

# Sociology (SOCl)

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## **SOCl 1001 Principles of Sociology (3 credits)**

An introductory survey of the discipline including social structures, social institutions, social differentiation and stratification, social power, the processes of human interactions, and methods of sociological investigation.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* Engage Social Systems & Values 1

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Summer Term, 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Summer Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCl%201001>)

## **SOCl 1101 Advocacy for a Just World (3 credits)**

Develop practical skills to engage across differences and to advocate for those who are marginalized due to their social identities. Understanding and embracing diversity is essential for personal and professional growth, effective communication, and fostering inclusive communities in today's interconnected world. Acquire knowledge, skills and perspectives necessary to appreciate, respect and celebrate differences across various dimensions of identity including race/ethnicity, religion, socioeconomic status, gender identity/expression, sexual orientation and abilities and disabilities.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* Engage Social Systems & Values 1

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCl%201101>)

## **SOCl 2060 Social Statistics (3 credits)**

Logic and application of statistical reasoning in social research. Topics may include descriptive statistics, elements of probability theory, estimation, hypothesis testing, contingency tables, correlation, regression, sampling, questionnaire construction and measurement. Introduction to the use of the computer in statistical analysis. Credit is not granted if a student has earned credit for another elementary statistics course.

*Prerequisite:* CRLS 1001, SOCl 1001 or SOWJ 1001; or cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Cognitive Science, International Affairs, Public History

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Summer Term, 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Summer Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCl%202060>)

## **SOCl 2060H Honors Social Statistics (4 credits)**

Logic and application of statistical reasoning in social research. Topics may include descriptive statistics, elements of probability theory, estimation, hypothesis testing, contingency tables, correlation, regression, sampling, questionnaire construction and measurement. Introduction to the use of the computer in statistical analysis. As an honors program course, includes a more intensive research or project component.

*Prerequisite:* CRLS 1001, SOCl 1001 or SOWJ 1001; admission to Marquette University Honors Program.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Cognitive Science, International Affairs, Public History

*Last four terms offered:* 2020 Fall Term, 2019 Fall Term, 2018 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCl%202060H>)

## **SOCl 2200 The Family (3 credits)**

Provides a sociological introduction to patterns of family formation and contemporary trends in family life. Examines historical and contemporary contexts that shape the meaning and importance of the family in society. Examines culture, race and ethnicity, religion, social class, gender and sexual orientation to understand how families define, form and maintain relationships.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Family Studies, Gender and Sexualities Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Summer Term, 2023 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCl%202200>)

## **SOCl 2480 Sport and Society (3 credits)**

The symbiotic relationship between sport and society. Topics include the connections between sports and social mobility, sports and race, sports and gender, and sports and community identification. Shows how sports are a pervasive feature of everyday urban life. SOCl 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2021 Spring Term, 2020 Summer Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCl%202480>)

**SOCI 2500 Self, Language and Social Interaction (3 credits)**

Perspectives on the individual self in society. The role language and social interaction in the construction of personal identity. The self as process and social object.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* SSC Cgntn, Lang, Mmry/Intlgnc

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Cognitive Science

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%202500>)

**SOCI 3000 Sociological Theory (3 credits)**

Currents of thought about society, social structures and processes. Background and development of key concepts and theories in sociology. Techniques of theory construction and unification. May be taken concurrently or sequentially with SOCI 3050.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI 1001 or cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203000>)

**SOCI 3050 Methods of Social Research (3 credits)**

Introduction to principles of social research and methods of inquiry, including research design, conducting research, analyzing data and critically evaluating research findings. Comparison and critique of the predominant methods of social research, the relationship between methods and knowledge production, and the goals and ethical implications of research. Devotes class time to the analysis of quantitative and qualitative data and to written communication of research findings for various audiences.

