

SOCIAL SCIENCE UNDERGRADUATE MAJOR (BA, BS, HBA, HBS)

Available only at OSU-Cascades.

The Social Science major is only offered at the OSU-Cascades Campus through the Division of Arts and Sciences, College of Liberal Arts at OSU. Students will also be able to take advantage of distance courses offered by OSU Ecampus and streamed via TV from Corvallis.

Completion of the Community Development and Leadership option is required to earn a degree in Social Science.

Major Code: 286

Code	Title	Hours
Baccalaureate Core		
Select 48 credits		48
College of Liberal Arts Requirements ¹		
Core		
Select 5 courses of the following: ²		
Humanities		
Fine Arts		
Non-Western Culture		
Social Science		
Additional course requirement		
Lower-Division Requirements		
Select one of the following BS or BA options: ²		18-20
Option 1: Bachelor of Science		
Option 2: Bachelor of Arts		
Social Science Major		
<i>Social Science Core Required Courses</i>		
ANTH 352	*ANTHROPOLOGY, HEALTH, AND ENVIRONMENT	3
or SUS 420	SOCIAL DIMENSIONS OF SUSTAINABILITY	
COMM 321	INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNICATION THEORY	3
SSCI 211	CAREER DEVELOPMENT IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES	1
SSCI 301	*QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS FOR THE SOCIAL SCIENCES	4
<i>Social Science Core Class Selection</i>		
Select six 300-400 level courses in ANTH, COMM, PSY, PS, or SOC, with one course from at least four disciplines:		18-24
Total credits required for graduation		180

¹ Courses taken to fulfill College of Liberal Arts Requirements cannot be used to fulfill Bacc Core, major cores or option requirements.

² These requirements can be fulfilled at Oregon Community Colleges.

* Baccalaureate Core Course

^ Writing Intensive Course (WIC)

Note: Courses taken to fulfill major requirements cannot be used to fulfill the baccalaureate core, College of Liberal Arts, or option requirements. Not all courses are offered every year. Students should consult the annual schedule of classes for a listing of available courses for the academic year.

For a Bachelor of Science

Code	Title	Hours
Select 8 credits of the following:		
MTH 111	*COLLEGE ALGEBRA	
MTH 112	*ELEMENTARY FUNCTIONS	
MTH 113 (Community College Course)		
MTH 211	*FOUNDATIONS OF ELEMENTARY MATHEMATICS	
MTH 241	*CALCULUS FOR MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCE	
MTH 243 (Community College Course)		
MTH 244 (Community College Course)		
MTH 251	*DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS	
One additional 3-credit course from the science departments except Math and ST (no lab required)		3
One computer science course		4
Total Hours		15

¹ **Note** that MTH 113, MTH 243, MTH 244 are non-OSU courses that meet this requirement. These courses can be taken at Oregon community colleges.

* Baccalaureate Core Course (BCC)

For a Bachelor of Arts

Code	Title	Hours
Two years of a foreign language with a grade of C- or better		18
Total Hours		18

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Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
Fall		
ALS 199	SPECIAL TOPICS	3
HHS 231	*LIFETIME FITNESS FOR HEALTH	2
MTH 105	*INTRODUCTION TO CONTEMPORARY MATHEMATICS	3
PAC. Physical Education Course		1
SPAN 111	FIRST-YEAR SPANISH	4
or CS 101	or COMPUTERS: APPLICATIONS AND IMPLICATIONS	
WR 121	*ENGLISH COMPOSITION	3
Hours		16
Winter		
ANTH 210	*COMPARATIVE CULTURES	3
COMM 111	*PUBLIC SPEAKING	3
or COMM 218	or *INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION	
SPAN 112	FIRST-YEAR SPANISH	4
or MTH 111	or *COLLEGE ALGEBRA	
WR 222	*ENGLISH COMPOSITION	3
Hours		13
Spring		
ANTH 251	*LANGUAGE IN THE USA	3
ECON 201	*INTRODUCTION TO MICROECONOMICS	4
GEO 201	*PHYSICAL GEOLOGY	4
SPAN 113	FIRST-YEAR SPANISH	4
or MTH 245	or *MATHEMATICS FOR MANAGEMENT, LIFE, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES	
Hours		15
Second Year		
Fall		
HST 106	*WORLD HISTORY III: THE MODERN AND CONTEMPORARY WORLD	3
PS 201	*INTRODUCTION TO UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	4

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SPAN 211 or SOIL 205	SECOND-YEAR SPANISH or SOIL SCIENCE	3-4
Hours		10-11
Winter		
BI 102	*ANIMAL BIOLOGY: GENES, BEHAVIOR AND EVOLUTION OF LIFE	4
ENG 253	*SURVEY OF AMERICAN LITERATURE: COLONIAL TO 1900	4
PAC. Physical Education Course		1
Select one of the following:		4
SPAN 212	SECOND-YEAR SPANISH	
Elective		
SSCI 211	CAREER DEVELOPMENT IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES	1
Hours		14
Spring		
ENG 254	*SURVEY OF AMERICAN LITERATURE: 1900 TO PRESENT	4
ENG 360	*NATIVE AMERICAN LITERATURE	4
Select one of the following:		4
SPAN 213	SECOND-YEAR SPANISH	
Elective		
College of Liberal Arts Core course		4
Hours		16
Third Year		
Fall		
ART 101	*INTRODUCTION TO THE VISUAL ARTS	3
BI 101 or SOIL 205/SOIL 206	*ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY: ECOLOGY, CONSERVATION, GLOBAL CHANGE or SOIL SCIENCE	4
COMM 321	INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNICATION THEORY	3
PAC. Physical Education Course		1
PSY 381	ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY	4
Hours		15
Winter		
COMM 325	COMMUNICATING LEADERSHIP	4
PS 331	*STATE AND LOCAL POLITICS	4
PSY 360	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	4
SSCI 301	*QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS FOR THE SOCIAL SCIENCES	4
Hours		16
Spring		
ANTH 311	*PEOPLES OF THE WORLD-NORTH AMERICA	3
BA 352	MANAGING INDIVIDUAL AND TEAM PERFORMANCE	4
COMM 326	INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION	3
PAC. Physical Education Course		1
SOC 439	WELFARE AND SOCIAL SERVICES	4
Hours		15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
HDFS 447	*FAMILIES AND POVERTY	4
SOC 430	GENDER AND SOCIETY	4
Select two Electives		8
Hours		16
Winter		
COMM 323	COMMUNITY DIALOGUE	4
COMM 440	THEORIES OF CONFLICT AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT	3
GEO 306	*MINERALS, ENERGY, WATER, AND THE ENVIRONMENT	3
SUS 420	SOCIAL DIMENSIONS OF SUSTAINABILITY	3
Hours		13
Spring		
PS 475	ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICS AND POLICY	4

Select three Electives	12
Hours	16
Total Hours	175-176

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