



Undergraduate Diversity Certificate

Description

The sociology department has a strong emphasis in diversity and inequality issues, highlighting race and ethnicity, gender, sexuality, class and more. For sociology majors, minors, and other students wishing to concentrate in these areas, we offer a certificate of specialization.

This certificate is marketable to a wide variety of employers and educational institutions, including social work, graduate and professional schools, community action organizations, and social services. Participation in the certification program also provides students with opportunities for networking and mentoring.

Courses

Required Course

Three of the four courses must be upper level courses.

The required four courses should be selected from four of the six different categories below:

Race and Ethnicity

- SOC 2200 Introduction to Racial & Ethnic Groups
- SOC 3210 American Minority Communities
- SOC 3230 The Chicano Community
- SOC 3240 African American Community
- SOC 3280 Asian American Communities
- SOC 3290 Perspectives on Race & Ethnic Relations
- SOC 3320 African American Families
- SOC 3490 Youth Gangs
- SOC 4480 Racial Storytelling: Montgomery Travel Course

Class

- SOC 4310 Class, Stratification and Power
- SOC 4200 Sociology of Poverty
- SOC 4210 Social Services & Welfare Reform

Categories (cont.)

Gender

- SOC 3110 Sex, Society and You
- SOC 4040 Sociology of Gender & Sexuality
- SOC 4080 Men & Masculinities
- SOC 3610 Gendered Images
- SOC 4700 Global Feminisms (this course may be taken to fulfill *either* the gender or global requirement)

Disability

- SOC 4230 Foundations of Disability
- SOC 4240 Sociology of Disability
- SOC 4650 Sociology of Mental Illness
- SOC 4120 Body, Culture and Power

Intersectionality

- SOC 3250 Power, Privilege & Social Difference
- SOC 4300 Sociology of Sport
- SOC 4470 Intersections of Privilege
- SOC 4530 Advanced Privilege Studies

Global

- SOC 2220 Communities in a Global Environment
- SOC 4380 Globalization and Development
- SOC 4780 Global Migration
- SOC 3270 Global Indigenous Communities
- SOC 4700 Global Feminisms

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