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| **Sociology****Applicable to students admitted in 2024-25** |
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| **Major Programme Requirement** |
| Students are required to complete a minimum of 69 units of courses as follows: |
|  |  | Units |
| 1. | Faculty Package: | 9 |
|  | SOCI1001 and any two courses, offered by two different Programmes/Departments/Schools, chosen from the following: |  |
|  | ARCH1001, 1002, 1003, COMM1110, 1120, 1150, 1500, DSPS1001, 1003, 1004, ECON1210, 1220, 2011, GLSD1001, GPAD1020, 1076, 1077, GRMD1302, 1401, 1402, PSYC1000, 1630, SOSC1001, 1002, 1003, SOWK1001, 1113, 1114, URSP1001, 1002 |   |
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| 2. | Required Courses: | 27 |
|  | SOCI1002, 2003, 2004, 2104, 3003, 3223, 3231, 4010 (capstone course), 4020 (capstone course) |  |
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| 3. | Elective Courses: | 33 |
|  | 33 units of courses chosen from the following, including a minimum of 6 units of elective courses at 3000 or above level: |  |
|  | SOCI2101, 2103, 2106, 2116, 2203, 2208, 2216, 2218, 2219, 3001, 3002, 3102, 3204, 3207, 3208, 3221, 3224, 3225, 3226, 3227, 3229, 3230, 3233, 3234, 3235, 3236, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3240, 3241, 3242, 3243, 3451, 3452, 3453, 4201, 4202, 4204, 4205, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4211, 4351, 4352, 4353, 4410, 4420 |  |
|  | **Total:** | **69** |
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| Concentration Area: |  |
| Students may choose to declare one, or up to two concentration areas by taking at least 15 or 18 units in the relevant area(s): |
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| **Research Methods and Data Analytics** |  |
| At least 18 units of courses from the three modules listed below: |  |
| (a) | Quantitative Method Cluster: | 6 |
|  | At least 6 units from SOCI2004, 3229, 3243, 4201 |  |
| (b) | Computational Method Cluster: | 3 |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3102, 3238 |  |
| (c) | Community Social Analysis Cluster: | 9 |
|  | At least 9 units from SOCI2003, 3001, 3221, 3225, 3227, 3231, 3235, 4020[a], 4211[b], 4410/4420[c] |  |
| Optional Interdisciplinary Cluster: |  |
| A maximum of 3 units from one of the following courses can be counted towards the fulfillment of 3 units in any one of the clusters of the concentration listed above:DSPS2201, 3202, GRMD2104, 2105, 3104, 3106 |  |
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| **Sociology and Social Policy** |  |
| (a) | Required Courses: | 9 |
|  | SOCI2106, 2203, 3227 or 3236[d] |  |
| (b) | Elective Courses: | 6 |
|  | At least 6 units of courses chosen from the following, with a maximum of 3 units of DSPS courses:DSPS2201, 2301, 2501, 3202, SOCI2116, 2208, 2216, 2218, 3204, 3208, 3227 or 3236[d], 3237, 3242, 3243, 4020[a], 4202, 4211[b], 4410/4420[c] |  |
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| **Society, Sustainability and Technology** |  |
| At least 18 units of courses from the two modules listed below: | 18 |
| (a) | Environment and Technology (at least 6 units) |  |
|  | Required Course: |  |
|  | SOCI3239 |  |
|  | Elective Course(s): |  |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3102, 3238, 3240, 4210 |  |
| (b) | Society and Sustainability (at least 9 units) |  |
|  | Required Course(s): |  |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3002[e], 3241[e], 4204[e] |  |
|  | Elective Courses: |  |
|  | At least 6 units from SOCI2116, 2208, 2216, 2218, 3002[e], 3204, 3208, 3227, 3230, 3237, 3241[e], 4020[a], 4202, 4204[e], 4211[b], 4410/4420[c] |  |
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| Explanatory Notes: |
| 1. | SOCI courses at 2000 and above level will be included in the calculation of Major GPA for honours classification. |
| 2. | Students who pursue a second Major in Journalism and Communication can complete COMM1120, SOCI1001 and one Faculty Package course offered by a Programme/Department/School other than SOCI and COMM to satisfy the Faculty Package course requirements of both Major Programmes. |
| 3. | Students who pursue a second Major in Journalism and Communication can be exempted from taking COMM2160 by taking SOCI2003 as the units earned can be counted towards both Major Programmes. |
| 4. | Students must have taken or registered for at least 27 units of COMM courses at the last term of attendance before making declaration to take Journalism and Communication as their second Major. |
| 5. | Any students should have taken at least 36 units of SOCI courses before making official declaration to take the Journalism and Communication as their second Major. |
| [a] | Graduation Thesis II (SOCI4020) |