*Prerequisite:* CRLS 1001, SOCI 1001 or SOWJ 1001; and SOCI 2060 or equiv.; or cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* Writing Intensive

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203050>)

**SOCI 3200 Social Problems in Urban Society (3 credits)**

Analysis of selected social problems within the framework of modern American society from the viewpoint of their nature, extent, contributing factors, and programs of prevention and treatment. Examines concepts and theories related to the analysis of social problems and deviant behavior. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness, Ethics, Urban Affairs

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2016 Fall Term, 2012 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203200>)

**SOCI 3250 Race and Racism (3 credits)**

Provides sociological perspectives of how race and racism structure our lives. Considers both historical and contemporary experiences of racial and ethnic group relations in the United States and globally. Utilizes an intersectional framework to examine how race and racism function in the political, social, legal and economic systems. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Africana Studies, Urban Affairs

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203250>)

**SOCI 3280 Race and Family (3 credits)**

Focuses on the family structures and dynamics of major racial and ethnic groups in the United States and/or other societies. Topics may include: major perspectives on race and family, historical and contemporary family patterns and practices, the diversity of family forms and relationships, social policies affecting race and family, cultural factors affecting race and family and multiracial families. ANTH 2101, SOCI 1001, or SOCI 2200 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Africana Studies, Culture, Health and Illness, Family Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2018 Spring Term, 2017 Spring Term, 2016 Spring Term, 2015 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203280>)

**SOCI 3300 Sociology of the Life Course (3 credits)**

The study of socialization, the influence of family, peers, schooling, mass media, and other institutions on human development from infancy through late life. Various sociological perspectives, developmental theories and critiques. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness

*Last four terms offered:* 2020 Fall Term, 2019 Fall Term, 2017 Spring Term, 2014 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203300>)

**SOCI 3500 Culture, Health and Illness (3 credits)**

Social and cultural factors in the disease process, the distribution of disease, the meaning of health, the response to illness and approaches to healing. Examines the structure and operation of health-related professions and facilities. Observes current trends in medicine and value conflicts. ANTH 1001, ANTH 2101, or SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness, Gender and Sexualities Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203500>)

**SOCI 3520 Health Care Systems (3 credits)**

Comparison of social and cultural arrangements for handling health care. Analyzes the variations in definitions of health. Systems of care at different levels of complexity: interpersonal networks, organizations, communities, and nation states. Policy making and ethical aspects of health care decisions. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2003 Spring Term, 2001 Spring Term, 2000 Spring Term, 1999 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203520>)

**SOCI 3550 Race, Gender and Medicine (3 credits)**

Historical overview of medical ideas regarding race and gender. Examine medical and scientific models of mind, body, race and gender, and their implications for health assessment, medical treatment and health care policy. Consider social, cultural and political dimensions of medicine in relation to race and gender. ANTH 1001, ANTH 2101 or SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisites, but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* SSC Basic Needs & Justice

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Africana Studies, Culture, Health and Illness, Gender and Sexualities Studies, Latinx Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Summer Term, 2022 Summer Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203550>)

**SOCI 3570 Men, Masculinities and Health (3 credits)**

Explores the social and psychological constructions of men's gender identities at various stages during the course of life and how those identity constructions are intertwined with health outcomes. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness, Gender and Sexualities Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2020 Fall Term, 2018 Spring Term, 2016 Fall Term, 2015 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203570>)

**SOCI 3700 Social Movements, Protest and Change (3 credits)**

Examines collective action and social movements. Explores the interactions between individuals and social and cultural changes, the strategies, tactics and goals of collective action and social movements, and how institutional, governmental and cultural resources are used. Social movements covered may include civil rights, women's rights, LGBT rights, labor movements and the AIDS movement. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* Engage Social Systems & Values 2, SSC Individuals & Communities

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness, Gender and Sexualities Studies, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2020 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203700>)

