

SOCIOLOGY (BS)

This program was approved for students entering the university in the Summer 2025-Spring 2026 catalog year. For more information about catalog year, go to Catalog Year Information (<https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/university-wide-unit-specific-policies/catalog-year/>).

Bachelor of Science in Sociology

Unit: College of Arts and Sciences (AS) (<https://louisville.edu/artsandsciences/>)

Department: Sociology (<http://louisville.edu/sociology/>)

Academic Plan Code(s): SOC_BS, SOC_BS_O, SOC_BS_HMW, SOC_BS_HMO

Program Information

This program can be completed 100% online. (<https://louisville.edu/online/programs/bachelors/bachelor-of-arts-in-sociology/>)

Sociology students learn how to address these issues through scientific research and application, and, as our world continuously evolves. Sociology majors are well prepared to offer insight into these changes and how best to accommodate them. Sociology majors are offered a rich environment within which to develop skills in critical thinking, analytic problem-solving, and communication that are required by employers and/or that prepare them for a range of graduate programs.

Given the training in research methods, statistics, and topical areas, employment opportunities for sociology majors are plentiful in social service agencies; federal, state, and local governments; nonprofit organizations; and private enterprises. The emerging global economic order and the increased complexity of corporate cultures promise to open even more opportunities for our graduates. Some sociology majors help companies develop global marketing strategies, and others work to enhance the culture and organization of corporations.

Sociology students pursue careers in a variety of fields: business, child welfare, computer industry, criminal justice, education (teaching, evaluation research, consultation, research), gerontology, health care, international relations, law, law enforcement, leisure/recreation/sport, military/military intelligence, social work, and urban planning or management, and more.

Completion of this degree requires work to be submitted for the department's Learning Outcomes Measurement. For details, contact the department.

Degree Summary

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) ¹	31
	College/School Requirements	13-15
	Program/Major Requirements	18
	Track Requirements ²	60
Minimum Total Hours		122-124

¹ Some credit hours from the General Education Requirements may be satisfied by courses defined by the program, in which case additional electives will be required to complete the minimum hours for the degree. See the Degree Requirements tab for specific coursework.

² Sociology offers two BS options, one track and one non-track. For both options, please refer to the Track Requirements tab.

Specific coursework information can be found on the Degree Requirements tab.

Departmental Admission Requirements

Admission to the BS in Sociology requires:

1. Completion of SOC 301 with a grade of C or better.
2. Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0.
3. Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 in sociology courses, if any have been taken.

The Change Major Request form can be found under the Academic Progress tile on ULink.

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) [*]	31
The following courses are required by the program and can satisfy the respective General Education Requirement:		
SOC 202	Social Problems - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 206	Social Justice - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 210	Race in the United States - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

^{*}All degrees require the completion of the University-wide General Education Program (link provided above). Some General Education requirements may be met in the requirements for the major or supporting coursework, in which case additional electives may be required to complete the minimum hours for the degree.

College/School Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Arts & Sciences Requirements		
GEN 100	Student Success Center First Year Experience	1
or GEN 101	Arts & Sciences First Year Experience	
	Foreign Language ¹	6-8
	Electives in Humanities or Natural Sciences at 300-level or above ²	6
	WR—two approved courses at the 300 level or above ³	
Minimum Total Hours		13-15

Program/Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Department of Sociology		
SOC 201	Introduction to Sociology - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
SOC 202	Social Problems - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) ⁴	3
or SOC 206	Social Justice - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 210	Race in the United States - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 301	Introduction to Social Statistics ⁵	3
SOC 303	Introduction to Research Methods - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) ⁵	3
SOC 320	Social Theory - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
SOC 323	Diversity and Inequality	3
Minimum Total Hours		18

Code	Title	Hours
Track Requirements (see Track Requirements tab)		60

At least 50 of the total minimum hours required must be at the 300 level or above.

Completion of this degree requires completion of SOC 303 and SOC 320 with a grade of C or better.