|  | - | The Graduation Thesis should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student declares to take two concentration areas, units earned from the course “Graduation Thesis II” will be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one area only, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. The student should indicate towards which area the units are counted when declaring the concentrations. |
| [b] | Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges (SOCI4211) |
|  | - | The internship organisation and/or the internship job nature should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student declares to take two concentration areas, units earned from the course “Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges” will be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one area only, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. The student should indicate towards which area the units are counted when declaring the concentrations. |
| [c] | Directed Studies I/II (SOCI4410/4420) |
|  | - | The Directed Studies should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student has taken SOCI4410 and 4420, and both are of the same theme that can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration only, then only up to 3 units from either one course can be counted towards the fulfillment of the concentration requirement, also subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. |
|  | - | If a student has taken SOCI4410 and 4420 with different themes, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement, the units earned from SOCI4410 can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration and SOCI4420 towards another. |
|  | - | Units earned from a directed studies course can only be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration. |
| [d] | Students are required to take either SOCI3227 or 3236 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken both SOCI3227 and 3236, the extra 3 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
| [e] | Students are required to take either SOCI3002 or 3241 or 4204 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken more than one of these three courses, the extra 3 units or 6 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
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|  | **Recommended Course Pattern** | **Units** |
| **First Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Faculty Package: SOCI1001 and 1 Faculty Package course | 6 |
| Major Required: SOCI1002 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): |  |
| 2nd term |  |
| Faculty Package: 1 course | 3 |
| Major Required: SOCI2104 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| **Second Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI2003 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 course | 3 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI2004 and 3003 | 6 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 course | 3 |
| **Third Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3223 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3231 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 2-3 courses | 6-9 |
| **Fourth Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI4010 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI4020 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
|  | **Total (including Faculty Package):** | **69** |

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| **Major Programme Requirement (for Associate Degree or Higher Diploma holders admitted to senior-year places)** |
| Students are required to complete a minimum of 60 units of courses as follows: |
|  |  | Units |
| 1. | Required Courses: | 30 |
|  | SOCI1001[a], 1002, 2003, 2004, 2104, 3003, 3223, 3231, 4010 (capstone course), 4020 (capstone course) |  |
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| 2. | Elective Courses: | 30 |
|  | 30 units of courses chosen from the following, including a minimum of 6 units of elective courses at 3000 or above level: |  |
|  | SOCI2101, 2103, 2106, 2116, 2203, 2208, 2216, 2218, 2219, 3001, 3002, 3102, 3204, 3207, 3208, 3221, 3224, 3225, 3226, 3227, 3229, 3230, 3233, 3234, 3235, 3236, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3240, 3241, 3242, 3243, 3451, 3452, 3453, 4201, 4202, 4204, 4205, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4211, 4351, 4352, 4353, 4410, 4420 |  |
|  | **Total:** | **60** |
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| Concentration Area: |  |
| Students may choose to declare one, or up to two concentration areas by taking at least 15 or 18 units in the relevant area(s): |
|  |
| **Research Methods and Data Analytics** |  |
| At least 18 units of courses from the three modules listed below: |  |
| (a)  | Quantitative Method Cluster: | 6 |
|  | At least 6 units from SOCI2004, 3229, 3243, 4201 |  |
| (b) | Computational Method Cluster: | 3 |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3102, 3238 |  |
| (c) | Community Social Analysis Cluster:  | 9 |
