or
- SOCIOL 5450 Sociology of Global Health and Illness

### Substantive Area Elective Courses (12 hrs, choose 4, 2 must be at the 3000 level or above):

- SOCIOL 2202 Social Problems
- SOCIOL 2290 Sociology of Death & Dying
- SOCIOL 3200 Sociology of Immigration
- SOCIOL 2463 Social Stratification: Race, Class & Gender
- SOCIOL 3630 Medical Sociology
- SOCIOL 4629 Health Disparities in Social Context
- SOCIOL 5450 Sociology of Global Health and Illness
- SOCIOL 2209 Intro to Criminal Justice
- SOCIOL 2380 Intersectionalities and Crime
- SOCIOL 3410 Criminology
- SOCIOL 2463 Social Stratification: Race, Class & Gender
- SOCIOL 4507 The Criminal Justice System
- SOCIOL 4509 Sociology of Law
- SOCIOL 4511 Juvenile Delinquency
- SOCIOL 4611 Jails, Prisons, and Community Corrections
- SOCIOL 5525 Global Criminology

### Required Research (6 hrs):

- SOCIOL 4998 Undergraduate Research Assistance
- SOCIOL 4999.xx Honors/Non-Honors Research Thesis, or Education Abroad (recommended: Rwanda: SOCIOL 3798.03)
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### Advanced Methods/Stats (6 hrs):

- SOCIOL 5649 Quantitative Methods *(offered in AU semester only)*  
  AND
- SOCIOL 5650 Communicating and Presenting Quantitative Research, OR  
  SOCIOL 5608 Qualitative Methods