Code	Title	Hours
Culminating Undergraduate Experience (For students admitted Summer 2014 or later)		
Requirement fulfilled by completing one of the following:		
SOC 400	Independent Study - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 405	Community Engagement - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 410	Sociology of Aging - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 415	Sociology of Death & Dying - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 425	Sociology of Leisure - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

SOC 435	Sociology of Health and Illness - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 440	The Health Care System - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 450	Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 454	Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 464	Race and Ethnicity - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 470	Political Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 472	Sociology of Education - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)
SOC 499	Senior Honors Thesis - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)

¹ Completion of the second semester of a single foreign language; hours will vary depending on the language taken.

² In addition to courses counted toward General Education.

³ May be incorporated into other degree requirements.

⁴ May be used to satisfy a General Education requirement.

⁵ Students may be allowed to substitute a statistics course for SOC 301 (specifically, ANTH 376, BIOL 350, CJ 326, HSS 377, or PSYC 301) and/or a methods course for SOC 303 (specifically, BSW 426 or CJ 325). Any other substitutions must be approved by the department undergraduate program mentor. If a student opts to substitute one or both of these courses with a course from the approved list above, they must take a 300+ level sociology elective in lieu of the required sociology course(s) and must also earn a C or better in the statistics and/or methods course from the other department for it to count it toward sociology degree requirements.

No-track, Sociology BS

Academic Plan Code(s): SOC_BS

Code	Title	Hours
Environment, Health, and Population Studies		
Select one of the following courses:		3
SOC 305	Urban Sociology	
SOC 315	Environmental Sociology	
SOC 329	Sociology of Families	
SOC 332	Japanese Families	

SOC 340	Mental Health and Illness	
SOC 342	Medical Sociology	
SOC 343	Sociology of Women's Health	
SOC 350	Special Topics in Sociology (if topic applicable)	
SOC 392	Faces of Global Poverty - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
Social Inequalities, Behavioral, and Structural Studies		
Select two of the following courses:		6
SOC 325	Sociology of Human Sexuality	
SOC 327	Sociology of Gender	
SOC 334	Sociology of Deviant Behavior	
SOC 336	Criminology	
SOC 350	Special Topics in Sociology (if topic applicable)	
SOC 374	Money, Economics and Society - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 380	Animals and Society	
Four 400-level Sociology electives		12
One 200+ level Sociology elective		3
SOC 400	Independent Study - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
or SOC 405	Community Engagement - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 499	Senior Honors Thesis - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
Social Science Supporting Courses		
Select one of the following courses:		3
ANTH 201	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
AST 310	Introduction to Asian Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
AST 314	Introduction to Japanese Society - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
LALS 310	Introduction to Latin American Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

LALS 311	Introduction to U.S. Latino Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
PAS 200	Introduction to Pan-African Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 201	Women In American Culture - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 202	Seeing Gender: Introduction to Gender in Visual Studies - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 301	Introduction to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies	
Electives in Social Sciences other than Sociology, of which 6 hours must be at 300 level or above		21
Minimum Electives ¹		9
Minimum Total Hours		60

¹ Students may also count courses used to satisfy Cardinal Core requirements to meet the supporting course requirements. This may require additional electives to complete the minimum hours required for the degree.

BS in Sociology with a Track in Health, Medicine, and Well-Being

Academic Plan Code: SOC_BS_HMW

Code	Title	Hours
Select one of the following courses:		3
SOC 305	Urban Sociology	
SOC 315	Environmental Sociology	
SOC 332	Japanese Families	
SOC 325	Sociology of Human Sexuality	
SOC 327	Sociology of Gender	
SOC 329	Sociology of Families	
SOC 334	Sociology of Deviant Behavior	
Select two of the following courses:		6
SOC 340	Mental Health and Illness	
SOC 342	Medical Sociology	
SOC 343	Sociology of Women's Health	
SOC 350	Special Topics in Sociology (if topic applicable)	
Select four of the following courses:		12
SOC 410	Sociology of Aging - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 415	Sociology of Death & Dying - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 417	Reproductive Justice	