|  | At least 9 units from SOCI2003, 3001, 3221, 3225, 3227, 3231, 3235, 4020[b], 4211[c], 4410/4420[d] |  |
| Optional Interdisciplinary Cluster: |  |
| A maximum of 3 units from one of the following courses can be counted towards the fulfillment of 3 units in any one of the clusters of the concentration listed above:DSPS2201, 3202, GRMD2104, 2105, 3104, 3106 |  |
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| **Sociology and Social Policy** |  |
| (a) | Required Courses: | 9 |
|  | SOCI2106, 2203, 3227 or 3236[e] |  |
| (b) | Elective Courses: | 6 |
|  | At least 6 units of courses chosen from the following, with a maximum of 3 units of DSPS courses:DSPS2201, 2301, 2501, 3202, SOCI2116, 2208, 2216, 2218, 3204, 3208, 3227 or 3236[e], 3237, 3242, 3243, 4020[b], 4202, 4211[c], 4410/4420[d] |  |
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| **Society, Sustainability and Technology**[f] |  |
| At least 18 units of courses from the two modules listed below: | 18 |
| (a) | Environment and Technology (at least 6 units) |  |
|  | Required Course: |  |
|  | SOCI3239 |  |
|  | Elective Course(s): |  |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3102, 3238, 3240, 4210 |  |
| (b) | Society and Sustainability (at least 9 units) |  |
|  | Required Course(s): |  |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3002[g], 3241[g], 4204[g] |  |
|  | Elective Courses: |  |
|  | At least 6 units from SOCI2116, 2208, 2216, 2218, 3002[g], 3204, 3208, 3227, 3230, 3237, 3241[g], 4020[b], 4202, 4204[g], 4211[c], 4410/4420[d] |  |
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| **Society and Sustainable Development**[f][h]Students are required to complete a minimum of 61 units of courses as follows: |  |
| 1. | Required Courses: | 30 |
|  | SOCI1001[a], 1002, 2003, 2004, 2104, 3003, 3223, 3231, 4010 (capstone course), 4020 (capstone course) |  |
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| 2.  | Elective Courses[i]: |  |
| (a) | Society ClusterAt least 15 units of courses from the following:SOCI2116, 2203, 2208, 2216, 2218, 2219, 3002, 3102, 3204, 3208, 3227, 3230, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3240, 3241, 4020[b], 4202, 4204, 4210, 4211[c], 4410/4420[d] | 15 |
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| (b) | Climate Knowledge Cluster | **7** |
|  | (i) | Required Courses: |  |
|  |  | EESC1001, EESC2010[j] or ESSC2010[j] or EESC2020[j] or ESSC2020[j] or EESC2270 or ENSC2270 |  |
|  | (ii) | Elective Course(s): |  |
|  |  | At least 2 units from the following:EESC2010[j] or ESSC2010[j], EESC2020[j] or ESSC2020[j], EESC2120 or ESSC2120, EESC2515 or ENSC2515, EESC2800 or ESSC2800, EESC3220 or ESSC3220, EESC3230 or ENSC3230, EESC3300 or ESSC3300, EESC3330 or ENSC3330, EESC3520 or ENSC3520, EESC3600 or ESSC3600, EESC3601 or ESSC3601, EESC3800 or ESSC3800, EESC4240 or ESSC4240, EESC4260 or ESSC4260, EESC4350 or ENSC4250, EESC4510 or ESSC4510, EESC4540 or ESSC4540, EESC4602 or ESSC4602 |  |
| (c) | Diversity Cluster | 9 |
|  | (i) | Required Courses: |  |
|  |  | GDRS1001, 3005[k] or 3006[k] or 3007[k] or 3009[k] |  |
|  | (ii) | Elective Course(s): |  |
|  |  | At least 3 units of course(s) from the following:ANTH2380, 2440, 3324, 3340, GDRS1002, 3003, 3005[k], 3006[k], 3007[k], 3008, 3009[k], 3012, 3021, 3024, 3025, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4011, 4012, SOWK2140, 2150, 2160, 2190, 2202, 2203, 2204 |  |
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| Explanatory Notes: |
| 1. | SOCI courses at 2000 and above level will be included in the calculation of Major GPA for honours classification. |
| [a] | Students may apply for exemption of the course “SOCI1001 Introduction to Sociology” if they have already taken similar subject during their Associate Degree or Higher Diploma studies. But these students still have to complete a minimum of 60 units (61 units for the concentration “Society and Sustainable Development”) of Sociology courses for graduation. He/she therefore will have to fulfill the major unit requirement by taking another 3 units of Sociology elective course. |
| [b] | Graduation Thesis II (SOCI4020) |
|  | - | The Graduation Thesis should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student declares to take two concentration areas, units earned from the course “Graduation Thesis II” will be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one area only, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. The student should indicate towards which area the units are counted when declaring the concentrations. |
| [c]  | Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges (SOCI4211) |
|  | - | The internship organisation and/or the internship job nature should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student declares to take two concentration areas, units earned from the course “Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges” will be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one area only, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. The student should indicate towards which area the units are counted when declaring the concentrations. |
