Few fields have a broader scope and, perhaps, more career opportunities than sociology and anthropology. Learning about the causes and consequences of human behavior and the tools for effective cross-cultural communication are critical in today’s global community.

Sociologists and anthropologists are interested in how people live together in this world. We study people now and in the past, how they relate to each other, and all that they think, do, and make—food, music, families, nations, tools, houses, institutions... We are particularly interested in the way race, class, gender, sexuality, and other elements of identity affect people’s experience and opportunities, and what can be done to promote greater social justice.

Bachelor’s Degree
- Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in Sociology/Anthropology
- Anthropology Minor
- Sociology Minor

Career Paths
- Public Service/Government
- Law
- Education
- Medicine/health sector
- Social Work
- Business/Marketing
- Not-for-profit sector
- Graduate school
- Archaeology
- Cultural anthropology
- Criminal Justice/Law enforcement
- Cultural resource management
- Archivist/curator

Careers in Anthropology
http://www.aaanet.org/profdev/careers/index.cfm

Careers in Sociology
http://www.asanet.org/employment/career_undergrad.cfm

Distinction
- An interdisciplinary major:
  UIS offers a major that combines the strengths and skills of both sociology and anthropology. This allows students to pursue careers or graduate school in either area.

- Research Skills and opportunities:
  Sociology/Anthropology emphasizes undergraduate research through skill development and opportunities to participate in individual and collaborative projects.

- Individualized attention and success:
  The department has an above-average graduation rate and excellent time-to-degree.

www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/
Bachelor’s Degree

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Sociology/Anthropology undergraduates have a wide range of activities available to them, including an SOA Club, hands-on research opportunities, service learning in the community, and travel abroad. Students also enjoy close mentoring from supportive faculty members.

Get to know us through our website: www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/, visit us on Facebook, or come meet us in person!

B.A. IN SOCIOLOGY / ANTHROPOLOGY

Complete university requirements

Complete required courses in the major (30 credit hours).

Sample of courses:

- Introduction to Sociology
- Introduction to Anthropology
- Introduction to Archaeology
- Social Problems
- Understanding Cultures
- Human Evolution
- Teen Talk
- Language, Culture, and Education
- Jazz in American Culture
- Sociology of the Family
- Juvenile Delinquency
- Women and Gender in Mexico and the US
- Cultural Diversity in the US
- Perspectives on Poverty
- Latino USA
- Nature, History, and Human Action
- Musics of the World
- Culture, Health, and Power
- Global Social Stratification
- European Prehistory
- Women Across Cultures
- Dance and American Culture
- Sociology of Mental Health

For a complete list of courses and degree requirements, see the UIS catalog at www.uis.edu/uiscatalog/

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