

## **Best Choices Guide**



# Sociology (BA)

This Associate of Arts degree is designed for PCC students who want to transfer to UCCS and complete a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Sociology. It is based on the <u>best academic advising choices</u> for future UCCS students.

To earn the Associate of Arts Degree, students must complete the following course requirements for a total of 60 semester credit hours, at least 35 of which must be Colorado State-Guaranteed Courses. Courses taken at other colleges, AP, IB, CLEP, and other sources of credit may not be applicable upon transfer to UCCS even if applied to the associate's degree at PCC.

To transfer to UCCS, students should have a cumulative GPA of 2.4 or better, *including all remedial and repeated courses*. (Students with a transfer GPA between 2.0 and 2.39 will be considered for admission.) Each transfer course must have a grade of "C" or better.

Degree Requirements	Courses									
Communication	ENG 121	Note: Students	who test into EN	IG 122, should tai	ke ENG 201 as th	eir second				
(9 credit hours)	ENG 122	composition course.								
	COM 115	COM 115								
Mathematics	Category GT-MA1									
(4 credit hours)	MAT 121									
Arts & Humanities/Social &	Category GT-AH1									
Behavioral Sciences	ART 110	ART 111	ART 112	ART 207	MUS 120	MUS 122				
(21 credit hours)	MUS 125	THE 105	THE 211	THE 212						
	Category GT-AH2									
1. Select three courses from at	HUM 115	HUM 121	LIT 115	LIT 201	LIT 202	LIT 205				
least two different GT-AH areas.	LIT 211	LIT 212	LIT 246							
	Category GT-AH3									
	PHI 111	PHI 112	PHI 113	PHI 114	PHI 115	PHI 214				
	PHI 218	PHI 220								
	Category GT-AH4									
	FRE 211	FRE 212	GER 211	GER212	ITA 211	ITA 212				
	SPA 211	SPA 212								
2. Select one GT-HI course. Do	Category GT-HI1									
not take more than one GT-HI	HIS 101	HIS 102	HIS 111	HIS 112	HIS 121	HIS 122				
course for the AA.	HIS 225	HIS 244	HIS 247							
	Category GT-S	S1								
3. Select three courses from at	ECO 201	ECO 202	ECO 245	POS 105	POS 111	POS 125				
least two different GT-SS areas.										
DO NOT take any SOC courses	GEO 105	GEO 106								
for this requirement.	Category GT-SS3									
ANT 101, GEO 105 or GEO 106	ANT 101	ANT 107	ANT 215	COM 220	ETH 200	PSY 101				
are preferred options to fulfill	PSY 102	PSY 205	PSY 217	PSY 226	PSY 227	PSY 235				
part of this requirement for	PSY 238	PSY 240	PSY 249	PSY 265	SOC 101	SOC 102				
• •	SOC 205	SOC 215	SOC 216	SOC 218	SOC 231	SOC 237				
UCCS students.	WST 200									
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Physical and Life Sciences	Category GT-S	C1 * SCI 155 and	156, if taken, mu	st both be taken <sup>-</sup>	to fulfill this requ	iirement.		
(8 credit hours)	ANT 111	AST 101	AST 102	BIO 105	BIO 111	BIO 112		
Select two courses. At least	BIO 201	BIO 202	BIO 204	CHE 101	CHE 102	CHE 105		
one course MUST come from	CHE 111	CHE 112	ENV 101	GEO 112	GEY 111	GEY 112		
the GT-SC1 category.	GEY 135	MET 150	PHY 105	PHY 107	PHY 111	PHY 112		
Note: Credits over 8 will be	PHY 211	PHY 212	SCI 155*	SCI 156*				
applied to the additional								
requirements below.	BIO 116	SCI 105						
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Additional Requirements	SOC 101		3					
18 credits recommended by	SOC 102		3					
UCCS for this degree plus	Complete 3 ad	ditional <b>SOC</b> cour	9					
remaining courses from the	Open Elective (	WST 200 is recor	3					
approved course list.								

### **Other AA Requirements**

1. A minimum of 60 credit hours in a prescribed program of study with a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 (a C average). At least 15 of these credit hours must be earned from PCC.