**SOCI 3720 Environment and Society (3 credits)**

Examines environmental challenges to modern civilizations: overuse of natural resources to support and absorb the consequences of human activities. Focuses on human abilities to cope with these challenges by exploring features of human action, culture, economic structure, organizational forms and values, such as sustainability. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* SSC Expanding Our Horizons

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Environmental Studies, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203720>)

**SOCI 3931 Topics in Sociological Theory (3 credits)**

Observes recent intellectual issues, efforts, and achievements that have contributed substantially to current sociological theory. Variable topics. Course may be completed for credit twice provided that the topics differ. SOCI 1001 is recommended as a prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 1992 Fall Term, 1990 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203931>)

**SOCI 3954H Honors Sociology Research Seminar (1 credits)**

Identify a research topic, develop a timetable for conducting empirical research, read advanced sources on chosen method(s), find a Sociology faculty mentor, gain IRB approval, prepare to obtain access to research subjects and/or site, and other foundational work for independent research. Must be taken in conjunction with SOCI 4997.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI 3050 or CRLS 3050; admitted to Sociology Disciplinary Honors program; Jr. stndg.; cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203954H>)

**SOCI 3986 Internship and Seminar in Sociology (3 credits)**

Field experience in a community social service agency for the purpose of furthering the student's integration of theory and practice in a professional setting. Placement is for a minimum of 140 hours per term under the supervision of agency personnel and includes a weekly seminar with the internship coordinator. S/U grade assessment. Limited enrollment.

*Prerequisite:* Sr. stndg., SOCI major, cons. of internship coordinator.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* Engage Social Systems & Values 2

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%203986>)

**SOCI 4050 Urban Ethnography: The City as Laboratory (3 credits)**

Explores urban processes and institutions "from the inside." Focuses first on the study of various ethnographies. Proceeds to "hands-on" research involving observing human interaction, preparing field notes, conducting focused interviews, analyzing the collected data, and preparing a data-based research paper. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204050>)

**SOCI 4250 African-American Social Thought (3 credits)**

Examines historical and contemporary writings of Black social theorists. Analyzes the impact of historical, social, economic and cultural factors on Blacks in the United States and alternative strategies for change.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI 1001 recommended.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Africana Studies, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2021 Spring Term, 2019 Fall Term, 2019 Spring Term, 2018 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204250>)

**SOCI 4270 Urban Sociology (3 credits)**

Investigates urban society with special consideration of the problems of dealing with the structures, institutions, agencies and decision-making units in a metropolitan area. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Africana Studies, Culture, Health and Illness, Urban Affairs

*Last four terms offered:* 2017 Fall Term, 2016 Fall Term, 2015 Spring Term, 2011 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204270>)

**SOCI 4300 Sociology of Aging (3 credits)**

The place of the aged in contemporary society. Examines disengagement and the social integration of older persons. Roles linking older persons to society and roles in hospitals, nursing homes and homes for the aged. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness, Family Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2015 Spring Term, 2014 Spring Term, 2013 Spring Term, 2012 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204300>)

**SOCI 4400 Social Inequality (3 credits)**

Explores theories and systems of social class in modern society. Analyzes societal structures and processes resulting from stratification phenomena. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Africana Studies, Culture, Health and Illness, International Affairs, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204400>)

**SOCI 4420 Sociology of Religion (3 credits)**

Sociological study of religious groups, institutions and behavior, including relationships between religion and other areas of social life. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2008 Spring Term, 2007 Spring Term, 2002 Spring Term, 2001 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204420>)

**SOCI 4430 Christianity and Sexuality in the U.S. (3 credits)**

Explores the very recent historical development of sexuality and its intersections with U.S. Christianity. Engages readings from multiple disciplines, emphasizing intersectional perspectives on religion, gender, sexuality, race and social class through U.S. history.