| [d] | Directed Studies I/II (SOCI4410/4420) |
|  | - | The Directed Studies should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student has taken SOCI4410 and 4420, and both are of the same theme that can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration only, then only up to 3 units from either one course can be counted towards the fulfillment of the concentration requirement, also subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. |
|  | - | If a student has taken SOCI4410 and 4420 with different themes, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement, the units earned from SOCI4410 can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration and SOCI4420 towards another. |
|  | - | Units earned from a directed studies course can only be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration. |
| [e] | Students are required to take either SOCI3227 or 3236 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken both SOCI3227 and 3236, the extra 3 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
| [f] | Students who opt for the concentration “Society, Sustainability and Technology” are not allowed to declare the concentration “Society and Sustainable Development”, and vice versa.  |
| [g]  | Students are required to take either SOCI3002 or 3241 or 4204 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken more than one of these three courses, the extra 3 units or 6 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
| [h] | Students who wish to study in the concentration “Society and Sustainable Development” should declare their intention in the first term of the first year before course registration in consultation with the Department of Sociology. |
| [i] | The units earned from courses offered by other departments under this concentration can be counted towards the fulfillment of major programme requirement. |
| [j] | Students are required to take either EESC2010 or ESSC2010 or EESC2020 or ESSC2020 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken more than one of these three courses, the extra units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
| [k] | Students are required to take either GDRS3005 or 3006 or 3007 or 3009 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken more than one of these three courses, the extra 3 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
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|  | **Recommended Course Pattern (for Associate Degree or Higher Diploma holders admitted to senior-year places)** | **Units** |
| **First Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI1001, 1002 and 2003 | 9 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 course | 3 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI2004, 2104 and 3003 | 9 |
| Major Elective(s): 3 courses | 9 |
| **Second Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3223 and 4010 | 6 |
| Major Elective(s): 2-3 courses | 6-9 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3231 and 4020 | 6 |
| Major Elective(s): 3-4 courses | 9-12 |
| **Total:** | **60** |

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|  | **Recommended Course Pattern (for Associate Degree or Higher Diploma holders admitted to senior-year places and who have already declared their intention for the *Society and Sustainable Development* concentration in the first year of admission before the course registration begins)** | **Units** |
| **First Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI1001, 1002 and 2003 | 9 |
| Concentration Required: EESC1001, EESC2020 or ESSC2020, GDRS1001, GDRS3005 or 3007Major Elective(s): 0-1 course | 5-80-3 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI2004, 2104 and 3003Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 93-6 |
| Concentration Required: EESC2010 or ESSC2010 or EESC2270 or ENSC2270, GDRS3006 or 3009Concentration Elective(s): 0-2 course(s) | 0-60-6 |
| **Second Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3223 and 4010Major Elective(s): 1-2 courses | 63-6 |
| Concentration Required: 0-1 courseConcentration Elective(s): 0-2 course(s) | 0-30-6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3231 and 4020Major Elective(s): 1-2 course | 63-6 |
| Concentration Required: 0-1 course Concentration Elective(s): 0-2 course(s) | 0-30-6 |
| **Total:** | **61** |
| Students can also choose optional elective(s) from GDRS, ANTH or SOWK. |

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| Sociology & Journalism and Communication Double Major Programme |
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| **Major Programme Requirement** |
| Students are required to complete a minimum of 90 units of courses as follows: |
|  |  | Units |
| 1. | Faculty Package: | 9 |