SOC 425	Sociology of Leisure - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 435	Sociology of Health and Illness - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 440	The Health Care System - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 442	Sociology of Disabilities	
SOC 450	Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) (if topic applicable)	
SOC 454	Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
One 200+ Sociology elective		3
SOC 400	Independent Study - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
or SOC 405	Community Engagement - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 499	Senior Honors Thesis - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
Social Science Supporting Courses		
Select one of the following courses:		3
ANTH 201	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
AST 310	Introduction to Asian Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
AST 314	Introduction to Japanese Society - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
LALS 310	Introduction to Latin American Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
LALS 311	Introduction to U.S. Latino Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

PAS 200	Introduction to Pan-African Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 202	Seeing Gender: Introduction to Gender in Visual Studies - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 201	Women In American Culture - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 301	Introduction to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies	
Electives in Social Sciences other than Sociology, of which 18 hours must come from the course list indicated below; 6 hours must be at the 300+ level, and 3 hours must be an ethics course ¹		21
Minimum Electives ²		9
Minimum Total Hours		60

¹ Eighteen hours must be taken from the courses listed in the table below.

² Students may also count courses used to satisfy Cardinal Core requirements to meet the supporting course requirements. This may require additional electives to complete the minimum hours required for the degree.

Code	Title	Hours
ANTH 207	Principles of Biological Anthropology - B (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	4
ANTH 303	Human Origins	3
ANTH 307	Darwin	3
ANTH 308	Primates	3
ANTH 309	Sex, Gender and Culture	3
ANTH 327	The Human Skeleton	3
ANTH 328	Environmental Archaeology	3
ANTH 351	Medical Anthropology	3
ANTH 353	Evolutionary Anthropology	3
ANTH 354	Anthropology of Infectious Disease	3
ANTH 355	Black Death: The Pandemic that Changed Human History	3
ANTH 356	Dental Anthropology	3
ANTH 363	Special Topics in Biological Anthropology (if topic applicable)	1-3
ANTH 384	Anthropology of Death	3
ANTH 410	Skeletal Forensics	3
ANTH 535	Nutritional Anthropology	3
ANTH 540	Health and Civilization	3
COMM 430	Health Communication - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
COMM 355	Health and the Media - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3

COMM 436	Health Communication Campaign Planning - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3	PHPH 101	Introduction to Public Health - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
CJ 352	Sex Crimes	3	PHPH 250	Special Topics in Public Health Sciences (if topic applicable)	1-3
CJ 415	Drugs and Crime	3	PHPH 401	Public Health and Health Policy	3
ECON 355	Health Economics	3	PHPH 420	Practice of Public Health	3
GEOG 362	Disease, Ecology and Environmental Management in Africa - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3	PHPH 431	Contemporary Issues in Public Health I	3
HSS 184	Healthy Lifestyles I	3	PSYC 305	Brain and Behavior	3
HSS 200	Introduction to Health Education	3	PSYC 306	Life Span Developmental Psychology	3
HSS 263	Introduction to Exercise Physiology	3	PSYC 320	Exercise Psychology	3
HSS 293	Social and Psychological Dimensions of Physical Activity - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3	PSYC 325	Health Psychology	3
HSS 310	Healthy Lifestyles II	3	PSYC 342	Drugs and Behavior	3
HSS 318	Diverse Populations in Physical Activity and Health	3	WGST 302	LGBTQ and Applied Healthcare	3
HSS 384	Teaching Health Education	3	WGST 312	Sociology of Women's Health	3
HSS 392	Principles of Sport and Exercise Psychology	3	WGST 364	Women's Health Issues - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
HSS 455	Current Trends and Issues in Health Education - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3	WGST 391	Topics in Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies: Social Sciences (if topic applicable)	3
PHEH 301	Public Health and Our Environment	3	WGST 393	Topics in Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies: Humanities - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) (if topic applicable)	3
PHEH 325	Public Health Nutrition	3	WGST 415	Sociology of Disabilities	3
PHEH 330	Childhood Nutrition from a Public Health Perspective	3	WGST 417	Reproductive Justice	3
PHEH 331	Food Composition and Public Health	3	WGST 418	Domestic Violence	3
PHEH 332	Nutrition Assessment Tools	3	WGST 491	Topics in Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies: Social Sciences (if topic applicable)	3
PHEP 300	Epidemics, Pandemics and Syndemics	3	WGST 493	Topics in Women's, Gender and Sexuality Studies: Humanities - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) (if topic applicable)	3
PHEP 301	Global Public Health - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SBH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3	WGST 509	Women and Medicine	3
PHEP 305	Introduction to Social Epidemiology	3	No-Track Sociology BS		
PHEP 310	Environmental Epidemiology	1	Year 1		
PHEP 311	Environment and Cancer Epidemiology	3	Fall		
PHEP 320	Climate Change, Environmental Degradation and the Epidemiology of Global Health	3	GEN 100 or GEN 101	Student Success Center First Year Experience or Arts & Sciences First Year Experience	1
PHEP 325	Introduction to Maternal and Child Health	3	ENGL 101	Introduction to College Writing - WC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PHEP 341	Epidemiological Concepts and Methods for Public Health	3	SOC 201	Introduction to Sociology - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PHEP 501	Introduction to Epidemiology	3	General Education: Cardinal Core Quantitative Reasoning - QR		
PHPB 300	Social and Behavioral Foundations of Public Health	3	Foreign Language 1		
PHPB 301	Health Equity - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3	Select one of the following:		
PHPB 310	Power, Oppression & Liberation in Social Systems	3	ANTH 201	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PHPB 311	Policy and Systems of Power	3	AST 310	Introduction to Asian Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
PHPB 312	Social Justice Practice in Public Health	3			
PHPB 313	Strategies for Social Action	3			
PHPB 321	Social Justice and Youth Activism	3			
PHPB 322	Climate Change, Social Justice, and Healthy Equity	3			