*Prerequisite:* INGS 1001, SOCI 1001 or SOWJ 1001; or cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Gender and Sexualities Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term, 2020 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204430>)

**SOCI 4440 Sociology of Education (3 credits)**

Sociological analysis of educational institutions with primary emphasis on contemporary urban education in the United States, student subcultures, school-community relations, and innovations. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2012 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204440>)

**SOCI 4450 Sociology of Sex and Gender (3 credits)**

Examines the biological and cultural bases of sex and gender patterns. Observes the impact of major social institutions and processes on maintenance of gender patterns, with questions of power and dominance central to discussion. Explores the benefits and costs of stereotypic gender patterns. Analyzes the mechanisms and alternative directions for change. Historical and cross-cultural research included. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Family Studies, Gender and Sexualities Studies, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2020 Fall Term, 2019 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204450>)

**SOCI 4600 The Social Reality of Crime and Justice (3 credits)**

Critically examines the ways in which crime is defined, how crime control policies are established, and how the criminal justice system responds to the problem of crime. Attends to the social and political context in which crime is talked about and responded to. Investigates approaches to crime control, such as peacemaking criminology and restorative justice. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Law and Society, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2020 Fall Term, 2020 Spring Term, 2019 Spring Term, 2018 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204600>)

**SOCI 4660 Law and Society (3 credits)**

Observes the social components of legal organizations and procedural systems. Analyzes the role of law as an instrument of social control and social change. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Law and Society, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204660>)

**SOCI 4680 Sociology of Mental Illness (3 credits)**

Reviews major sociological and social psychological models of madness. Analyzes definitions and responses to mental illness. Studies the social processing involved in the production, recognition and treatment of mental illness. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Culture, Health and Illness

*Last four terms offered:* 2013 Fall Term, 2012 Fall Term, 2011 Fall Term, 1995 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204680>)

**SOCI 4700 Political Sociology (3 credits)**

Explores the interrelationship of politics and society. Considers leadership analysis, party systems, public opinion, electoral behavior and conflict situations. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2017 Spring Term, 2015 Spring Term, 2004 Spring Term, 2003 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204700>)

**SOCI 4730 Capitalism, Socialism and Emancipation (3 credits)**

Examines the core dynamics of capitalist society in the Marxist tradition of critical social science. Does capitalism promote human flourishing, freedom and democracy? Might socialism or some other system better promote these values? Focuses on class structure, class struggle, the state and politics, ideas and consciousness, and socialism and emancipation. Additional topics include capitalism and racial inequality, gender, the environment, the health care system, culture and imperialism. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* International Affairs, Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Fall Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204730>)

**SOCI 4740 Social Change (3 credits)**

Selected topics dealing with models and theories of innovation, diffusion, resistance to change and associated conflict in and between social systems. Variable topics. Course may be completed for credit multiple times provided that topics differ. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Interdisciplinary Studies:* Peace Studies

*Last four terms offered:* 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204740>)

**SOCI 4931 Topics in Sociology (3 credits)**

Lectures and discussions in an area which, because of its topicality, is not the subject of a regular course. Specific topics are designated in the Schedule of Classes.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2017 Fall Term, 2015 Spring Term, 2012 Spring Term, 2011 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204931>)

**SOCI 4954H Honors Advanced Sociology Research Seminar 1 (1 credits)**

Meet on a weekly basis to discuss research project, troubleshoot ethical or other research challenges that arise over the course of data collection, analyze data, and share preliminary research findings. Topics covered include professional development.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI 3954H; SOCI 4997; concurrent enrollment in SOCI 4956H; admitted to Sociology Disciplinary Honors Program; Sr. stndg.; cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204954H>)

**SOCI 4956 Advanced Undergraduate Sociology Research (1-3 credits)**

Read, discuss and apply sociological research under the direction of a Sociology faculty mentor. Review the literature on an assigned or negotiated topic and design and propose a specific research project. A maximum of six credits of SOCI 4956, 4995 and 4999 combined may be counted as electives toward the minimum requirements of the major and a maximum of three credits of SOCI 4956, 4995 and 4999 may be counted as electives toward the minimum requirements for the minor.

