

SOCI 490 TEACHING ASSISTANT IN SOCIOLOGY (1-4)

Open only to advanced students. Intended to give students experience in assisting the instructor in a sociology course by doing research and tutoring students in the class. Cr/NC only. May be repeated for credit for up to 8 units, but only 4 units total of SOCI 490, 493, and 495 may be used toward the major or minor. Prerequisite: consent of instructor.

SOCI 493 RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN SOCIOLOGY (1-4)

Open only to advanced students. Gives students experience in assisting faculty with data collection, library research, and/or data analysis linked to sociological research and writing. Grade only. May be repeated for credit for up to 8 units, but only 4 units total of SOCI 490, 493, and 495 may be used toward the major or minor. Prerequisite: consent of instructor.

SOCI 495 SPECIAL STUDIES (1-4)

A supervised study of a particular research question or area of interest selected by the student in consultation with a sponsoring faculty member. Regular meetings will be arranged for discussions and progress evaluations, and a term paper will be submitted. Grade only. May be repeated for credit up to 8 units, but only 4 units total of SOCI 490, 493, and 495 may be used toward the major or minor.

SOCI 496 INTERNSHIP PRACTICUM (1)

This is a concurrent course for students receiving sociology internship credit. Students will learn to view the internship experience through a sociological lens and as a means to explore workplace issues and career options. Concurrent enrollment with SOCI 499 is required when SOCI 499 is taken for the first time. May not be repeated for credit.

SOCI 497 SPECIAL TOPICS (1-4)

Exploration of basic social problems. Resource persons from other disciplines may participate. Themes and topics will vary. May be repeated for credit.

SOCI 498 SENIOR SEMINAR (4)

Capstone course for the major that requires advanced sociological research. Several different topics are offered each semester. Check department for current offerings. Required for all majors. Prerequisite: Open only to Sociology majors with senior standing who have completed SOCI 300, SOCI 375, and at least 16 additional units of sociology.

SOCI 499 INTERNSHIP (1-4)

For advanced undergraduates in approved internships in organizational settings. Facilitates application of sociological insights to internship site, while also encouraging contribution to organization's mission. Concurrent enrollment in SOCI 496 required when SOCI 499 taken for first time. May be repeated for credit for up to 8 units, but only 4 units may be used toward the major or minor. Prerequisite: consent of instructor. Cr/NC only.

SOCI 595 SPECIAL STUDIES (1-4)

Advanced research and writing. Students work under close supervision of faculty members. Subject matter can be variable. May be repeated for credit. Prerequisites: graduate status, consent of instructor, and completed special studies form.

Social Sciences (SSCI)

SSCI 299 SOPHOMORE SEMINAR: HOW TO THINK LIKE A SOCIAL SCIENTIST (1)

Sophomores and Social Sciences faculty explore: What questions do social scientists ask? What evidence and methods do they use? How does theory shape social science research? Prepares majors for upper-division coursework, prospective majors to explore the social sciences, and all students to be social-sciences savvy citizens of the world.

SSCI 300 INTRODUCTION TO PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT AND SPECIAL PROJECT (1)

Introduces the student to both the Liberal Studies Program and to the subject matter preparation program through a broad based, interdisciplinary approach that facilitates the student's need to understand the underlying relationship among all the courses in the program of study.

SSCI 400 PORTFOLIO EVALUATION (3)

Contents of each portfolio will reflect the courses students have taken to complete the program, and will include organized examples of their achievement in each of the core courses in history, political science, economics, and geography, and in the courses they have chosen in the breadth/perspectives part of the program.

SSCI 444 PEER FACILITATOR (2)

Provides students experience in assisting an instructor in SSCI 299 by attending lecture, doing course-related research, working with small groups of students, and assisting the instructor(s) with course administrative tasks. Prerequisite: upper-division or graduate standing and consent of the instructor. May be repeated once for credit. Cr/NC only

SSCI 495 SPECIAL STUDIES (1-4)

A supervised study of an area of interest selected and student will be in consultation with a sponsoring faculty member. Regular meetings will be arranged for discussions and progress evaluations, and a project/paper and/or portfolio will be submitted.

SSCI 499 INTERNSHIP (1-3)

Prerequisite: Consent of Instructor.