

# MINOR IN SOCIOLOGY

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Through a minor in sociology, you'll explore the diverse communities and social groups that make up our society, and also examine the many factors influencing their behaviors—from work opportunities and educational attainment to healthcare availability, law enforcement policies and pop-culture trends. You'll understand how factors such as these determine social relationships and organization and learn how various economic and political forces affect the creation of social legislation and the availability of resources.

You will choose from a variety of elective courses that enable you to focus the minor on topics that not only align with your academic interests and career goals but also broaden your perspective in your chosen field. Courses in family dynamics, gender, race, immigration and deviance complement many majors. The ability to examine broader social trends and apply observations in everyday interactions is a crucial skill for social workers, healthcare providers, members of law enforcement and educators at all levels.

For the sociology minor, students are welcome to work with the program director to select 18 credits of coursework that align with the student's interests in the field. A student majoring in gerontology can minor in sociology. Courses taken for a minor may not count toward a GT major. Courses for a GT major may not count toward an SO minor.

Students minoring in Sociology must take 18 credits from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
SO 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SO 101H	Honors Introduction to Sociology	3
SO 200	Special Topics	3
SO 201	Sociological Theory	3
SO 202	Gender and Aging	3
SO 203	How to Get Rich:Sociology in Action	3
SO 205	From College to Career	1
SO 211	Introduction to Social Work	3
SO 225	Social Problems	3
SO 232	Women in the Criminal Justice System	3
SO 235	American Culture and Society	3
SO 241	Sociology of Race and Ethnicity	3
SO 241H	Honors Sociology of Race and Ethnicity	3
SO 244	Race, Gender and Class: Social Inequalities	3
SO 244H	Race, Gender and Class: Social Inequalities	3
SO 250	Youth Crime	3
SO 255	Sociology of Families	3
SO 260	Social Control and Deviance	3
SO 263	Aging in Society Of Aging	3
SO 265	Work, Careers, and You,Sociology of Work	3
SO 266	Population and Society	3

SO 270	Community Program Development	3
SO 271	Public Order Crimes	3
SO 280	Sociology of Health and Illness	3
SO 285	Protest and Social Change	3
SO 290	Research Methods	3
SO 302	Sociology of Sexualities	3
SO 303	Popular Culture and the Media (WGS 303)	3
SO 304	Sociology of Gender	3
SO 305	Sociology of Death and Dying	3
SO 306	Masculinities	3
SO 307	Sociology of Sport	3
SO 308	The Immigrant Experience	3
SO 310	Sociology of Childhood	3
SO 315	Social Work Case Management	3
SO 317	Religion and Society	3
SO 320	Sociology of Hip-Hop Culture	3
SO 329	Environmental Sociology	3
SO 330	Perspectives on Violence	3
SO 333	Drugs, Alcohol and Society	3
SO 355	Crime and Media	3
SO 360	Sociology of Mental Health	3
SO 365	Aging and Social Problems	3
SO 375	Sociology of the Everyday	3
SO 370	Adoption and Society	3
SO 382	Studying Social Issues with Statistics	3
SO 392	Internship in the Community	3
SO 394	Advanced Internship in the Community	3
SO 400	Senior Seminar	3