

**BSOCSC (HONS) IN SOCIOLOGY AND BEDUC (HONS) IN PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND HUMANITIES EDUCATION TEACHING**

**SCHEDULE OF COURSES BY SEMESTER (Five-Year Study Plan)**

**(w.e.f. 2021/22)**

***Year I***

| <b>Semester 1</b>                                   | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Semester 2</b>  | <b>Unit</b> |
|---|-------------|--|-------------|
| EDUC 1005<br>Introduction to Educational Psychology | 2           | EDUC 1006<br>Introduction to Liberal Studies & PSHE in Schools | 2           |
| University Core (University English I)              | 3           | University Core (University English II)                        | 3           |
| University Core (University Chinese)                | 3           | GE (Values and the Meaning of Life)                            | 3           |
| GE (History and Civilization)                       | 3           | Free Elective 2*<br>(preferably SOCI 1005)                     | 3           |
| Free Elective 1<br>(preferably HIST or GEOG)        | 3           | Free Elective 3<br>(preferably HIST or GEOG)                   | 3           |
| University Life                                     | 0           | University Core (University English II)                        | 3           |
| SOSC 1006 Invitation to Social Sciences             | 1           |  |             |
|   |             |  |             |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>15</b>   | <b>Total</b>   | <b>14</b>   |

*\* Students are recommended to take SOCI 1005 if they plan to choose SOC-PSHE programme in the Second Year. Once they are admitted to the SOC-PSHE programme, this course will be counted as SOC major required course.*

**Year II**

| <b>Semester 1</b>  | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Semester 2</b>   | <b>Unit</b> |
|--|-------------|---|-------------|
| SOCI 2006<br>Social Statistics   | 3           | SOCI 1005<br>Invitation to Sociology#<br>OR<br>Free Elective 2^ | 3           |
| SOCI 2046<br>Introduction of Sociological<br>Thinking and Writing                    | 3           | SOCI 2007<br>Quantitative Methods of<br>Social Research         | 3           |
| SOCI Elective 1  | 3           | SOCI 2015<br>Sociological Theory 1:<br>Classical Theory         | 3           |
| EDUC1007<br>Instructional and<br>Assessment Strategies for<br>Liberal Studies & PSHE | 2           | SOCI Elective 2   | 3           |
| EDUC 1016<br>Introduction to Sociology of<br>Education                               | 2           | EDUC 1015<br>Teaching and Learning<br>with ICT                  | 2           |
| University Core (Healthy<br>Lifestyle)   | 2           | EDUC 1017<br>Introduction to Philosophy<br>of Education         | 2           |
| GE (Quantitative<br>Reasoning)   | 3           | University Core (The Art<br>of Persuasion)                      | 2           |
|  |             | GE (Interdisciplinary<br>Thematic Course)                       | 3           |
|  |             |   |             |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>18</b>   | <b>Total</b>  | <b>21</b>   |

# For students who have not taken this course as Free elective 1 in Year One.

^ For students who have taken SOCI 1005 in Year One.

**Year III**

| <b>Semester 1</b>   | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Semester 2</b>  | <b>Unit</b> |
|---|-------------|--|-------------|
| SOCI Elective 3   | 3           | SOCI 2005<br>Qualitative Methods of<br>Social Research   | 3           |
| SOCI Elective 4   | 3           | SOCI 3005<br>Sociological Theory II:<br>Contemporary<br>Approaches   | 3           |
| SOCI Elective 5   | 3           | SOCI Elective 6  | 3           |
| EDUC 2006<br>Curriculum, Assessment and<br>Learning   | 3           | SOCI Elective 7  | 3           |
| EDUC 2007 Educational<br>Research   | 3           | EDUC 2005<br>Classroom<br>Communication and<br>Management  | 3           |
| EDUC 3027 Teaching Life and<br>Society in Secondary Schools   | 2           | EDUC 3045 Citizenship<br>Education in Schools  | 2           |
| EDUC 3025 Teaching<br>Geography in Secondary<br>Schools I<br>OR<br>EDUC 3036 Teaching History<br>in Secondary Schools I | 2           | EDUC 3026 Teaching<br>Geography in Secondary<br>Schools II<br>OR<br>EDUC 3037 Teaching<br>History in Secondary<br>Schools II | 2           |
|   |             | GE (Interdisciplinary<br>Thematic Course)  | 3           |
|   |             |  |             |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>19</b>   | <b>Total</b>   | <b>22</b>   |

**Year IV**

| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Semester 2</b>                        | <b>Unit</b> |
|-------------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| Free Elective 4   | 3           | EDUC 1025 School Experience              | 2           |
| Free Elective 5   | 3           | EDUC 3006 Supervised Teaching Practice I | 4           |
| Free Elective 6   | 3           | EDUC Elective 1                          | 2           |
| Free Elective 7   | 3           | EDUC Elective 2                          | 2           |
| GE Capstone       | 3           | EDUC Elective 3                          | 2           |
|                   |             |  |             |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>15</b>   | <b>Total</b>                             | <b>12</b>   |

**Year V**

| <b>Semester 1</b>   | <b>Unit</b> | <b>Semester 2</b>         | <b>Unit</b> |
|---|-------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| SOCI 4898 Honours Project                                 | 3           | SOCI 4899 Honours Project | 3           |
| EDUC 3007 Inclusive Education & Special Educational Needs | 2           | SOCI Elective 8           | 3           |
| EDUC 3015 Teacher's Personal and Professional Development | 2           | SOCI Elective 9           | 3           |
| EDUC 3017 Supervised Teaching Practice II                 | 5           | SOCI Elective 10          | 3           |
| EDUC Elective 4   | 2           | SOCI Elective 11          | 3           |
| EDUC Elective 5   | 2           |                           |             |
|   |             |                           |             |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>16</b>   | <b>Total</b>              | <b>15</b>   |

TO FULFILL GRADUATION REQUIREMENT, STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTAIN FOUNDATION PUTONGHUA PROFICIENCY.

