SOC 2: YOU, SOCIOLOGY AND THE UNIVERSITY

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History

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New Course Proposal

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Catalog Title:
You, Sociology and the University

Class Schedule Title:
You, Sociology and University

Academic Group: (College)
SSIS - Social Sciences & Interdisciplinary Studies

Academic Organization: (Department)
Sociology; Labor Studies

Will this course be offered through the College of Continuing Education (CCE)?
No

Catalog Year Effective:
Fall 2027 (2027/2028 Catalog)

Subject Area: (prefix)
SOC - Sociology

Catalog Number: (course number)
2

Course ID: (For administrative use only.)
203718

Units:
1

Is the ONLY purpose of this change to update the term typically offered or the enforcement of existing requisites at registration?
No

In what term(s) will this course typically be offered?
Fall, Spring

Does this course require a room for its final exam?
No, final exam does not require a room

This course complies with the credit hour policy:
Yes

Justification for course proposal:
This course is an introduction for students to the campus, campus resources, and the department of Sociology at Sac State. It is most useful to sociology majors given the content of the course focuses on opportunities, resources, curriculum in sociology. Should not be taken by students who are not sociology majors.

The only change for this course is that this course would be only for sociology majors, and it would be enforce at enrollment.
But we are also taking the opportunity to update the course learning outcomes that are more concrete and use Bloom's verbs. We are also correcting a typo in the course note and deleting modality from course description to allow more flexibility in how this course is offered.

Course Description: (Not to exceed 90 words and language should conform to catalog copy.)
This course is an introduction for students to the campus, campus resources, and the department of Sociology at Sac State. The goal is to connect students to information and resources to help them be successful as students in the Sociology program at CSUS, as well as clarify the process for success within, throughout, and beyond the Sociology program. This course is for all sociology majors.

Are one or more field trips required with this course?
No

Fee Course?
No

Is this course designated as Service Learning?
No

Is this course designated as Curricular Community Engaged Learning?
No

Does this course require safety training?
No

Does this course require personal protective equipment (PPE)?
No

Course Note: (Note must be a single sentence; do not include field trip or fee course notations.)
Required to be taken during first semester student changes or adds the major

Does this course have prerequisites?
Yes

Prerequisite:
Sociology majors only

Prerequisites Enforced at Registration?
Yes

Does this course have corequisites?
No

Graded:
Credit / No Credit

Approval required for enrollment?
No Approval Required

Course Component(s) and Classification(s):
Lecture

Lecture Classification
CS#01 - Large Lecture (K-factor=1 WTU per unit)
Lecture Units
1

Is this a paired course?
No

Is this course crosslisted?
No

Can this course be repeated for credit?
No

Can the course be taken for credit more than once during the same term?
No

Description of the Expected Learning Outcomes and Assessment Strategies:

List the Expected Learning Outcomes and their accompanying Assessment Strategies (e.g., portfolios, examinations, performances, pre-and post-tests, conferences with students, student papers). Click the plus sign to add a new row.

	Expected Learning Outcome	Assessment Strategies
1	Identify the course requirements, Sociology Program Learning Outcomes, and degree pathways needed to complete the B.A. in Sociology successfully and on time.	In-class activities and Homework
2	Locate campus resources at Sac State that support their academic and career goals and help them build the skills to reach those goals in a timely manner.	TEAM Assignments
3	Assess their own interests and strengths, and explain how these connect to their goals for after graduation.	In-class activities and Homework
4	Analyze how structural forces such as class, race, gender, sexuality, and citizenship shape inequality along multiple, intersecting axes.	In-class activities and Homework

Attach a list of the required/recommended course readings and activities:
2026 FALL SOC 2 SYLLABUS UPDATED FOR CURRICULUM FLOW PDF.pdf

Is this course required in a degree program (major, minor, graduate degree, certificate?)
Yes

Has a corresponding Program Change been submitted to Workflow?

Yes

Identify the program(s) in which this course is required:

Programs:
BA in Sociology

Does the proposed change or addition cause a significant increase in the use of College or University resources (lab room, computer)?

No

Will there be any departments affected by this proposed course?

No

I/we as the author(s) of this course proposal agree to provide a new or updated accessibility checklist to the Dean's office prior to the semester when this course is taught utilizing the changes proposed here.

I/we agree

University Learning Goals

Undergraduate Learning Goals:

Intellectual and practical skills
Personal and social responsibility

Is this course required as part of a teaching credential program, a single subject, or multiple subject waiver program (e.g., Liberal Studies, Biology) or other school personnel preparation program (e.g., School of Nursing)?

No

Is this a General Education (GE) or Graduation Requirement (GR) course or is it being considered for GE/GR?

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No

Reviewer Comments:

Catheryn Koss (koss) (Fri, 18 Sep 2026 22:11:20 GMT): Rollback: see 9/18/26 email

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