

- Minimum 30 of the last 60 credits earned at PennWest.
- Minimum of 21 major credits must be completed at PennWest or a State System (PASSHE) university.
- Minimum Total of 42 Credits in Advanced Coursework.

General Education

Foundations: (12 Credits)

Oral Communication (3 Credits)

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Quantitative Reasoning (3 Credits)

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Technological Literacy (3 Credits)

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Written Communication (3 Credits)

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Discoveries: (Credits 27)

At least two (2) disciplines must be represented within each of the three (3) categories.

Art/Humanities (9 Credits)

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Natural Sciences & Technology (9 Credits)

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Social Sciences (9 Credits)

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Elective/Wellness & Personal Health: (3 Credits)

- ☐ Any Wellness & Personal Health, Foundations, or Discoveries course

Competencies:

Applied Methodologies

- ☐ SOCI 4000 Qualitative Research Methods

Ethical Reasoning

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Information Literacy

- ☐ SOCI 2800 Sociological Research Methods

Intercultural Fluency

- ☐ SOCI 1000 Introduction to Sociology

Keystone Experience

- ☐ SOCI 4000 Qualitative Research Methods

Quantitative Applications

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Writing Intensive - Two (2) courses are required

- ☐ SOCI 2800 Sociological Research Methods

- ☐ SOCI 3500 Sociological Theory

Program Requirements

Required Major Courses: (27 Credits)

- ☐ SOCI 1000 Introduction to Sociology

- ☐ SOCI 2800 Sociological Research Methods

- ☐ SOCI 3500 Sociological Theory

- ☐ SOCI 4000 Qualitative Research Methods

☐ **Social Inequalities (Choose Two):**

SOCI 2100 Social Inequalities or SOCI 3010 Race and Ethnic Relations or SOCI 3020 Gender and Sexuality or SOCI 3030 Queer Communities or SOCI 2040 Disability Studies or SOCI 3050 Aging and Society

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- ☐ **Systems and Structures:** SOCI 3110 Family & Intimate Relationship

☐ **Individuals and Interactions (Choose One):**

SOCI 3400 Sociology of Deviance or SOCI 2700 Animals in Society or SOCI 3200 Identity Self Soc Interaction or SOCI 3220 Sociology of Death and Dying or SOCI 3240 Sociology of Victims

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☐ **Social Change (Choose One):**

SOCI 2050 Contemporary Social Problems or SOCI 3300 Social Movements or SOCI 3310 Power and Social Change or SOCI 3340 Sociology Conflict Res or SOCI 3350 Charismatic Leaders

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Required Concentration Courses: (15 Credits)

- ☐ HSRH 1260 Introduction to Rehabilitation & Human Services

- ☐ HSRH 2500 Human Relations Skills

- ☐ HSRH 3700 Assmt in Human Serv & Rehab

- ☐ HSRH 4700 Interven Strat Hum Serv & Rehb

- ☐ SOCI 2300 Sociology of Life Course

Free Electives: (36 Credits)

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Suggested Four Year Course Sequence

Year 1

Fall Semester

SOCI 1000 Intro to Sociology
Written Communication Course
Technology Literacy Course
Arts and Humanities Discovery Course 1
Natural Sciences Discovery Course 1

Spring Semester

Social Inequalities Course
Oral Communication Course
Social Science Discovery Course 1
Free Elective 1
Arts and Humanities Discovery Course 2

Year 3

Fall Semester

Social Inequalities Course 2
Social Change Course
SOCI Elective 2
Arts and Humanities Discovery Course 3
Free Elective

Spring Semester

SOCI 4000 Qualitative Research
SOCI Elective 3
Social Science Discovery Course 3
Natural Sciences Discovery Course 3
Free Elective

Year 2

Fall Semester

Individuals and Interactions Course
SOCI 2800 Research Methods
Quantitative Reasoning Course
Arts and Humanities Discovery Course 3
Free Elective 1

Spring Semester

SOCI 3500 Sociological Theory
Systems and Structures Course
SOCI Elective 1
Natural Sciences Discovery Course 2
Dimensions of Wellness/Any Foundations or Discovery Course

Year 4

Fall Semester

SOCI Elective 4
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

Spring Semester

SOCI Elective 5
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