|  | COMM1120, SOCI1001 and any one course chosen from the following: |  |
|  | ARCH1001, 1002, 1003, DSPS1001, 1003, 1004, ECON1210, 1220, 2011, GLSD1001, GPAD1020, 1076, 1077, GRMD1302, 1401, 1402, PSYC1000, 1630, SOSC1001, 1002, 1003, SOWK1001, 1113, 1114, URSP1001, 1002 |  |
| 2. | Required Courses:  |  |
| (a) | 1st Major: SociologySOCI1002, 2003, 2004, 2104, 3003, 3223, 3231 | 21 |
| (b) | 2nd Major: Journalism and Communication  | 24 |
|  | i)  | COMM1150, 2530#, 3200#, 3600# or 3710# |  |
|  | ii) | Chinese Journalism COMM1170, 2110#, 2170#, 3140#; or English Journalism COMM1180, 2120#, 2180#, 3610# |  |
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| 3. | Elective Courses:  |  |
| (a) | 1st Major: SociologySOCI2101, 2103, 2106, 2116, 2203, 2208, 2216, 2218, 2219, 3001, 3002, 3102, 3204, 3207, 3208, 3221, 3224, 3225, 3226, 3227, 3229, 3230, 3233, 3234, 3235, 3236, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3240, 3241, 3451, 3452, 3453, 4201, 4202, 4204, 4205, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4211, 4351, 4352, 4353, 4410, 4420 | 18[a] or 24[b] |
| (b) | 2nd Major: Journalism and CommunicationCOMM1500, 2140, 2210, 2440, 2540, 2570, 2590, 2600, 2610, 2710, 2733, 2740, 2741, 2811, 2812, 2813, 2814, 2830, 2840, 2850, 2910, 2920, 2922, 2925, 2926, 2928, 2930, 2932, 2940, 2962, 3131, 3132, 3191, 3193, 3550, 3620, 3630, 3640, 3650, 3660, 3670, 3680, 3681, 3682, 3690, 3700, 3711, 3721, 3722, 3733, 3740, 3750, 3800, 3810, 3811, 3812, 3820, 3831, 3832, 3840, 3841, 3850, 3855, 3881, 3888, 3910, 3920, 3921, 3922, 3930, 3933, 3939, 3940, 3941, 3963, 4040, 4191, 4250, 4730, 4733, 4848, 4935, 4956, 4962 | 9[b] or 12[a] |
|  |  |  |
| 4. | Research Component/ Capstone Course/ Final Year Project:COMM4150# or (SOCI4010 and 4020) | 3[b] or 6[a]  |
|  | **Total:** | **90** |
| Explanatory Notes: |  |
| 1. | SOCI courses at 2000 and above level as well as those labeled as # will be included in the calculation of Major GPA for honours classification. |
| [a]  | Students who take SOCI4010 and 4020 for fulfillment of the Research Component/ Capstone Course/ Final Year Project are required to take 18 units from 3(a) Elective Courses and 12 units from 3(b) Elective Courses. |
| [b] | Students who take COMM4150 for fulfillment of the Research Component/ Capstone Course/ Final Year Projectare required to take 24 units from 3(a) Elective Courses and 9 units from 3(b) Elective Courses. |
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|  | **Recommended Course Pattern** | **Units** |
| **First Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Faculty Package: COMM1120, SOCI1001 | 6 |
| Major Required: SOCI1002 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s):  |  |
| 2nd term |  |
| Faculty Package: 1 course | 3 |
| Major Required: SOCI2104 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 COMM course and 1 SOCI course  | 6 |
| **Second Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: COMM1150, (COMM1170 or 1180), SOCI2003 | 9 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 COMM course and 1 SOCI course  | 6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: (COMM2110 or 2120), SOCI2004, 3003 | 9 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 SOCI course | 3 |
| **Third Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: (COMM2170 or 2180), COMM2530, SOCI3223 | 9 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 COMM course and 1 SOCI course  | 6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: (COMM3140 or 3610), (COMM3600 or 3710), SOCI3231 | 9 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 SOCI course | 3 |
| **Fourth Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: COMM3200, (COMM4150 or SOCI4010)  | 6 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 to 2 SOCI courses | 3-6 |
|  | 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: (SOCI4020) | 0-3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 COMM course or 1 SOCI course  | 3 |
| **Total (including Faculty Package):** | **90** |

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| Bachelor of Social Science (Sociology) and Juris Doctor Double Degree Option |
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| **1st Degree: Bachelor of Social Science (Sociology)** |
| **Major Programme Requirement** |
| Students are required to complete a minimum of 69 units of courses as follows: |
|  |  | Units |
| 1. | Faculty Package:  | 9 |
|  | SOCI1001 and any two courses, offered by two different Programmes/Departments/Schools, chosen from the following: |  |
|  | ARCH1001, 1002, 1003, COMM1110, 1120, 1150, 1500, DSPS1001, 1003, 1004, ECON1210, 1220, 2011, GLSD1001, GPAD1020, 1076, 1077, GRMD1302, 1401, 1402, PSYC1000, 1630, SOSC1001, 1002, 1003, SOWK1001, 1113, 1114, URSP1001, 1002 |  |
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| 2. | Required Courses: | 27 |
|  | SOCI1002, 2003, 2004, 2104, 3003, 3223, 3231, 4010 (capstone course), 4020 (capstone course) |  |
