

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

Overview

The Bachelor of Social Sciences in Interdisciplinary Studies allows students to cover the fundamentals of the social sciences and is an excellent springboard to studies in law or education.

This program is offered in English and in French.

Program Requirements

90 units

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2022-2023 calendars (<http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/>) for the previous requirements.

A maximum of 45 course units can be taken at the 1000 level.

Basic skills

ENG 1100	Workshop in Essay Writing	3 Units
ENG 1120	Selected Topics in Literature and Composition	3 Units

Total: 6 Units

Compulsory courses

SCS 1150	Introduction to Social Sciences	3 Units
SCS 2150	Social Sciences and Research	3 Units
SCS 2160	Social Sciences and Changing Societies	3 Units

Optional courses

3 course units from:	3 Units	
SCS 3130	Social Innovation and Community Engagement	
SCS 3340	Social Innovation and Social Justice - Practicum	

A minor offered by the Faculty of Social Sciences ¹ 30 Units

or

15 optional course units offered by the Faculty of Social Sciences ^{1,2} 15 Units

15 optional course units offered by the Faculty of Social Sciences at the 3000 or 4000 level ^{1,2} 15 Units

Total: 42 Units

Elective courses

A combination of a second minor, of options or of elective courses 42 Units

Total: 42 Units

¹ Anthropology (ANT), Criminology (CRM), International Development and Globalization (DVM), Conflicts Studies and Human Rights (ECH), Economics (ECO), Feminist and Gender Studies (FEM), Public Administration (PAP), Political Science (POL), Psychology (PSY), Sociology (SOC), Social Work (SVS).

² Students are strongly recommended to complete a course offered under the Venture Program. For more information and to access the list of courses offered, please contact the School of Sociological and Anthropological Studies (<https://socialsciences.uottawa.ca/sociological-anthropological-studies/>).

120 units

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A minimum of 27 course units at the 3000 or 4000 level is required.

Basic skills

ENG 1100	Workshop in Essay Writing	3 Units
ENG 1120	Selected Topics in Literature and Composition	3 Units

Total: 6 Units

Compulsory courses

SCS 1150	Introduction to Social Sciences	3 Units
SCS 2150	Social Sciences and Research	3 Units
SCS 2160	Social Sciences and Changing Societies	3 Units

Optional courses

3 course units from:	3 Units	
SCS 3130	Social Innovation and Community Engagement	
SCS 3340	Social Innovation and Social Justice - Practicum	

A major offered by the Faculty of Social Sciences ¹ 42 Units

12 optional course units from the Faculty of Social Sciences ^{1,2,3} 12 Units

Total: 66 Units

Elective courses

Any combination of a second major, a minor, options and elective course units 48 Units

Total: 48 Units

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² The disciplines chosen must be different from those chosen for the major.

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