

SOCIOLOGY (M.A.)

Admission Requirements

Admission to this program is contingent upon admission to the Graduate School (<https://bulletins.wayne.edu/graduate/general-information/admission/>). In addition, applicants must provide:

1. Three (3) letters of recommendation (at least two should be from university or college faculty members).
2. Statement of Interest (this should describe applicant's reasons for graduate study in Sociology, proposed areas of study, and career goals).
3. Academic or professional writing sample.

Please note that the Sociology Department does not require GRE scores for applicants.

Program Requirements

The Master of Arts degree with a major in Sociology requires a minimum of 31 credits. All course work must be completed in accordance with the regulations of the Graduate School (<http://bulletins.wayne.edu/graduate/general-information/academic-regulations/>) and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (<http://bulletins.wayne.edu/graduate/college-liberal-arts-sciences/academic-regulations/>).

The program is offered as Plan B (essay) or Plan C (coursework). Students have the option of following the curriculum for a concentration in Applied Sociological Research Methodology (see requirements below).

Plan B

Code	Title	Credits
SOC 6280	Social Statistics	3
SOC 7200	Advanced Survey of Approaches and Techniques of Social Research	3
SOC 7260	Qualitative Sociology	3
SOC 7030	Introduction to Graduate Studies in Sociology	1
SOC 7050	Comparative Schools of Sociological Theory	3
SOC 7999	Master's Essay	3
Electives		15
Total Credits		31

Plan C

Code	Title	Credits
SOC 6280	Social Statistics	3
SOC 7200	Advanced Survey of Approaches and Techniques of Social Research	3
SOC 7260	Qualitative Sociology	3
SOC 7030	Introduction to Graduate Studies in Sociology	1
SOC 7050	Comparative Schools of Sociological Theory	3
Electives		18
Total Credits		31

Applied Sociological Research Methodology Concentration

Plan B

Code	Title	Credits
SOC 6280	Social Statistics	3
SOC 7200	Advanced Survey of Approaches and Techniques of Social Research	3
SOC 7000	Internship in Applied Sociology	3
SOC 7260	Qualitative Sociology	3
SOC 7290	Advanced Social Statistics	3
SOC 7500	Advanced Qualitative Methods	3
SOC 7030	Introduction to Graduate Studies in Sociology	1
SOC 7999	Master's Essay	3
Elective		9
Total Credits		31

Applied Sociological Research Methodology Concentration

Plan C

Code	Title	Credits
SOC 6280	Social Statistics	3
SOC 7200	Advanced Survey of Approaches and Techniques of Social Research	3
SOC 7000	Internship in Applied Sociology	3
SOC 7260	Qualitative Sociology	3
SOC 7290	Advanced Social Statistics	3
SOC 7500	Advanced Qualitative Methods	3
SOC 7030	Introduction to Graduate Studies in Sociology	1
Elective		12
Total Credits		31