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| 3. | Elective Courses: | 33 |
|  | 33 units of courses chosen from the following, including a minimum of 6 units of elective courses at 3000 or above level: |  |
|  | SOCI2101, 2103, 2106, 2116, 2203, 2208, 2216, 2218, 2219, 3001, 3002, 3102, 3204, 3207, 3208, 3221, 3224, 3225, 3226, 3227, 3229, 3230, 3233, 3234, 3235, 3236, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3240, 3241, 3242, 3243, 3451, 3452, 3453, 4201, 4202, 4204, 4205, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4211, 4351, 4352, 4353, 4410, 4420 |  |
|  | **Total:** | **69** |
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| Concentration Area: |  |
| Students may choose to declare one, or up to two concentration areas by taking at least 15 or 18 units in the relevant area(s): |
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| **Research Methods and Data Analytics** |  |
| At least 18 units of courses from the three modules listed below: |  |
| (a) | Quantitative Method Cluster: | 6 |
|  | At least 6 units from SOCI2004, 3229, 3243, 4201 |  |
| (b) | Computational Method Cluster: | 3 |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3102, 3238 |  |
| (c) | Community Social Analysis Cluster: | 9 |
|  | At least 9 units from SOCI2003, 3001, 3221, 3225, 3227, 3231, 3235, 4020[a], 4211[b], 4410/4420[c] |  |
| Optional Interdisciplinary Cluster: |  |
| A maximum of 3 units from one of the following courses can be counted towards the fulfillment of 3 units in any one of the clusters of the concentration listed above:DSPS2201, 3202, GRMD2104, 2105, 3104, 3106 |  |
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| **Sociology and Social Policy** |  |
| (a) | Required Courses: | 9 |
|  | SOCI2106, 2203, 3227 or 3236[d] |  |
| (b) | Elective Courses: | 6 |
|  | At least 6 units of courses chosen from the following, with a maximum of 3 units of DSPS courses:DSPS2201, 2301, 2501, 3202, SOCI2116, 2208, 2216, 2218, 3204, 3208, 3227 or 3236[d], 3237, 3242, 3243, 4020[a], 4202, 4211[b], 4410/4420[c] |  |
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| **Society, Sustainability and Technology** |  |
| At least 18 units of courses from the two modules listed below: | 18 |
| (a) | Environment and Technology (at least 6 units) |  |
|  | Required Course: |  |
|  | SOCI3239 |  |
|  | Elective Course(s): |  |

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|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3102, 3238, 3240, 4210 |  |
| (b) | Society and Sustainability (at least 9 units) |  |
|  | Required Course(s): |  |
|  | At least 3 units from SOCI3002[e], 3241[e], 4204[e] |  |
|  | Elective Courses: |  |
|  | At least 6 units from SOCI2116, 2208, 2216, 2218, 3002[e], 3204, 3208, 3227, 3230, 3237, 3241[e], 4020[a], 4202, 4204[e], 4211[b], 4410/4420[c] |  |
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| Explanatory Notes: |
| 1. | SOCI courses at 2000 and above level will be included in the calculation of Major GPA for honours classification. |
| [a] | Graduation Thesis II (SOCI4020) |
|  | - | The Graduation Thesis should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student declares to take two concentration areas, units earned from the course “Graduation Thesis II” will be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one area only, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. The student should indicate towards which area the units are counted when declaring the concentrations. |
| [b] | Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges (SOCI4211) |
|  | - | The internship organisation and/or the internship job nature should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student declares to take two concentration areas, units earned from the course “Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges” will be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one area only, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. The student should indicate towards which area the units are counted when declaring the concentrations. |
| [c] | Directed Studies I/II (SOCI4410/4420) |
|  | - | The Directed Studies should have a strong component matching the theme of a particular concentration in order to fulfill the requirement of that concentration area. |
|  | - | If a student has taken SOCI4410 and 4420, and both are of the same theme that can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration only, then only up to 3 units from either one course can be counted towards the fulfillment of the concentration requirement, also subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement. |
|  | - | If a student has taken SOCI4410 and 4420 with different themes, subject to the course supervisor’s endorsement, the units earned from SOCI4410 can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration and SOCI4420 towards another. |