AST 314	Introduction to Japanese Society - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
LALS 310	Introduction to Latin American Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
LALS 311	Introduction to U.S. Latino Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
PAS 200	Introduction to Pan-African Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 201	Women In American Culture - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 202	Seeing Gender: Introduction to Gender in Visual Studies - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
WGST 301	Introduction to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies	
Hours		16-17
Spring		
ENGL 102	Intermediate College Writing - WC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
Foreign Language 2		3-4
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities - AH		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences Lab - L		1
SOC 202 or SOC 206 or SOC 210	Social Problems - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) or Social Justice - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) or Race in the United States - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
Hours		16-17
Year 2		
Fall		
SOC 301	Introduction to Social Statistics	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities Global Perspectives - AHP2		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Oral Communication - OC		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences - S		3
Sociology elective (200 level or above)		3
Hours		15
Spring		
SOC 303	Introduction to Research Methods - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
SOC 323	Diversity and Inequality	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Social & Behavioral Sciences Historical Perspective - SBH		3
Social Science elective		3
Humanities or Natural Science elective (300 level or above)		3
Hours		15
Year 3		
Fall		
SOC 320	Social Theory - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3

Humanities or Natural Science elective (300 level or above)		3
Environment, Health and Population Studies elective (300 level) (SOC 350 must have an applicable topic)		3
SOC 305 or SOC 315 or SOC 329 or SOC 332 or SOC 340 or SOC 342 or SOC 343 or SOC 350 or SOC 392	Urban Sociology or Environmental Sociology or Sociology of Families or Japanese Families or Mental Health and Illness or Medical Sociology or Sociology of Women's Health or Special Topics in Sociology or Faces of Global Poverty - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
Social Inequalities, Behavioral, and Structural Studies elective (300 level) (SOC 350 must have an applicable topic)		3
SOC 325 or SOC 327 or SOC 334 or SOC 336 or SOC 350 or SOC 374 or SOC 380	Sociology of Human Sexuality or Sociology of Gender or Sociology of Deviant Behavior or Criminology or Special Topics in Sociology or Money, Economics and Society - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) or Animals and Society	
Social Science elective		3
Hours		15
Spring		
Sociology elective from Social Inequalities, Behavioral, and Structural Studies (SOC 350 must have an applicable topic)		3
SOC 325 or SOC 327 or SOC 334 or SOC 336 or SOC 350 or SOC 374 or SOC 380	Sociology of Human Sexuality or Sociology of Gender or Sociology of Deviant Behavior or Criminology or Special Topics in Sociology or Money, Economics and Society - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/) or Animals and Society	
Sociology elective (400 level)		3
Social Science elective		3
Social Science elective (300 level or above)		3
Social Science elective		3
Hours		15
Year 4		
Fall		
Sociology elective (400 level)		3
Sociology elective (400 level)		3
Social Science elective		3
Social Science elective (300 level or above)		3
General elective		3
Hours		15

