

SOCIAL SCIENCES - ANTHROPOLOGY EMPHASIS BA/BS

The Social Sciences major integrates three social science emphases (Anthropology, Political Science, and Sociology) into a comprehensive program designed to enhance students' understanding of the world through the application of social scientific scholarship to domestic, regional, and global problems as well as issues of diversity. The major provides practical insights into why and how the world in which we live operates in the way it does.

The anthropology emphasis focuses on the empirical and comparative study of humans as biological and cultural beings. Lower-level courses introduce students to major theoretical perspectives and fields of study in anthropology (cultural, linguistics, biological, and archaeology), and upper-level courses focus on holistic and cross-cultural analysis of topical areas within these fields of study.

In addition to preparing students for graduate school in one of the specific social sciences emphases, the Social Sciences major can prepare students for careers in the non-profit sector, human services, law, politics, journalism, cultural resource management, and business. The major's multidisciplinary focus and emphasis on developing sound research and writing skills prepares students for a wide variety of positions in the public and private sectors.

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Written Communication		
Select one of the following:		6.00
ENGL-101 & ENGL-102	WRITING AND RHETORIC I and WRITING AND RHETORIC II	
ENGL-109	COLLEGE WRITING AND RESEARCH	
Oral Communication		
Select one from the following:		3.00
COMM-101	FUNDAMENTALS OF ORAL COMMUNICATION	
COMM-203	SMALL GROUP COMMUNICATION	
COMM-204	PUBLIC SPEAKING	
Mathematical Ways of Knowing		
Select one of the following:		3.00-5.00
CS-108 or CITPT-108	INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE	
MATH-123	MATH IN MODERN SOCIETY	
MATH-130	FINITE MATHEMATICS	
MATH-143	PRECALCULUS I: ALGEBRA	
MATH-147	PRECALCULUS	
MATH-153	STATISTICAL REASONING	
MATH-170	CALCULUS I	
MATH-253	STATISTICAL METHODS FOR THE SCIENCES	
MATH-257	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II	
MTHPT-130	FINITE MATHEMATICS	
MTHPT-137	MATH FOR TECHNOLOGY	
MTHPT-153	STATISTICAL REASONING	
Humanistic & Artistic Ways of Knowing		
Select one course from two categories:		6.00-8.00
Literature		
ENGL-175	LITERATURE AND IDEAS	
ENGL-257	WORLD CLASSICS	
ENGL-258	INTERNATIONAL LITERATURE	
ENGL-260	NATIVE AMERICAN LITERATURE	
ENGL-261	MYTHOLOGIES	
Arts		
ART-100	INTRODUCTION TO ART	
HUM-101	THE ART AND HISTORY OF THE MOTION PICTURE	
HUM-150	INTRODUCTION TO THE ARTS	

MUS-101	SURVEY OF MUSIC
MUS-102	MUSIC IN AMERICA
MUS-150	WORLD MUSIC
MUS-151	HISTORY OF MUSICAL THEATER
THEA-101	SURVEY OF THE THEATER
Language	
NP-101	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE
NP-102	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND HISTORY
SPAN-101	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I
SPAN-102	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II
Scientific Ways of Knowing	
Select one course from two disciplines; one lab	
	7.00-8.00
BIOF-100	INTRODUCTION TO BIOINFORMATICS
BIOL-100	CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY
BIOL-120	PLANTS AND PEOPLE
BIOL-123	BIOLOGY IN FILM
BIOL-175	HUMAN BIOLOGY
BIOL-227	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I
CHEM-100	CONCEPTS OF CHEMISTRY
CHEM-105	GENERAL, ORGANIC AND BIOCHEMISTRY
CHEM-111	PRINCIPLES OF CHEMISTRY I
ENGR-108	SEMICONDUCTORS, SCIENCE, AND SOCIETY
FSCI-101	INTRODUCTION TO FORENSIC SCIENCE
GEOL-101	PHYSICAL GEOLOGY
GEOL-120	INTRODUCTION TO EARTH SYSTEMS
GIS-271	GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS
ID-240	INTEGRATED SCIENCE II
NS-140	INTEGRATED SCIENCE I
NS-150	INTRODUCTION TO NATURAL SCIENCES ¹
NS-174	NATURAL SCIENCE FOR ELEMENTARY EDUCATOR
PHYS-111	GENERAL PHYSICS I
or PHYS-112	GENERAL PHYSICS II
PHYS-171	PHYS SCIENCES FOR ELEMENTARY EDUCATORS
PHYS-205	DESCRIPTIVE ASTRONOMY
PHYS-211	PHYSICS FOR SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS I
Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	
Select one course from two disciplines:	
	6.00
ECON-201	PRINCIPLES OF MACROECONOMICS
ECON-202	PRINCIPLES OF MICROECONOMICS
GEOG-102	INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY
HIST-101	WORLD HISTORY I
HIST-102	WORLD HISTORY II
HIST-111	UNITED STATES HISTORY I
HIST-112	UNITED STATES HISTORY II
HRPT-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS
HRPT-185	HUMAN RELATIONS IN ORGANIZATIONS
POLS-101	AMERICAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT
POLS-237	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS
POLS-285	COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT
PSYC-101	INTRODUCTION TO GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY
PSYC-205	LIFESPAN DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY
SOC-101	INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

