

DIVISION OF SOCIOLOGY

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The Division of Sociology offers undergraduate programs leading to the Bachelor of Science in Sociology. Minors in this area provide a background complementing majors from other fields. Interdisciplinary minors in Ethnic Studies and in Global Studies are also available in the Department of Social Sciences and Historical Studies. At the graduate level, the department offers programs in sociology leading to the Master of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy degrees. (For information about the graduate degrees in sociology, see the graduate catalog.)

The sociology major is general and broad-based, providing for a systematic study of human society and the application of sociological theories, research methods, and techniques.

For information about the sociology program, please visit our sociology website (<http://www.twu.edu/sociology/>). For information about the criminal justice program, please visit our criminal justice website (<https://twu.edu/criminal-justice/>).

Undergraduate Degrees Offered

- Minors (<https://catalog.twu.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/sociology/minors/>)
- B.S. in Sociology (<https://catalog.twu.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/sociology/sociology-bs/>)
- B.S. in Sociology (Social Inequality) (<https://catalog.twu.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/sociology/sociology-bs-social-inequality/>)
- Accelerated B.S. in Sociology/M.S. in Sociology (<https://catalog.twu.edu/undergraduate/arts-sciences/sociology/accelerated-sociology-bs-ma/>)

Special Departmental Requirements

No grade lower than C can be counted as credit toward completion of a major or minor in this department. A course can be repeated for credit no more than twice—that is, taken a total of three times.

No more than three semester credit hours of Internship can be counted toward a major in this department, and none can be counted toward a minor.

Majors must take a three-semester credit hour 1000-level sociology course (with a grade of C or higher) before taking an advanced sociology course.

Students are not allowed Independent Study credit for courses typically offered as organized classes.

Internship credit will not be given for former or current employment.