*Prerequisite:* Cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204956>)

**SOCI 4956H Honors Advanced Undergraduate Sociology Research (2-3 credits)**

Work under the supervision and direction of a Sociology faculty mentor to propose a specific research project, expanding and enhancing the proposal developed in the Capstone Seminar in Sociology. Students carry out an original project under the direction of their faculty mentor, collecting data using the methods outlined in the research proposal.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI 3954H; SOCI 4997; concurrent enrollment in SOCI 4954H; admitted to Sociology Disciplinary Honors program; Sr. stndg.; cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204956H>)

**SOCI 4960H Honors Advanced Sociology Research Seminar 2 (1 credits)**

Meet on a weekly basis to discuss research project, analyze data, collate and write up research findings, and prepare to present research. Topics covered include professional development.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI 4954H; SOCI 4956H; concurrent enrollment in SOCI 4999H; admitted to Sociology Disciplinary Honors program; Sr. stndg.; cons. of instr.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204960H>)

**SOCI 4986 Advanced Internship and Seminar in Sociology (3 credits)**

Continuation of the internship experience (SOCI 3986). Placement is for a minimum of 140 hours per term of supervised practice at the same agency as the previous term and includes a weekly seminar with the internship coordinator. Credits earned cannot be counted toward the major. S/U grade assessment. Limited enrollment.

*Prerequisite:* Sr. stndg., SOCI 3986 and cons. of internship coordinator.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Marquette Core Curriculum:* Engage Social Systems & Values 2

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204986>)

**SOCI 4995 Independent Study in Sociology (1-3 credits)**

Faculty-supervised, independent study/research of a specific area or topic in Sociology.

*Prerequisite:* Cons. of dept. ch. and twelve credit hours of Sociology courses with a GPA of 2.500.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Summer Term, 2022 Summer Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2021 Summer Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204995>)

**SOCI 4997 Capstone Seminar in Sociology (3 credits)**

An in-depth consideration of sociological perspectives and concepts and how they may be used to analyze contemporary society and social relationships. Basic sociological theories, methods, and concepts are discussed and used to evaluate contemporary sociological concerns and issues. Supervised and individualized research-writing projects involving a sociological area of each student's choice.

*Prerequisite:* SOCI major and 21 credit hours of sociology; or cons. of dept. ch.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204997>)

**SOCI 4999 Senior Thesis (1-3 credits)**

Sociology majors with a GPA of 3.000 or higher may write a thesis under direction of an adviser.

*Prerequisite:* Sr. stndg., SOCI 3000, SOCI 3050, and cons. of dept. ch.

*Level of Study:* Undergraduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2009 Fall Term, 2008 Fall Term, 2008 Spring Term, 2007 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%204999>)

**SOCI 5050 Urban Ethnography: The City as Laboratory (3 credits)**

Explores urban processes and institutions "from the inside." Focuses first on the study of various ethnographies. Proceeds to "hands-on" research involving observing human interaction, preparing field notes, conducting focused interviews, analyzing the collected data, and preparing a data-based research paper. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205050>)

**SOCI 5250 African-American Social Thought (3 credits)**

Examines historical and contemporary writings of Black social theorists. Analyzes the impact of historical, social, economic and cultural factors on Blacks in the United States and alternative strategies for change.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2021 Spring Term, 2019 Fall Term, 2019 Spring Term, 2018 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205250>)

**SOCI 5270 Urban Sociology (3 credits)**

Investigates urban society with special consideration of the problems of dealing with the structures, institutions, agencies and decision-making units in a metropolitan area. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2017 Fall Term, 2016 Fall Term, 2015 Spring Term, 2010 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205270>)

**SOCI 5300 Sociology of Aging (3 credits)**

The place of the aged in contemporary society. Examines disengagement and the social integration of older persons. Roles linking older persons to society and roles in hospitals, nursing homes and homes for the aged. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2015 Spring Term, 2014 Spring Term, 2013 Spring Term, 2012 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205300>)

