

**IUPUC Division of Liberal Arts
Bachelor of Arts- Sociology (SOC)**

Degree requirements as of fall 2018



**DIVISION OF
LIBERAL ARTS**

INDIANA UNIVERSITY-PURDUE UNIVERSITY
Columbus

IUPUC Common Core (30 Credit Hours)

*If SOC major courses are used to fill any part of the IUPUC Common Core requirement, the course will also count toward the major, but the credits only count once. Students still must achieve 120 graduation hours.

*Approved list for some courses can be found here <https://www.iupuc.edu/about/administration-leadership/institutional-research/general-education/>

1. Core Communication (2 courses; 6 cr.)

Written Communication course from approved list:

1. ENG W131- Reading, Writing and Inquiry 3 ____

Speaking and Listening course from approved list:

2. COMM R110- Public Speaking 3 ____

2. Mathematics/Analytical Reasoning (2 courses; 6cr.)

From approved list*, at least one must be college level math.

1. _____ 3 ____

2. _____ 3 ____

____ Student completed 30 hour transferable State of Indiana common Core in full at another Indiana state institution.

Name of institution: _____

____ Verified on IU transcript

3. Life and Physical Sciences (2 courses; 6 cr.)

*A course which includes a LAB is recommended for one of the requirements.

1. _____ 3 ____

2. _____ 3 ____

4. Cultural Understanding (1 course; 3cr.)

From approved list*:

1. _____ 3 ____

5. Arts & Humanities and Social Sciences (3 courses; 9 cr.)

From approved list*, with at least 3 credits in each area:

1. SS: _____ 3 ____

2. A&H: _____ 3 ____

3. SS or A&H: _____ 3 ____

6. Baccalaureate Competencies: Liberal Arts General Education Requirements

Required: (Prerequisite: ENG-W 131 with a grade of C or higher)

ENG-W 231 Professional Writing Skills or ENG-W 270 Argumentative Writing
(Grade of C or higher is required) _____ 3 ____

UCOL-U 110 or DLA-L 110 First Year Experience (Waived for transfer students
with 18 credits or more) _____ 1-2 ____

Computer Proficiency/Logic (May be part of the student's coursework taken in
the General Education Core) _____ 3 ____

Arts and Humanities (Choose one 100 or 200 level course, not in your first
major field of study): _____ 3 ____

Social Science (Choose one 100 or 200 level course, not in your first
major field of study): _____ 3 ____

World Language and Culture (All SOC students are required to complete
first-year competency in a world language.) _____ 4+4 ____

Advanced Courses: 40 credits total must be completed at the 300-400 level,
including courses within the major _____

Course selection and approval should be done in consultation with the Division of Liberal Arts Academic Advisor



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Sociology Major Course Requirements (30 cr.)

Students must earn a grade of C (not "C-") or higher in all Sociology courses

Required Courses:

SOC-R100	Introduction to Sociology	_____3 cr.
SOC-R351	Social Science Research Methods	_____3 cr.
SOC-R355	Social Theory	_____3 cr.
SOC-R359	Sociological Statistics*	_____3 cr.
SOC-R____	Sociology Elective	_____3 cr.
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Senior Seminar (3cr.)

SOC-R494	Capstone: Internship	_____3 cr.
OR	SOC-R497	Capstone: Independent Study(Instructor Permission)

*Students may take Psycholog B305 Statistics in place of SOC-R359, but then need to complete 18 hours of SOC electives to reach the required 30 hours of Sociology courses for the major.

Electives: any number of credit hours needed to reach the minimum of 120 credit hours required to graduate.
(Please note there are some courses that do not count in this area)

Students cannot double count courses in this area with the common core general education requirements.

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HIM-M 330 3 B
