Progression Requirements – Social Science

OVERLAPPING COURSES BETWEEN SOCIOLOGY MODULES

Sociology 2205A/B, Sociology 2206A/B and Sociology 2240E or Sociology 2270A/B and Sociology 2271A/B are required courses for all majors and specializations offered by Sociology. When students combine two majors (e.g., Major in Sociology and Major in Criminology or Major in Criminal Justice) or a specialization and a major (Honors Specialization in Sociology and Major in Criminology or Major in Criminal Justice), however, these courses only need to be taken once. Sociology 2205A/B and Sociology 2206A/B will be counted toward both modules. Sociology 2240E or Sociology 2270A/B and Sociology 2271A/B will count toward one module and an additional 1.0 course at the 2200-level in Sociology must be taken for the other module.

When a major module in sociology is being combined with the Community Development module offered by the Brescia Sociology Department (which does not require that Sociology 2205A/B and Sociology 2206A/B be taken), any 1.0 sociology course numbered 2200 or above may be doubled counted. This means that students taking two majors in Sociology have 11.0 required courses while those combining a specialization and a major have 14.0.

Note: This is the only overlap allowed between Sociology modules. The Department does not permit any course overlap between a Minor and another module offered in Sociology.

Note: Three-Year Bachelor degrees allow a maximum of 9.0 courses in one subject area. Some modular combinations when taken exclusively through the Department of Sociology, may exceed this maximum, e.g., Major in Sociology + Minor in Criminology. Please consult the Department for further information.

Statistics Substitution

Students who have taken any course from the following list, will need to replace Sociology 2205A/B Statistics for Sociology with an additional 0.5 Sociology course at the 2200 level.

Sociology 2205A/B Antirequisites:


Statistics and Research Methods Substitution

Students who have completed the former Social Work 2205 must replace Sociology 2205A/B, Statistics for Sociology, and Sociology 2206A/B, Research Methods in Sociology, with 1.0 Sociology course at the 2200 level.
Students who take a full course (1.0 course) as a statistics substitution to satisfy the requirement for Sociology 2205A/B will have an additional 0.5 course for their module.

OVERLAPPING COURSES BETWEEN ANTHROPOLOGY AND INDIGENOUS STUDIES MODULES

As indicated in our module descriptions, several Anthropology and Indigenous Studies courses are cross-listed. Students may take these cross-listed courses for credit only once, as either an Anthropology course or an Indigenous Studies course.

Students may count a total of 1.0 of these cross-listed courses towards both Anthropology and Indigenous Studies modules without seeking special permission.

Students are reminded that in addition to meeting module requirements in Anthropology and Indigenous Studies, they must also meet Western’s requirements for graduation – that is, a total of 20.0 credits for a four-year degree and 15.0 credits for a three-year degree.