

B.SOC.SC (HONS) IN SOCIOLOGY
FOUR-YEAR SCHEDULE (w.e.f 2019-20)

Students are admitted to a cluster of programmes and will only be assigned a major after admission.

Programme Requirements			4-year Study Schedule							
			Year 1		Year 2		Year 3		Year 4	
			Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 1	Sem 2
Course Title	Course Level	No. of Units		No. of Units		No. of Units		No. of Units		
1. Major (63 units)										
- Required Courses (27 units)										
Course 1	SOCI 1005 Invitation to Sociology*	1		3*						
Course 2	SOCI 2005 Qualitative Methods of Social Research	2					3			
Course 3	SOCI 2006 Social Statistics	2			3					
Course 4	SOCI 2007 Quantitative Methods of Social Research	2				3				
Course 5	SOCI 2015 Sociological Theory I: Classical Theory	2				3				
Course 6	SOCI 2046 Introduction to Sociological Thinking and Writing	2			3					
Course 7	SOCI 3005 Sociological Theory II: Contemporary Approaches	3						3		
Course 8	SOCI 4898 Honours Project	4							3	
Course 9	SOCI 4899 Honours Project	4								3
- Major Elective (36 units^)										
<i>Please indicate no. of units to be taken in each semester:</i>					6	6		6	9	9
Please provide list of elective courses below:			Not Applicable							
<u>THREE of the following courses:</u>										
Course 1	SOCI 2016 Modern Chinese Society	2								
Course 2	SOCI 2017 Popular Culture & Society	2								
Course 3	SOCI 2025 Population and Social Issues	2								
Course 4	SOCI 2027 Social Problems	2								
Course 5	SOCI 2035 Social Inequalities	2								
Course 6	SOCI 2036 Sociology of Marriage and the Family	2								
Course 7	SOCI 2037 Unity and Diversity: The Making of Chinese Culture and Society	2								
Course 8	SOCI 2045 Urban Sociology	2								
Course 9	SOCI 2047 Hong Kong Society	2								
<u>AT LEAST THREE of the following courses:</u>										
Course 10	SOCI 3007 Global Social Transformations	3								
Course 11	SOCI 3016 Political Sociology	3								
Course 12	SOCI 3017 Health and Society	3								
Course 13	SOCI 3025 The Internet & Society	3								
Course 14	SOCI 3026 Work & Society	3								
Course 15	SOCI 3027 Careers & Life Courses	3								

Course 16	SOCI 3035 Sex, Gender & Society	3	Not Applicable													
Course 17	SOCI 3037 Children, Youth and Aging	3														
Course 18	SOCI 3045 China and Tourism	3														
Course 19	SOCI 3046 Chinese Capitalisms	3														
Course 20	SOCI 3047 Consumption in China	3														
Course 21	SOCI 3055 Population and Social Developments in China	3														
AT LEAST FOUR of the following courses:																
Course 22	SOCI 4006 Chinese Family and Kinship	4														
Course 23	SOCI 4015 East Asia: Economic Miracles & Social Change	4														
Course 24	SOCI 4016 Globalization	4														
Course 25	SOCI 4017 Management, Organization & Society	4														
Course 26	SOCI 4026 Selected Topics in Contemporary Sociology I	4														
Course 27	SOCI 4027 Selected Topics in Contemporary Sociology II	4														
Course 28	SOCI 4035 Selected Topics in the Sociology of China I	4														
Course 29	SOCI 4036 Selected Topics in the Sociology of China II	4														
Course 30	SOCI 4037 Cultural Sociology	4														
Course 31	SOCI 4045 Social Movements	4														
Course 32	SOCI 4046 Social Networks & Chinese Society	4														
Course 33	SOCI 4047 Sociological Issues in Urban & Rural Development	4														
Course 34	SOCI 4055 Gender in Contemporary China	4														
Course 35	SOCI 4056 States and Power: Europe and China	4														
Course 36	SOCI 4057 China's Social Classes under Economic Reform	4														
Course 37	SOCI 4065 Chinese Entrepreneurship and Overseas Chinese in the Global Context	4														
Course 38	SOCI 4066 Chinese Nationalism and Identity Politics	4														
2. Social Sciences Common Core (4 units)																
SOSC 1006	Invitation to Social Sciences	1									1					
SOSC 3005 Or SOSC 3006	Community and Civic Engagement Or Global Outreach	3											3			
3. General Education (31 Units)																
- University Core (13 units):																
GCLA 1008-9	University English - to be taken in Yr 1	3								3						
GCLA 1005	University Chinese - to be taken in Yr 1	3														
GE	Healthy Lifestyle – to be taken in Yr 2										2					
GE	The Art of Persuasion – to be taken in Yr 2									2						
- GE Programme (18 units):																
<i>Level 1 (9 units)</i>																

GE	History & Civilization – to be taken in Yr 1	3							
GE	Values & the Meaning of Life – to be taken in Yr 1		3						
GE	Quantitative Reasoning – to be taken in Yr 2			3					
Level 2 (6 units)									
GE	Interdisciplinary Thematic Courses – to be taken in Yr 2 or 3				3		3		
Level 3 (3 units)									
GE	GE Capstone - to be taken in Yr 3 or 4						3 [@]		
4. Free Electives (30 units)									
<i>Please indicate no. of units to be taken in each semester:</i>		6	6			12		3	3
Total No. of Units (Per Semester):		15	16	17	17	15	18	15	15

* Students who plan to major in Sociology after Year 1 are advised to take *SOCI1005 Invitation to Sociology* in the second semester of Year 1.

[^] Students are required to take a total of 36 units of major elective courses. The requirements are as follow: a) 9 units from Level 2, b) 27 units from Level 3 or 4 of which at least 9 units should be selected from Level 3 and 12 units from Level 4.

IN ORDER TO GRADUATE, STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A MINIMUM OF 36 UNITS OF COURSES AT THE UPPER LEVEL (LEVELS 3 & 4) (INCLUDING HONOURS PROJECT).

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