SOCl Sociology

SOCl 5094G  Selected Topics in Sociology
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Various topics. Graduate students will be given an extra assignment determined by the instructor that undergraduates will not be required to do.
Cross Listing(s): SOCl 5094, SOCl 5094S.

SOCl 5135G  Aging
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Examines the impact of an aging population upon society and the effects of the socially defined experience of aging upon the individual. Special attention is given to economic factors, retirement, life-style options, health, death, and widowhood. Graduate students will be given an extra assignment determined by the instructor that undergraduates will not be required to do.
Prerequisite(s): A minimum grade of "C" in SOCl 1101.

SOCl 5139G  Sociology of Health Care
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Analyzes health and illness from a sociological perspective. Attention will be given to health care institutions, roles, beliefs, and practices as well as newly emerging roles. Graduate students will be given an extra assignment determined by the instructor that undergraduates will not be required to do.
Prerequisite(s): SOCl 1101.

SOCl 5332G  Death and Dying
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Examines sociocultural dimensions of death, dying, bereavement, grief, and mourning, including cross-cultural comparisons and social patterns in historical perspective. Graduate students will be given an extra assignment determined by the instructor that undergraduates will not be required to do.
Prerequisite(s): SOCl 1101 or permission of instructor.

SOCl 5333G  Race and Ethnicity
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
A survey of the major concepts and theories in the study of racial and ethnic relations in the United States. The situations and experiences of various racial and ethnic groups are considered.
Prerequisite(s): SOCl 1101.

SOCl 5433G  Program Evaluation
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Explores what it means to live in a society in which accountability is a thematic issue and policy and programs benefit which accrue from well-designed evaluations and proposals. Evaluation research and grant development issues, including basic design and use considerations, are discussed. Graduate students will be given an extra assignment determined by the instructor that undergraduates will not be required to do.
Prerequisite(s): SOCl 1101.
Cross Listing(s): SOCl 5433.

SOCl 6434  Research Design & Method
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Study of the role of theory, research design, sampling, measurement and instrumentation, data collection, and ethical related to sociological research.

SOCl 6435  Soc. Quantitative Analysis
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Study of the techniques and statistics necessary to design and interpret quantitative sociological research. Required for the M.A. Degree in Sociology.

SOCl 6436  Qualitative Research Methods
3 Credit Hours.  3 Lecture Hours.  0 Lab Hours.
Analysis and practice of qualitative methodology in sociology. Includes participant observation, interviews, case studies, content analysis and other innovative techniques.
SOCI 7638 Social Theory
3 Credit Hours. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
This course examines the role of theory in the scientific endeavor and explores a number of theoretical perspectives, including structural-functionalism, conflict, feminist, exchange, rational choice, symbolic interaction, and the current debates over modernity and postmodernity.

SOCI 7790 Practicum
1-9 Credit Hours. 0 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Designed as an educational placement to give graduate students a practical experience in a vocationally-appropriate setting.

SOCI 7891 Independent Study in Sociology
1-3 Credit Hours. 0 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Independent examination of graduate course topics offered in the sociology curriculum of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology following guidelines of the College of Graduate Studies.

SOCI 7892 Directed Research in Sociology
1-3 Credit Hours. 1-3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Participation in an independent or group research project. More than three hours of credit for directed research may be earned, but only three hours may be applied to the completion of minimum hours required for the M.A. in Social Science degree.

SOCI 7990 Applied Monograph
1-6 Credit Hours. 1-6 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
A document of thesis quality and rigor which presents research and systematic observations from a practicum or field internship experience of no less than one semester. As a substitute for the traditional thesis, this option must be approved by the sociology graduate faculty of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology.

SOCI 7999 Thesis
1-6 Credit Hours. 0 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Research thesis.

SOCI 8891 Independent Study in Sociology
1-3 Credit Hours. 1-3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Independent examination of graduate course topic offered in the sociology curriculum of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology following guidelines of the College of Graduate Studies. Designed for graduate students beyond the master's level.

SOCI 8892 Directed Research in Sociology
1-3 Credit Hours. 1-3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hours.
Participation in an independent or group research project. Designed for students participating in programs of study beyond the master's level.