Spring

SOC 400	Independent Study - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
or SOC 405	or Community Engagement - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 499	or Senior Honors Thesis - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

Sociology elective (400 level)	3
Social Science elective (300 level)	3
General elective	3
General elective	3
Hours	15
Minimum Total Hours	122-124

Track in Health, Medicine, and Well-Being

Year 1

Fall		Hours
GEN 100	Student Success Center First Year Experience	1
or GEN 101	or Arts & Sciences First Year Experience	
ENGL 101	Introduction to College Writing - WC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
SOC 201	Introduction to Sociology - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Quantitative Reasoning-QR		3
Foreign Language 1		3-4
Select one of the following:		3

ANTH 201	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or AST 310	or Introduction to Asian Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or AST 314	or Introduction to Japanese Society - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or LALS 310	or Introduction to Latin American Studies - D2 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or LALS 311	or Introduction to U.S. Latino Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or PAS 200	or Introduction to Pan-African Studies - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or WGST 201	or Women In American Culture - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or WGST 202	or Seeing Gender: Introduction to Gender in Visual Studies - AH (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or WGST 301	or Introduction to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies	

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ENGL 102	Intermediate College Writing - WC (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
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Foreign Language 2		3-4
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities-AH		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences-S		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences Lab-SL		1
SOC 202	Social Problems - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
or SOC 206	or Social Justice - D1 (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 210	or Race in the United States - SB (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	

Hours 16-17**Year 2**

Fall		
SOC 301	Introduction to Social Statistics	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Arts & Humanities Global Perspectives - AHP2		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Oral Communication-OC		3
General Education: Cardinal Core Natural Sciences-S		3
Sociology elective (200 level or above)		3

Hours 15**Spring**

SOC 303	Introduction to Research Methods - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
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SOC 323	Diversity and Inequality	3
General Education: Cardinal Core Social and Behavioral Sciences Historical Perspective-SBH		3
Social Science elective		3
Humanities or Natural Science elective (300 level or above)		3
Hours		15

Year 3

Fall		
SOC 320	Social Theory - WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
Humanities or Natural Sciences elective (300 level or above)		3
One of the following Sociology electives:		3
SOC 305	Urban Sociology	
or SOC 315	or Environmental Sociology	
	or Sociology of Human Sexuality	
or	or Sociology of Gender	
SOC 325	or Japanese Families	
or	or Sociology of Families	
SOC 327	or Sociology of Deviant Behavior	
or		
SOC 332		
or		
SOC 329		
or		
SOC 334		
One of the following track electives (SOC 350 must have an applicable topic): ²		3
SOC 340	Mental Health and Illness	
or SOC 342	or Medical Sociology	
	or Sociology of Women's Health	
or	or Special Topics in Sociology	
SOC 343		
or		
SOC 350		
Social science elective		3
Hours		15

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One of the following track electives (SOC 350 must have an applicable topic):			3
SOC 340	Mental Health and Illness		
or SOC 342	or Medical Sociology		
	or Sociology of Women's Health		
or	or Special Topics in Sociology		
SOC 343			
or			
SOC 350			
One of the following 400 level Sociology courses (SOC 450 must have an applicable topic):			3
SOC 410	Sociology of Aging - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
or SOC 415	undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
	or Sociology of Death & Dying - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
or	or Reproductive Justice		
SOC 417	or Sociology of Leisure - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
or	or Sociology of Health and Illness - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
SOC 425	or The Health Care System - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
or	or Sociology of Disabilities		
SOC 435	or Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
or	or Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
SOC 440	WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)		
or			
SOC 442			
or			
SOC 450			
or			
SOC 454			

