

# SOCIOLOGY MINOR

The Sociology minor offers broad theoretical perspectives and rigorous methodologies for studying social life and the causes and consequences of human behavior. Coursework examines current research and public policy pertaining to social justice and systemic inequalities; health disparities in physical and mental well-being; environmental justice and natural resource management; deviance, social control, and conflict management; gender, families, and sexualities; employment, housing, and communities; social and political movements; nationalism, migration, and ethnic conflict; and culture, technology, and media. Students analyze the most pressing social problems in these areas, as well as how different social groups experience and perceive these issues. Students' enhanced communication and analytical skills, appreciation for diversity, and ability to work collaboratively provide a competitive edge in today's global marketplace and information society.

## About this Program

- **College:** Liberal Arts and Sciences (<http://catalog.ufl.edu/UGRD/colleges-schools/UGLAS/>)
- **Credits:** 15 | Completed with minimum grades of C

## Department Information

The Department of Sociology and Criminology & Law has over 1,000 undergraduate majors and 100 graduate students. The department's faculty are internationally known for their research in the areas of families, gender, and sexualities; health, aging, and the life course; environmental and resource sociology; race and ethnicity; criminology and criminal justice; and psychology and law.

**Website** (<https://soccrim.clas.ufl.edu/>)

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## Curriculum

- Combination Degrees
- Criminology
- Criminology UF Online
- Sociology
- Sociology Minor
- Sociology Minor UF Online
- Sociology of Social Justice and Policy Minor
- Sociology UF Online

Students should listen to these interviews on the department's website from three recent sociology graduates. Their testimonials describe the varied opportunities in the major and the different career and professional paths they and other sociology majors embark on post-graduation.

More Info (<https://soccrim.clas.ufl.edu/undergraduate/sociology/>)

## Requirements

- A minimum of nine credits must be taken at UF
- A minimum of six credits of coursework exclusive to the minor that cannot count toward the major or other minors

## Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
SYG 2000	Principles of Sociology	3
Sociology courses (2000 level or above)		3
Sociology courses (3000 level or above) <sup>1</sup>		9
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>15</b>

<sup>1</sup> Excluding SYA 4905 and SYA 4911.