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

***Social Sciences Common Core*** **4 Units**

**a. Core course**

SOSC 1006 Invitation to Social Sciences 1

**b. Experiential Learning in Action**

Either SOSC 3005 Community and Civic Engagement 3\*  
Or SOSC 3006 Global Outreach 3

*\* Students taking EDUC3006 Supervised Teaching Practice I (3 out of 4 units) will fulfil the requirements of SOSC3005 Community and Civic Engagement under “Social Sciences Common Core – Experiential Learning in Action”. Since the 3 units of SSCC is accounted for by EDUC3006 STPI, the total credit unit for graduation remains at 167.*

**Sociology Required Courses** **21 units**

|             |   |         |
|-------------|---|---------|
| SOCI 1005   | Invitation to Sociology                           | 3       |
| SOCI 2005   | Qualitative Methods of Social Research            | 3       |
| SOCI 2006   | Social Statistics                                 | 3       |
| SOCI 2007   | Quantitative Methods of Social Research           | 3       |
| SOCI 2015   | Sociological Theory I: Classical Theory           | 3       |
| SOCI 2046   | Introduction to Sociological Thinking and Writing | 3       |
| SOCI 3005   | Sociological Theory II: Contemporary Approaches   | 3       |
| SOCI 4898/9 | Honours Project                                   | 6 units |

**Sociology Elective Courses** **33 units**

Students are required to take a total of 33 units of SOCI elective courses. The requirements are as follows: a) 6 units of Level 2 courses, b) 27 units of Level 3 or 4 courses, of which at least 9 units of Level 3 courses and 12 units of Level 4 courses.

TWO of the following courses

|           |                              |   |
|-----------|------------------------------|---|
| SOCI 2016 | Modern Chinese Society       | 3 |
| SOCI 2017 | Popular Culture and Society  | 3 |
| SOCI 2025 | Population and Social Issues | 3 |

|      |      |  |   |
|------|------|--|---|
| SOCI | 2027 | Social Problems  | 3 |
| SOCI | 2035 | Social Inequalities  | 3 |
| SOCI | 2036 | Sociology of Marriage and the Family                           | 3 |
| SOCI | 2037 | Unity and Diversity: The Making of Chinese Culture and Society | 3 |
| SOCI | 2045 | Urban Sociology  | 3 |
| SOCI | 2047 | Hong Kong Society  | 3 |

AT LEAST THREE of the following courses

|      |      |  |   |
|------|------|--|---|
| SOCI | 3007 | Global Social Transformations                  | 3 |
| SOCI | 3016 | Political Sociology                            | 3 |
| SOCI | 3017 | Health and Society                             | 3 |
| SOCI | 3025 | The Internet and Society                       | 3 |
| SOCI | 3026 | Work and Society                               | 3 |
| SOCI | 3027 | Careers and Life Courses                       | 3 |
| SOCI | 3035 | Sex, Gender and Society                        | 3 |
| SOCI | 3037 | Children, Youth and Aging                      | 3 |
| SOCI | 3045 | China and Tourism                              | 3 |
| SOCI | 3046 | Chinese Capitalisms                            | 3 |
| SOCI | 3047 | Consumption in China                           | 3 |
| SOCI | 3055 | Population and Social Developments in China    | 3 |
| SOCI | 3056 | Community Engagement for Social Sustainability | 3 |

AT LEAST FOUR of the following courses

|      |      |   |   |
|------|------|---|---|
| SOCI | 4006 | Chinese Family and Kinship  | 3 |
| SOCI | 4015 | East Asia: Economic Miracles and Social Change                      | 3 |
| SOCI | 4016 | Globalization   | 3 |
| SOCI | 4017 | Management, Organization and Society                                | 3 |
| SOCI | 4026 | Selected Topics in Contemporary Sociology I                         | 3 |
| SOCI | 4027 | Selected Topics in Contemporary Sociology II                        | 3 |
| SOCI | 4035 | Selected Topics in the Sociology of China I                         | 3 |
| SOCI | 4036 | Selected Topics in the Sociology of China II                        | 3 |
| SOCI | 4037 | Cultural Sociology  | 3 |
| SOCI | 4045 | Social Movements  | 3 |
| SOCI | 4046 | Social Networks and Chinese Society                                 | 3 |
| SOCI | 4047 | Sociological Issues in Urban & Rural Development                    | 3 |
| SOCI | 4055 | Gender in Contemporary China  | 3 |
| SOCI | 4056 | States and Power: Europe and China                                  | 3 |
| SOCI | 4057 | China's Social Classes under Economic Reform                        | 3 |
| SOCI | 4065 | Chinese Entrepreneurship and Overseas Chinese in the Global Context | 3 |
| SOCI | 4066 | Chinese Nationalism and Identity Politics                           | 3 |

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