General elective	3
Social Science elective ¹	3
Social science elective ¹	3

Hours 15

Year 4

Fall		
SOC 400	Independent Study - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	3
or SOC 405	undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 499	or Community Engagement - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
	or Senior Honors Thesis - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
One of the following 400 level Sociology electives (SOC 450 must have an applicable topic):		3
SOC 410	Sociology of Aging - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 415	undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
	or Sociology of Death & Dying - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Reproductive Justice	
SOC 417	or Sociology of Leisure - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Sociology of Health and Illness - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 425	or The Health Care System - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Sociology of Disabilities	
SOC 435	or Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 440	WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or		
SOC 442		
or		
SOC 450		
or		
SOC 454		
Social science elective ¹		3
Ethics course related to health, medicine and well-being ²		3
General elective		3
Hours		15

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Two of the following 400 level Sociology electives (SOC 450 must have an applicable topic):	6
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SOC 410	Sociology of Aging - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or SOC 415	or Sociology of Death & Dying - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Reproductive Justice	
SOC 417	or Sociology of Leisure - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Sociology of Health and Illness - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 425	or The Health Care System - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 435	or Sociology of Disabilities	
or	or Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 440	or Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 442	or Sociology of Disabilities	
or	or Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
SOC 450	or Social Inequality & Stratification - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/), WR (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
or	or Sociology of Disabilities	
SOC 454	or Special Topics in Sociology - CUE (https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/general-education-requirements/)	
Social science elective (300 level or above) ¹		3
General elective		3
General elective		3
Hours		15
Minimum Total Hours		122-124

¹ Social science electives must be selected from the following:
 ANTH 207, ANTH 303, ANTH 307, ANTH 308, ANTH 309, ANTH 327, ANTH 328, ANTH 351, ANTH 353, ANTH 354, ANTH 355, ANTH 356, ANTH 363 (if topic applicable), ANTH 384, ANTH 410, ANTH 535, ANTH 540, COMM 355, COMM 430, COMM 436, CJ 352, CJ 415, ECON 355, GEOG 362, HSS 184, HSS 200, HSS 263, HSS 293, HSS 310, HSS 318, HSS 384, HSS 392, HSS 455, PSYC 305, PSYC 306, PSYC 320, PSYC 325, PSYC 342, PHEH 301, PHEH 325, PHEH 330, PHEH 331, PHEH 332, PHEP 300, PHEP 301, PHEP 305, PHEP 310, PHEP 311, PHEP 320, PHEP 325, PHEP 341, PHEP 501, PHPB 300, PHPB 301, PHPB 310, PHPB 311, PHPB 312, PHPB 313, PHPB 321, PHPB 322, PHPH 101, PHPH 250, PHPH 401, PHPH 420, PHPH 431, WGST 302, WGST 312, WGST 364, WGST 391 (if topic applicable), WGST 393 (if topic applicable), WGST 415, WGST 417, WGST 418, WGST 491 (if topic applicable), WGST 493 (if topic applicable), or WGST 509.

² PHIL 323 is an example of an appropriate ethics course. Other possible courses that may be used to satisfy this requirement should be discussed with the student's advisor.

The Flight Plan outlined above is intended to demonstrate one possible path to completing the degree within four years. Course selection and placement within the program may vary depending on course offerings and schedule, elective preferences, and other factors (study abroad, internship availability, etc.). Please consult your advisor for additional information about building a flight plan that works for you.

Degree Audit Report

Degree Audit reports illustrate how your completed courses fulfill the requirements of your academic plan, and which requirements are still outstanding. Degree audits also take transfer credits and test credits into account. "What-if" reports allow you to compare the courses you have completed in your current academic plan to the courses required in another academic plan. Should you have questions about either report, please consult with your academic advisor.

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The Flight Planner tool is available for you to create a personalized Flight Plan to graduation. Advisors have access to review your Flight Planner and can help you adjust it to ensure you remain on track to graduate in a timely manner.

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2. Click on the Academic Progress tile.
3. Select the appropriate report.
 - a. To run a Degree Audit report, click on "View my Degree Audit."
 - b. To create a What-if report, click on "What-if Advisement Report."
 - c. To run a Flight Planner report, click on "Use My Flight Planner."

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