|  | - | Units earned from a directed studies course can only be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of one concentration. |
| [d]  | Students are required to take either SOCI3227 or 3236 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken both SOCI3227 and 3236, the extra 3 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
| [e] | Students are required to take either SOCI3002 or 3241 or 4204 in order to fulfill the requirement of Required Courses. If a student has taken more than one of these three courses, the extra 3 units or 6 units earned can be counted towards the fulfillment of the requirement of Elective Courses. |
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| Requirements for admission to the 2nd degree programme: |
| 1. | Students must receive first or upper second honours in their first degree with a Major GPA of 3.3 or above; and |
| 2. | Students should normally have passed all their undergraduate courses. Students who have any failure grades on their first degree (i.e. Bachelor of Social Science (Sociology)) transcript will not be permitted to proceed to the second degree (i.e. Juris Doctor (JD)) without the consent of the Programme Director of the JD Programme. |
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| **2nd Degree: Juris Doctor ( JD )** |
| **Programme Requirement** |
| Students are required to complete a minimum of 72 units of courses as follows: |
|  |  | Units |
| 1. | Required Courses:  | 15 or 18 |
|  | LAWS6001, 6004, 6006[a], 6007, 6901 or 6902[b] |  |
| 2. | Elective Courses:  | 54 or 57 |
|  | Students are required to take at least 54 or 57 units of courses from the following[c]: |  |
|  | - | Elective courses which are pre-requisites for subsequent admission to the Postgraduate Certificate in Laws (PCLL) Programme: LAWS6011, 6013, 6015, 6017, 6018, 6019, 6020, 6021, 6022, 6023, 6024  |  |
|  | - | Other elective courses offered under the Juris Doctor Programme  |  |
|  | - | Elective courses offered under the Master of Laws Programmes |  |
|  | **Total:** | **72** |
| **Other Requirements** |  |
| 1. | Students must also fulfill the following requirements for graduation: |
| (a) | Students must fulfill the Term Assessment Requirement. A student who obtains a cumulative GPA below 2.0 in the preceding term will be put on academic probation. For details, please refer to Clause 13.0 “Unsatisfactory Performance and Discontinuation of Studies” of the General Regulations Governing Postgraduate Studies which can be accessed from the Graduate School Homepage: http://www.gs.cuhk.edu.hk/. |
| (b) | Students must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in order to graduate. |
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| Explanatory Notes: |
| [a] | Students may take LAWS6089 to substitute LAWS6006. |
| [b] | Students are required to take either LAWS6901 (3-unit course) or 6902 (6-unit course). The extra 3 units completed in LAWS6902 will count towards the total units required for graduation. |
| [c] | LAWS6012 and 6014 will no longer be pre-requisites for admission to the PCLL Programme.Starting from the 2021-22 academic year, they will still be elective courses offered under the JD Programme. |

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|  | **1st Degree: Bachelor of Social Science (Sociology)****Recommended Course Pattern** | **Units** |
| **First Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Faculty Package: SOCI1001 and 1 Faculty Package course | 6 |
| Major Required: SOCI1002 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s):  |  |
| 2nd term |  |
| Faculty Package: 1 course  | 3 |
| Major Required: SOCI2104 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| **Second Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI2003 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 course | 3 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI2004 and 3003 | 6 |
| Major Elective(s): 1 course | 3 |
| **Third Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3223 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI3231 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 2-3 courses | 6-9 |
| **Fourth Year of Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI4010 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Major Required: SOCI4020 | 3 |
| Major Elective(s): 1-2 course(s) | 3-6 |
| **Total (including Faculty Package):** | **69** |
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|  | **2nd Degree: Juris Doctor (JD)\*****Recommended Course Pattern** | **Units** |
| **First Year of** **Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Required: LAWS6001, 6004 | 6 |
| Elective(s): LAWS6015^, 6021^, 6022^ | 9 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Required:  |  |
| Elective(s): LAWS6018^, 6020^, 6023^, any 2 LAWS electives | 15 |
| Summer session |  |
| Required: LAWS6006 | 3 |
| Elective(s): any 1 LAWS elective | 3 |
