

# SOCIOLOGY, B.A.

## Program Learning Outcomes

*Students who complete the program in Sociology will be able to:*

1. Understand society and social behavior in groups and society.
2. Develop competency in social research and social analysis.
3. Demonstrate preparation for post-graduate education.
4. Demonstrate preparation for employment.

*Students who complete the program in Criminal Justice will be able to:*

1. Demonstrate comprehension of the theoretical and legal foundations of criminal justice.
2. Demonstrate knowledge of each of the components of the criminal justice system: the historical background, structure, function, and purpose.
3. Demonstrate understanding and appreciation of the social realities, discrimination, and conflicts in the criminal justice system resulting from racial, socio-economic, and cultural inequities.
4. Demonstrate ethical and professional behavior, and apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills, in an approved internship setting.

## Concentrations

- General Sociology (p. 1)
- Criminal Justice (p. 1)

### General Sociology Concentration

| Code                                      | Title                                       | Units |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-------|
| <b>Lower-Division Core Requirements</b>   |                                             |       |
| SWF 1000                                  | Living Justly in Contemporary Society (GE)  | 3     |
| SOC 1001                                  | Introduction to Sociology (GE)              | 3     |
| <b>Upper-Division Core Requirements</b>   |                                             |       |
| SWF 3006                                  | Research Basics                             | 3     |
| SWF 3015                                  | Health and Well-Being (GE)                  | 2     |
| SOC 4015                                  | Social Theory                               | 3     |
| SOC 4060                                  | Applied Research Methods and Design         | 3     |
| SOC 4076                                  | Senior Seminar in Sociology                 | 3     |
| <b>Concentration Courses</b>              |                                             |       |
| SOC 4044                                  | Globalization and Culture                   | 3     |
| SOC 4071                                  | Internship in Sociology (4 units required)  | 4     |
| Diversity:                                |                                             |       |
| SOC 3005<br>or SOC 3060                   | Social Stratification<br>Race and Ethnicity | 3     |
| Institutions:                             |                                             |       |
| Choose one (1) course from the following: |                                             | 3     |
| SOC 2050                                  | Sociology of the Family                     |       |
| SOC 4030                                  | Sociology of Religion                       |       |
| SOC 4075                                  | Sociology of Education                      |       |
| Choose 12 units from the following:       |                                             | 12    |
| SOC 3005                                  | Social Stratification                       |       |
| SOC 3010                                  | Criminology                                 |       |
| SOC 3014                                  | Juvenile Delinquency                        |       |
| SOC 3016                                  | Sociology of Aging                          |       |

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| SOC 3020 | Social Psychology                       |
| SOC 3021 | Justice, Politics, and the Social World |
| SOC 3030 | The Development of Feminist Thought     |
| SOC 3050 | Urban Sociology                         |
| SOC 3060 | Race and Ethnicity                      |
| SOC 4020 | Social Change                           |
| SOC 4030 | Sociology of Religion                   |
| SOC 4035 | Environmental Sociology                 |
| SOC 4070 | Medical Sociology                       |
| SOC 4075 | Sociology of Education                  |
| SOC 4090 | Special Topics in Sociology             |
| SOC 4091 | Independent Studies in Sociology        |

**Total Units** **45**

### Criminal Justice Concentration

| Code                                    | Title                                             | Units     |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| <b>Lower-Division Core Requirements</b> |                                                   |           |
| SWF 1000                                | Living Justly in Contemporary Society (GE)        | 3         |
| SOC 1001                                | Introduction to Sociology (GE)                    | 3         |
| <b>Upper-Division Core Requirements</b> |                                                   |           |
| SWF 3006                                | Research Basics                                   | 3         |
| SWF 3015                                | Health and Well-Being (GE)                        | 2         |
| SOC 4015                                | Social Theory                                     | 3         |
| SOC 4060                                | Applied Research Methods and Design               | 3         |
| SOC 4076                                | Senior Seminar in Sociology                       | 3         |
| <b>Concentration Courses</b>            |                                                   |           |
| Lower-Division Requirements:            |                                                   |           |
| SOC 2009                                | Introduction to Criminal Justice                  | 3         |
| POL 1065                                | U.S. Democracy (GE)                               | 4         |
| Upper-Division Requirements             |                                                   |           |
| SOC 3010                                | Criminology                                       | 3         |
| SOC 3060                                | Race and Ethnicity                                | 3         |
| SOC 4009                                | Criminal Law                                      | 3         |
| SOC 4010                                | Constitutional Foundations of Criminal Justice    | 3         |
| SOC 4072                                | Internship in Criminal Justice (4 units required) | 4         |
| SOC 4080                                | Restorative Justice                               | 3         |
| PSY 3021                                | Abnormal Psychology                               | 3         |
| <b>Total Units</b>                      |                                                   | <b>49</b> |

**Note(s):** Accepting Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) (<https://pointloma-public.courseleaf.com/prior-catalogs/2024-2025/tug-catalog/colleges-schools-departments/ad/t/>)