SOC-102	SOCIAL PROBLEMS	
SS-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
SS-185	HUMAN RELATIONS IN ORGANIZATIONS	
Global Perspectives		
Select one of the following:		3.00-4.00
ANTH-120	WORLD PREHISTORY	
ANTH-360	RACE AND ETHNICITY	
COMM-345	INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION	
ENGL-258	INTERNATIONAL LITERATURE	
ENGL-474	NATIVE AMERICAN WRITTEN LITERATURE	
GEOG-102	INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY	
HIST-101	WORLD HISTORY I	
HIST-102	WORLD HISTORY II	
HIST-111	UNITED STATES HISTORY I	
HIST-112	UNITED STATES HISTORY II	
HRPT-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
ID-300C	ETHICS AND IDENTITY	
KIN-220	SOCIAL-CULTURAL ASPECTS OF SPORTS	
NP-101	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE	
NP-102	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND HISTORY	
POLS-285	COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT	
SOC-101	INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY	
SPAN-101	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I	
SPAN-102	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II	
SPAN-201	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I	
SPAN-202	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH II	
SS-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
Integrative Seminar: Ethics & Values		
Select one of the following:		3.00
ID 300A - 300Z (see course descriptions for options)		
ID-301A	HELLS CANYON INSTITUTE	
Foreign/Heritage Language		
Select 8 credits of language		8.00
Total Credits		45.00-51.00

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Major Courses		
Social Sciences Research Skills Component:		
ANTH-386	ETHNOGRAPHY	3.00
or HIST-200	KEYS TO HISTORICAL RESEARCH	
POLS-200	SOCIAL AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY	3.00
or HIST-300	INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC HISTORY HISTORY	
or SS-300	STATISTICAL METHODS	
SS-385	RESEARCH METHODS	3.00
SS-499	SEMINAR IN SOCIAL SCIENCE AND HISTORY	3.00
Anthropology Emphasis:		
ANTH-102	CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY	3.00
ANTH-170	INTRODUCTION TO NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES	3.00
ANTH-120	WORLD PREHISTORY	3.00
or HIST-101	WORLD HISTORY I	
Complete 12 credits of ANTH 300 level or above:		12.00

Complete 15 credits from HIST, JS, POLS, PSYC, SOC or SS 200 level or above; 9 must be 300 level or above	15.00
Select 3 credits each of HIST,POLS, and SOC	

Electives

Select 27 elective credits	27.00
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Total Credits	75.00
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Sequential Plan of Study

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
Fall		
ANTH-102	CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY	3.00
CORE	Mathematical Ways of Knowing	3.00
CORE	Oral Communication	3.00
CORE	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3.00
ENGL-101	WRITING AND RHETORIC I	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	1.00
Credits		16.00
Spring		
ANTH-120 or HIST-111	WORLD PREHISTORY or UNITED STATES HISTORY I	3.00
CORE	Global Perspectives	3.00
CORE	Humanistic & Artistic Ways of Knowing	3.00
CORE	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3.00
ENGL-102	WRITING AND RHETORIC II	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	1.00
Credits		16.00
Second Year		
Fall		
ANTH-170	INTRODUCTION TO NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES	3.00
ANTH-386 or HIST-200	ETHNOGRAPHY or KEYS TO HISTORICAL RESEARCH	3.00
CORE	Scientific Ways of Knowing	3.00
CORE	Humanistic & Artistic Ways of Knowing	3.00
SPAN-101 or NP-101	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I or NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE	4.00
Credits		16.00
Spring		
CORE	Scientific Ways of Knowing	4.00
Program Requirement	Select ANTH 300/400 Level	3.00
Program Requirement	Social Science Course 200/300/400 Level ¹	3.00
SPAN-102 or NP-102	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II or NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND HISTORY	4.00
Elective	Elective Credits	2.00
Credits		16.00
Third Year		
Fall		
Program Requirement	Select ANTH 300/400 Level	3.00
CORE	Integrative Seminar: Ethics & Values	3.00
Program Requirement	Social Science Course 300/400 Level ²	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	4.00
Credits		16.00

Spring

Program Requirement	HIST-300, SS-300 or POLS-200	3.00
Program Requirement	Select ANTH 300/400 Level	3.00
Program Requirement	Social Science Course 300/400 Level ²	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	4.00
Credits		16.00

Fourth Year**Fall**

SS-385	RESEARCH METHODS	3.00
Program Requirement	Select ANTH 300/400 Level	3.00
Program Requirement	Social Science Course 200/300/400 Level ¹	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Credits		12.00

Spring

SS-499	SEMINAR IN SOCIAL SCIENCE AND HISTORY	3.00
Program Requirement	Social Science Course 300/400 Level ²	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Credits		12.00
Total Credits		120.00

¹ Social Science course may come from the following disciplines: HIST, JS, POLS, PSYC, SOC or SS.

² Social Science course may come from the following disciplines: HIST, POLS or SOC.

Graduates with a BA/BS in Social Sciences with Anthropology Emphasis go on to obtain careers in a variety of fields:

- Community Development
- Diplomatic Service
- Education
- Healthcare Analyst
- Research Assistants