| **Second Year of** **Attendance** | 1st term |  |
| Required: |  |
| Elective(s): LAWS6011^, 6019^, any 3 LAWS electives | 15 |
| 2nd term |  |
| Required: LAWS6007, 6901 or 6902 | 6 or 9 |
| Elective(s): LAWS6013^, 6017^, any 1 LAWS elective | 6 or 9 |
| Summer session |  |
| Required:  |  |
| Elective(s): LAWS6024^, any 1 LAWS elective | 6 |
| **Total:** | **72** |
| ^ Elective courses which are pre-requisites for subsequent admission to the PCLL Programme. Students may take other elective courses in place of these 11 courses for fulfillment of programme requirement, as detailed in the study scheme.\* The normative study period of the full-time Juris Doctor Programme is 24 months. |
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| **Minor Programme Title**Sociology |
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| **Minor Programme Requirement** |
| Students are required to complete a minimum of 18 units of courses as follows: |
|  |  | Units |
| 1. | Required Course:  | 3 |
|  | SOCI1001 or 1102 |  |
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| 2. | Elective Courses from the following, including a minimum of 6 units of elective courses at 3000 or above level: | 15 |
|  | SOCI2003, 2004, 2101, 2103, 2104, 2106, 2116, 2203, 2208, 2216, 2218, 2219, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3102, 3204, 3207, 3208, 3221, 3223, 3224, 3226, 3227, 3229, 3230, 3231, 3233, 3234, 3235, 3236, 3237, 3238, 3239, 3240, 3241, 3242, 3243, 3451, 3452, 3453, 4201, 4204, 4205, 4208, 4209, 4210, 4211, 4351, 4352, 4353 |  |
|  | **Total:** | **18** |

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| **Course List** |
| *Course Code* | *Course Title*  | *Unit(s)* |
| SOCI1001 | Introduction to Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI1002 | Approaching Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI1102 | Sociology and Modern Society | 3 |
| SOCI2003 | Social Research Methods | 3 |
| SOCI2004 | Social Statistics | 3 |
| SOCI2101  | Development of Chinese Social Thought | 3 |
| SOCI2103  | Japan in a Global Perspective | 3 |
| SOCI2104  | Sociology and Hong Kong | 3 |
| SOCI2106  | Economic Reform and Social Impacts in China | 3 |
| SOCI2116  | Criminals and the Law | 3 |
| SOCI2203 | Social Problems and Social Policy | 3 |
| SOCI2208 | Urban Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI2216  | Social Problems in China | 3 |
| SOCI2218 | Marriage and Family  | 3 |
| SOCI2219 | Youth and Society: Issues in the Contemporary World | 3 |
| SOCI3001 | Organizations and Society | 3 |
| SOCI3002 | Social Stratification | 3 |
| SOCI3003 | Classical Sociological Theory | 3 |
| SOCI3102 | Social Networks and Social Capital | 3 |
| SOCI3204 | Sociology of Crime and Deviance | 3 |
| SOCI3207 | Economic Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI3208 | Gender and Society | 3 |
| SOCI3221  | Introduction to Social Psychology | 3 |
| SOCI3223 | Contemporary Sociological Theory | 3 |
| SOCI3224  | Democracy and Society | 3 |
| SOCI3225 | Research Writing | 3 |
| SOCI3226 | Sociology and Films  | 3 |
| SOCI3227 | Social Demography | 3 |
| SOCI3229 | Quantitative Data Analysis | 3 |
| SOCI3230 | Globalization and China | 3 |
| SOCI3231  | Qualitative Research | 3 |
| SOCI3233 | Sexualities and Society | 3 |
| SOCI3234 | Policing and Society: Critical Debates and Practices | 3 |
| SOCI3235 | Social Interaction and Video Analysis | 3 |
| SOCI3236 | Migration and Policy Reflection on Global Citizenship | 3 |
| SOCI3237 | Medical Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI3238 | Digital Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI3239 | Environment and Society | 3 |
| SOCI3240 | Social Studies of Science | 3 |
| SOCI3241 | Introduction to Global Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI3242 | Crime and Social Control in Globalized Societies | 3 |
| SOCI3243 | Generalized Experimental Methods for Policy Relevant Social Research | 3 |
| SOCI3451 | Selected Topics in Sociology I | 3 |
| SOCI3452 | Selected Topics in Sociology II | 3 |
| SOCI3453 | Selected Topics in Sociology III | 3 |
| SOCI4010 | Graduation Thesis I | 3 |
| SOCI4020 | Graduation Thesis II | 3 |
| SOCI4201 | Quantitative Method: Survey and Unconventional Data Types | 3 |
| SOCI4202  | Teaching Workshop for Sociology Students | 3 |
| SOCI4204 | Sociology of Education | 3 |
| SOCI4205 | Social Movement | 3 |
| SOCI4208  | Cultural Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI4209 | Religion in Modern Society | 3 |
| SOCI4210 | Science and Technology Studies | 3 |
| SOCI4211 | Sociology Internship: Nurturing Competency for Meeting Future Challenges | 3 |
| SOCI4351 | Selected Topics in Sociology IV | 3 |
| SOCI4352 | Selected Topics in Sociology V | 3 |
| SOCI4353 | Selected Topics in Sociology VI | 3 |
| SOCI4410 | Directed Studies I | 3 |
| SOCI4420 | Directed Studies II | 3 |

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