Double Major in Sociology and Criminology

You can choose to combine course work in both Sociology and Criminology to complete a double major. This option allows you to take additional course work in our department while creating a curriculum that focuses on two distinct disciplines. Typically, a double major in Sociology and Criminology can be completed within the credit hours required to graduate.

If you are interested in pursuing a double major in Sociology and Criminology, please take some time to learn about both areas by reading the Sociology and the Criminology major handouts. After researching the possibility of double majoring, visit with an academic counselor in the Undergraduate Student Services Office in Sociology to map out a curriculum plan that is right for you. Transfer students must complete at least half of their major course work for each major at Ohio State.

REQUIRED COURSES -- 5 Required Courses / 15 credit hours

SOC 3488 Introduction to Sociological Theory

SOC 3463 or H3463 Social Stratification: Race, Class and Gender

SOC 3410 or H3410 Criminology

SOC 3487 or H3487 Research Methods in Sociology

SOC 3549 Statistics in Sociology

INTEGRATED ELECTIVE -- 1 requirement / 3 total credit hours

Choose from:

SOC 3191 Internship Program
SOC 4998 Undergraduate Research

SOC 4000S/E Social Science Business Collaborative: A Service Learning Approach

(Can either count as an upper level OR Integrated Elective for the major)

SOC 4999.01/4999.02 Thesis in Sociology or Criminology

(Can also be taken as either Honors or Non-Honors Thesis)

SOCIOLOGY -- 8 Elective Courses /24 credit hours

At least 12 hours must be completed at the 4000 level or higher These 8 courses **may not** overlap with Criminology courses

Course List: 2202, 2290, 2300, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2345, H2345, H2367.01, H2367.03, 2370, 2391 3200, 3302, 3306, 3380, 3407, 3430, 3434, 3435, 3460, 3464, 3467, 3597.01, 3597.02, 3630, 4591S, 4606, 4607, 4608, 4623, 4635, 4650, 4655, 4666, 4671, 4672, 5450, 5503, 5563, 5601, 5605, 5616, 5629, 5680

CRIMINOLOGY -- 8 Elective Courses / 24 credit hours

At least 12 hours must be completed at the 4000 level or higher These 8 courses **may not** overlap with Sociology courses

Course list: 2194, 2209, 2210, 2211S, 2309, 2310, 2367.02, 3315, 4505, 4507, 4508, 4509, 4510, 4511, 4609, 4610, 4611, 4615, 5525, 5618

TOTAL FOR DOUBLE MAJOR: 22 courses / 66 credit hours

