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Note: See Major Progress Check on GOLD for full list of all degree requirements.

SOCIOLOGY MAJOR, B.A. – 2023-2024

To qualify for admission into the Sociology major, students must complete the courses in Areas A and B with a UC grade-point average of 2.3. Courses in Areas C and D will not be included in the pre-major GPA computation but must be taken for a letter grade and will influence the overall major GPA. **Acceptance into the pre-major does not guarantee admission to full major status.**

Upon satisfactory completion of the pre-major courses, students must complete a change of major petition, available in the Sociology Undergraduate Office.

**Students must complete pre-major courses and achieve the minimum GPA requirements.**

**Courses in areas A and B must be completed with a grade of “C-” or higher.**

### PRE-MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

| A. Sociology 1 and one course from: CMPSC 5A, Communication 87, PSTAT 5A-ZZ | 8 or 9________ |
| B. Two courses from: History 2C, 4C, 8A, 8B, 17B, 17C | 8________ |
| C. Social Science Breadth Requirement: Two courses from the following: | 8________ |
| Anthropology 2, 7; Economics 2; Environmental Studies 2, 3; Geography 5; History 7, 17A; | |
| Political Science 1, 6, 7, 12; Philosophy 3, 4, 6, 7; Psychology 1 | |
| D. Diversity Requirement: One course from the following: | 4________ |
| Asian American Studies 1, 2, 7, 8; Black Studies 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 50; Chicana/o Studies 1A-B-C; | |
| Feminist Studies 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80 | |

### UPPER-DIVISION MAJOR

36 UD Sociology units are required, distributed as follows:

**One methods and research course chosen from:** Sociology 108, 108A-ZZ, 136B. 4________

**One theory course chosen from:** Sociology 185A-ZZ 4________

**One social inequality and stratification course chosen from:** Sociology 122, 122GI, 128, 130GC, 130GR, 130LA, 130ME, 130SG, 131, 134, 134RC, 139A, 139C, 139RN, 144, 145, 153, 154F, 155, 155A, 155B, 155M, 155T, 155W, 156A, 156B, 159LG 4________

**Two courses chosen from one of the following 9 subject areas:** 8________

1. Culture: 108C, 118A-ZZ, 185C
5. Inequality, Institutions, Networks: 105E, 122, 122GI, 126, 131, 145, 164
7. Life Course, Socialization, and Interpersonal Relations: 142, 142A, 147, 149, 152A, 152B
8. Race/Ethnicity/Nation: 128, 139A, 139C, 139RN, 144, 144LY, 154F, 155W, 185D

**Two additional courses chosen from any of the eight remaining subject areas** 8________

**Students may choose the remaining 8 units from any upper-division sociology courses** 8________

**Note:** Courses listed above in more than one area can be applied to only one area.

In cases where there is clear programmatic relevance, the student may propose a maximum of 8 units of UD work in closely related fields as part of the 36 required units; however, these may not be substituted for specifically required courses. Acceptance is contingent upon approval of the department chair.

### MAJOR REGULATIONS

**PREREQUISITES**

Check the General Catalog for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

**P/NP GRADING OPTION**

Up to 8 units combined of the following courses may be taken P/NP for major credit: Sociology 190A, 191CA, 194, 198, 199, 199RA. All other major courses, including those applied to the major from other departments, must be taken for letter grades.

**SUBSTITUTIONS**

In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

**G.P.A. REQUIREMENTS**

At least 2.0 overall UC average in all upper-division major courses and all courses (Prep and UD) for the major.

**DOUBLE MAJORS**

With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.