**SOCI 5400 Social Inequality (3 credits)**

Explores theories and systems of social class in modern society. Analyzes societal structures and processes resulting from stratification phenomena. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2023 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205400>)

**SOCI 5420 Sociology of Religion (3 credits)**

Sociological study of religious groups, institutions and behavior, including relationships between religion and other areas of social life. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205420>)

**SOCI 5430 Christianity and Sexuality in the U.S. (3 credits)**

Explores the very recent historical development of sexuality and its intersections with U.S. Christianity. Engages readings from multiple disciplines, emphasizing intersectional perspectives on religion, gender, sexuality, race and social class through U.S. history.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2024 Spring Term, 2022 Spring Term, 2021 Spring Term, 2020 Spring Term

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**SOCI 5440 Sociology of Education (3 credits)**

Sociological analysis of educational institutions with primary emphasis on contemporary urban education in the United States, student subcultures, school-community relations, and innovations. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2012 Spring Term

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**SOCI 5450 Sociology of Sex and Gender (3 credits)**

Examines the biological and cultural bases of sex and gender patterns. Observes the impact of major social institutions and processes on maintenance of gender patterns, with questions of power and dominance central to discussion. Explores the benefits and costs of stereotypic gender patterns. Analyzes the mechanisms and alternative directions for change. Historical and cross-cultural research included. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2023 Fall Term, 2021 Fall Term, 2020 Fall Term, 2019 Fall Term

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**SOCI 5600 The Social Reality of Crime and Justice (3 credits)**

Critically examines the ways in which crime is defined, how crime control policies are established, and how the criminal justice system responds to the problem of crime. Attends to the social and political context in which crime is talked about and responded to. Investigates approaches to crime control, such as peacemaking criminology and restorative justice. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2020 Fall Term, 2020 Spring Term, 2019 Spring Term, 2018 Fall Term

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**SOCI 5660 Law and Society (3 credits)**

Observes the social components of legal organizations and procedural systems. Analyzes the role of law as an instrument of social control and social change. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2019 Spring Term, 2018 Spring Term, 2017 Spring Term, 2016 Spring Term

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**SOCI 5680 Sociology of Mental Illness (3 credits)**

Reviews major sociological and social psychological models of madness. Analyzes definitions and responses to mental illness. Studies the social processing involved in the production, recognition and treatment of mental illness. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2013 Fall Term, 2012 Fall Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205680>)

**SOCI 5700 Political Sociology (3 credits)**

Explores the interrelationship of politics and society. Considers leadership analysis, party systems, public opinion, electoral behavior and conflict situations. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2017 Spring Term, 2015 Spring Term

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**SOCI 5730 Capitalism, Socialism and Emancipation (3 credits)**

Examines the core dynamics of capitalist society in the Marxist tradition of critical social science. Does capitalism promote human flourishing, freedom and democracy? Might socialism or some other system better promote these values? Focuses on class structure, class struggle, the state and politics, ideas and consciousness, and socialism and emancipation. Additional topics include capitalism and racial inequality, gender, the environment, the health care system, culture and imperialism. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2018 Fall Term, 2018 Spring Term, 2016 Fall Term

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**SOCI 5740 Social Change (3 credits)**

Selected topics dealing with models and theories of innovation, diffusion, resistance to change and associated conflict in and between social systems. Variable topics. Course may be completed for credit multiple times provided that topics differ. SOCI 1001 recommended as prerequisite but not required.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

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**SOCI 5931 Topics in Sociology (3 credits)**

Lectures and discussions in an area which, because of its topicality, is not the subject of a regular course. Specific topics are designated in the Schedule of Classes.

*Level of Study:* Graduate

*Last four terms offered:* 2015 Fall Term, 2010 Spring Term

Schedule of Classes (<https://bulletin.marquette.edu/class-search/?details&code=SOCI%205931>)