

JOINT HONOURS BSOCSC IN ANTHROPOLOGY AND SOCIOLOGY

Anthropology

Anthropology involves studying the diversity of human societies through comparative analyses. Anthropologists develop tools that contribute to identifying and exploring a variety of social, cultural, political, economic, environmental and other important issues. Anthropology is unique among disciplines because of its methodological approach, which involves in-depth qualitative field work. Our specialized programs in social and cultural anthropology enable students to better understand and analyze cultural changes and intercultural relations in the context of globalization, development, migration and new technologies.

Learn more about the Anthropology program (<https://www.uottawa.ca/faculty-social-sciences/sociological-anthropological-studies/undergraduate/anthropology-programs/>)

Sociology

Sociology involves the study of societies, specifically their institutions, cultures, and transformations. Sociologists seek to uncover the processes, rules, and norms that govern social relations. They seek to understand issues such as the origins and consequences of social inequalities and collective behaviours. In our programs, students have the opportunity to apply theoretical approaches to real-world cases and learn how to use research tools such as interviewing, discourse analysis, surveys, and statistical analyses. The connection between theory and research enables students to understand a range of contemporary social issues, such as poverty, ethnic relations, deviance, gender relations, international development, power, and technology.

This program is offered in English and in French.

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Program Requirements

Co-operative education is available with this program.

The French immersion stream is available with this program.

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2024-2025 calendars (<http://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/>) for the previous requirements.

Basic skills

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

Total: 6 Units

Anthropology (36 course units)

ANT 1101	Social and Cultural Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 2121	Classical Theories in Anthropology	3 Units
ANT 2126	Anthropology and Indigenous Peoples	3 Units

ANT 2128	Anthropology for the 21st Century	3 Units
ANT 4123	Theoretical Currents in Contemporary Anthropology	3 Units

3 course units from: 3 Units

ANT 2103	Socio-Anthropology of the Family	
ANT 2129	Anthropology of Cities	
ANT 2130	Anthropology of Popular Culture	
ANT 2131	Museums, Representation and Power	

3 course units from: 3 Units

ANT 3307	Contemporary Japanese Society	
ANT 3340	Anthropology of Latin America and the Caribbean	
ANT 3341	Anthropology of Oceania	
ANT 3342	Anthropology of Africa	
ANT 3344	Anthropology of South Asia	
ANT 3345	Anthropology of the Maghreb and the Middle East	

9 optional course units in anthropology (ANT) at the 3000 level 9 Units

6 optional course units in anthropology (ANT) at the 4000 level 6 Units

Sociology (33 course units)

Compulsory courses - Theory

SOC 1104	Sociology: Big Questions	3 Units
SOC 2117	Sociological Theory: From 19th Century to First World War	3 Units
SOC 2118	Sociological Theory: Mid-20th Century	3 Units
SOC 4119	Theorizing in Sociology	3 Units

Optional courses - Theory

3 course units from: 3 Units

SOC 3120	Sociological Theory: Power and Inequalities	
SOC 3121	Sociological Theory: Meaning and Subjectivity	
SOC 3122	Sociological Theory: Reproduction and Changes	

Compulsory courses - Methodology

SOC 2316	Survey Design and Quantitative Data Acquisition	3 Units
SOC 3315	Qualitative Analysis	3 Units
SOC 3316	Statistical Analysis in Sociology	3 Units
ANT 4301	Advanced Research Methods in Anthropology	3 Units

Optional courses - Methodology

3 course units from: 3 Units

ANT 2111	Introduction to Research Methods in Anthropology	
SOC 1301	Building Sociological Reasoning	

3 course units from: 3 Units

ANT 3144	Practical Training in Research Methods in Anthropology	
SOC 2315	Introduction to Qualitative Methodology	

Optional courses

3 optional course units in sociology (SOC) at level 2000 3 Units

3 optional course units in sociology (SOC) at level 3000 3 Units

This is a copy of the 2026-2027 catalog.

9 optional course units in sociology (SOC) at level 4000	9 Units
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Total:	84 Units
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Elective courses

30 elective course units	30 Units
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Total:	30 Units
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