

SOCIOLOGY/WOMEN'S & ETHNIC STUDIES

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GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 credit hours
- 45 upper-division credit hours (3000-4999 level)
- 2.0 CU cumulative GPA
- Residency: Last 30 credit hours of degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences at UCCS

Student Responsibilities

Students are required to know and follow:

- All academic policies set forth by the University, College, and academic department in the UCCS Catalog: catalog.uccs.edu
- All course prerequisites designated by the University. Failure to meet course prerequisites may result in an administrative drop of the course from a student's schedule. See degree audit for course prerequisites within the academic major.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Explore Sociology: [Home | Department of Sociology \(uccs.edu\)](http://Home | Department of Sociology (uccs.edu))

Explore Women's and Ethnic Studies: [Home | Women's & Ethnic Studies \(uccs.edu\)](http://Home | Women's & Ethnic Studies (uccs.edu))

Major Requirements			
	Course/Area	Course Title	Credit Hours
<p>Sociology Major (30 hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 30 credit hours of SOC work and a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level SOC course work.) • All SOC courses must have a grade of "C" or better. 	SOCIOLOGY REQUIREMENTS		
	SOC 1110	Introduction to Sociology	4
	SOC 3070	Social Research Methods	4
	SOC 3150*	Modern Sociological Theory	3
	SOC 3170*	Social Statistics	4
	Substantive Courses	Complete three courses from the following: SOC 3280, 3290, 3310, 3410, 4040, 4080, 4110, 4170, 4190, 4200, 4240, 4300, 4310, 4380, 4400, 4600, 4660, 4960	9
	Summit Experience	Choose either the SOC or WEST Summit Experience options listed below.	
	Sociology Exit Exam	Complete the <i>Sociology Senior Exit Exam</i>	0
	WEST REQUIREMENTS		
	<p>Women's & Ethnic Studies (30 hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 30 credit hours of WEST course work and a minimum of 18 credit hours of upper-division (3000+ level) WEST course work. • All WEST courses must have a grade of "C" or better. • *NOTE 1: SOC 3150 and 3170 should be completed prior to the senior year and must be taken at UCCS. • **NOTE 2: If the WEST Summit Experience is chosen, WEST 3300 and WEST 4950 should be taken together in the spring semester of the senior year. 	WEST 1010	Introduction to Social Justice Studies
WEST 3400		Contemporary Theory in WEST	3
Substantive Area Requirement		Choose 1 course from each of the following 3 areas. For a complete, current list of courses, please refer to the WEST website: https://www.uccs.edu/west/substantive-area-requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transnational/Global Studies • Creative and Artistic Cultural Expressions • Social Movements, Communities and History 	9
WEST Electives		Complete 6 hours of upper-division (3000+ level) WEST courses	6
Summit Experience		Choose either the SOC or WEST Summit Experience options listed below.	
Double Major Summit Experience Options		Complete one of the following Summit Experiences for the double major. Option 1 – Sociology Summit Experience: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Honors Track - SOC 4980 & 4990 (4 hrs) OR • Standard Track - <i>See degree audit for course options.</i> AND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One SOC/WEST cross-listed upper-division (3000+ level) elective (3 hrs) • One WEST upper-division (3000+ level) elective (3 hrs) Option 2 – WEST Summit Experience:** <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WEST 3300 Methodologies in Women's & Ethnic Studies (3 hrs) • WEST 4950 Capstone Senior Seminar (3 hrs) • One SOC/WEST cross-listed upper-division (3000+ level) elective (3 hrs) 	9-10

General Education and Elective Requirements		
Core Writing Requirement (6 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 1310, 1308, or 1305 (<i>Students choosing ENGL 1305 must complete ENGL 1300 first.</i>) ENGL 1410 PORT 3000 (0 Credits) – Writing Portfolio 	
Reasoning Skills (3 hours)	See the degree audit for course options.	
Area Requirements (27 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Humanities – 9 credit hours of which 3 credits must be HUM 3990. Social Sciences – 9 credit hours Natural Sciences – 9 credits hours of which at least 1 credit must be from a lab course. <p>NOTE: Cannot select courses from primary major courses for area requirements.</p>	
Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity, and Global Awareness Requirements	One course from each list (see degree audit). <i>All courses that fulfill these requirements may also count towards other general education or major requirements.</i>	
Compass Curriculum (12 hours)	Component	Course
	Gateway	GPS 1010
	Explore – Arts, Humanities and Cultures	See Degree Audit
	Explore – Society, Behavior and Health	See Degree Audit
	Explore – Physical and Natural World	See Degree Audit
	Navigate	HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements)
	Summit	SOC Capstone Course or WEST 3300/4950
	Writing Intensive Courses (WIC) <i>Two courses with one upper-division (3000+ level)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HUM 3990 (included in LAS area requirements) SOC 3070 (included in major requirements)
Inclusiveness	WEST 1010	
Sustainability	See Degree Audit	
General Electives (12 hours)	Complete additional courses to meet total and upper-division requirements for your degree program.	

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PLAN

Please note that this is an *example* degree program and your program may vary. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.**

Year One	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			ENGL 1310	3		ENGL 1410
		GPS 1010	3		Reasoning Skills Course	3
		SOC 1110	4		WEST 1010	3
		Explore – Arts, Humanities & Cultures Course	3		Explore – Physical & Natural World Course	3
		Explore – Society, Behavior & Health Course	3		General Elective	3
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	15

Year Two	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			SOC 3070	4		SOC 3150
		Upper-Division (UD) WEST Elective	3		UD WEST Substantive Area Course – Social Movements	3
		Humanities Elective (<i>Writing Intensive</i>)	3		Humanities Elective	3
		Natural Science Elective w/lab	4		Natural Science Elective	3
					General Elective (<i>Oral Communication</i>)	3
		TOTAL	14		TOTAL	15

Year Three	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			SOC Substantive Course	3		SOC 3170
		WEST 3400 (<i>fall only</i>)	3		SOC Substantive Course	3
		UD WEST Substantive Area Course – Creative/Artistic	3		UD WEST Substantive Area Course – Transnational	3
		Social Science Elective (<i>Global Awareness</i>)	3		Social Science Elective	3
		UD General Elective	4		Natural Science Elective	2
		TOTAL	16		TOTAL	15

Year Four	✓	FALL	Hours	✓	SPRING	Hours
			UD SOC/WEST cross-listed Course	3		Summit Experience Summit/Capstone Course
		UD WEST Elective	3		UD WEST Course (3300 or Elective per Summit Experience)	3
		SOC 4980 (<i>SOC Honors Summit only</i>) or UD General Elective	1		SOC Substantive Course	3
		HUM 3990	3		Social Science Elective	3
		UD General Elective (<i>Sustainability</i>)	3		UD General Elective	4
		TOTAL	13		TOTAL	16