2. Only 6 elective credits are allowed in any combination of PED courses.

3. Career and technical courses, whether taken at another institution or at PCC, are not accepted toward this degree without approval of the vice president for educational services. Approval is given only when it is appropriate to the educational objectives of the student.

4. Courses numbered below 100 do not apply towards degrees

#### **State-Wide Articulation Agreement**

This guide is based on the Colorado state-wide transfer articulation for your major. For additional information regarding guarantees, limitations, and addendums to that agreement please visit the Guaranteed Transfer and Guided Pathways page on the Colorado Department of Higher Education website (highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/Students.html).

#### Foreign Language Note – UCCS

UCCS admission requirements include 2 years of the same high school foreign language (or equivalent 2 semesters at the Community College). Students planning to attend UCCS who do not have the prerequisite foreign language requirement should consider enrolling in these courses in addition to the degree requirements. This admission requirement does not apply to those who graduated from high school prior to 1988, who have a GED, who graduated from a non-U.S. high school, or who can prove proficiency in a foreign language through the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester at college level. **Please check with the Transfer Advisor** (transfer@uccs.edu) to see if this requirement applies to you.

#### Advising at PCC

(719) 549-3177

#### **Additional Resources**

The UCCS transfer website (<u>www.uccs.edu/transfer</u>) has many additional resources for students transferring from PCC to UCCS.



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### Four-Year Degree Plan - Sociology

The following four-year plan lists all the specific course requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology degree at UCCS. Courses are listed by the course number at the appropriate institution. The order in which these courses are taken may vary with course availability. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.** Please note that this is a *suggested* degree program; your program may vary.

	FALL			SPRING				
1	Course	Hours	v	Course	Hours			
	ENG 121	3		ENG 122				
	SOC 101	3		SOC 102				
	GT-HI course	3		MAT 121				
	GT-AH course	3		GT-SS course				
	GT-SS course	3		COM 115				
	TOTAL	15		TOTAL	:			
ug	gested Second Year							
FALL			SPRING					
/	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	GT-SS3 course – SOC Elective	3		GT-SS3 course – SOC Elective				
	GT-SS3 course – SOC Elective	3		GT-SS course from: GEO 105, GEO 106, or ANT 101				
	GT-AH course	3		GT-AH course				
	GT-SC course	4		GT-SC course				
	General Elective - WST 200	3						
	TOTAL	16		TOTAL				
Suggested Third Year FALL				SPRING				
/	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	SOC 2120 (Beginning spring 2016, renumbered to SOC 3070)	4		SOC 3170				
	SOC 3150	3		SOC Substantive Course				
	SOC Substantive Course	3		General Elective				
	Statistics or Logic course to meet LAS reqs	3		UD General Elective (Cultural Diversity)				
	Upper Division (UD) General Elective	3		UD General Elective				
	TOTAL	16		TOTAL				
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Suggested Fourth Year FALL				SPRING				
/	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	SOC 4980	1		SOC 4990				
	SOC Substantive Course	3		Natural Science Elective				
	General Elective (Inclusiveness)	3		UD General Elective (Sustainability)				
	General Liective (inclusiveness)			UD General Elective				
	HUM 3990	3						
		3		UD General Elective				

#### UCCS Bachelor of Arts, Sociology Major Requirements

1. A minimum of 120 hours must be completed with a cumulative CU grade point average of 2.0; at least 45 of these hours must be at the upper-division level (courses numbered 3000-4999).

2. The Sociology major requires a minimum of 37 hours with a grade point average of 2.0, and at least 18 of the hours must be at the upper-division level (courses numbered 3000-4999)

3. The last 30 hours of the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts and Sciences at UCCS.

4. In addition to the requirements listed on this handout, students are required to complete one course in Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity and Global Awareness. The courses may be within the major, part of general education or electives. Sociology majors will have met the Oral Communication and Global Awareness requirements by completing COM 115 plus one course from ANT 101, GEO 105 or GEO 106 at the community college. The Cultural Diversity requirement will be met by taking an approved course as a general elective at UCCS.

5. For specific department information and recommendations, please visit <u>www.uccs.edu/soc</u>.

Prospective Student Advising: Transfer Advisor (ppcc@uccs.edu)