



# DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

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# **INTRODUCTION TO UC SAN DIEGO**

- What is Sociology
- Special Academic Programs
- Degree Information/ Career Options
- UCSD Advising System
- Meet your Advising Team



#### What is Sociology?

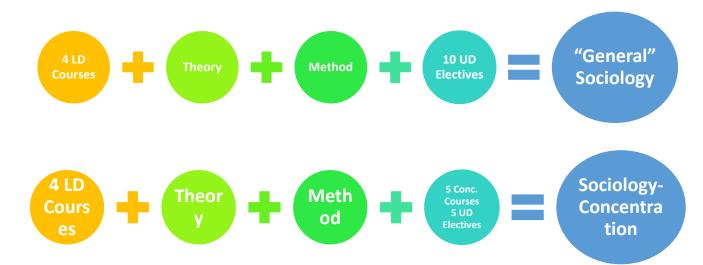
- Sociology is the study of human social behavior and its origins, development, organizations, and institutions.
- It is a social science that uses varying methods and analysis to develop an understanding about human social actions





#### Sociology at UC San Diego

• Obtain a Bachelor's of Arts with 16 Courses Total



- Major in General Sociology or one of our 7 Concentrations:
  - American Studies Science and Medicine International Studies
  - Economy and Society Culture & Communication Social Inequalities



#### **Special Academic Programs**



#### Samples of AY 18-19 Research Apprenticeships

- Tracing Reiterated Articulations of Gendered Pay Inequity in the U.S.
- Democracy and Public Goods
- P Health Services and Beyond: Understanding Immigrant Health Care Strategies
  - Gender and Refugee Flows



#### Samples of AY 18-19 Honor Thesis

- Chinese International Students in Distress: Linguistic, Cultural, and Cultural-Linguistic Barriers
- 'Not My Problem': Why our current 'revolving-door' mental health system is failing the severely mentally ill and its daunting consequences.
- Authorized State of Limbo and the Deleterious Effects on (American) Dreamers
- Growing Up or Aging Out: Disparities in Healthcare Access Among Young Adults
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#### Special Academic Programs Cont.

**Sociology + Interdisciplinary Programs Also offered:** 

- EAP
- MMFRP
- International Studies + Area Studies
- Critical Gender Studies
- Global Health Program
- Academic Internship Program











### Sociology in Action Club (SIA)



- Goal: Create community between Sociology Undergrads while providing professional support, and SD community outreach
- Three committees:
  - Professional Committee- Future goals and interests of Undergrads
  - Community Committee- Helping out different causes within the San Diego community to create a connection between students and the San Diego area
  - Social Committee- Building community within Sociology Undergrads (All UCSD students welcome!)

#### • Past/ Upcoming Events:

- Professional Based- Graduate Student Panels, Faculty-led lecture series, and Career Panels
- Community Based- School Supply Drive, Border water drop-off with the Border Angels, Supply Drive for Homelessness
- Social Based- Movie nights, Game night, Evening coffee/study jam, Senior Send-off bonfire



Join us! Event Updates & further details: UCSD Sociology Undergrads



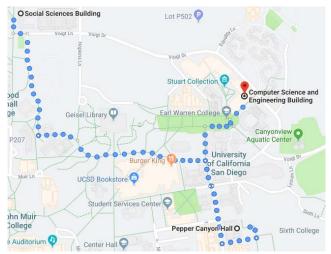
#### **Professional Developments and Career Paths**

- A Sociology Degree allows for many diverse career paths
  - Post Graduate Studies

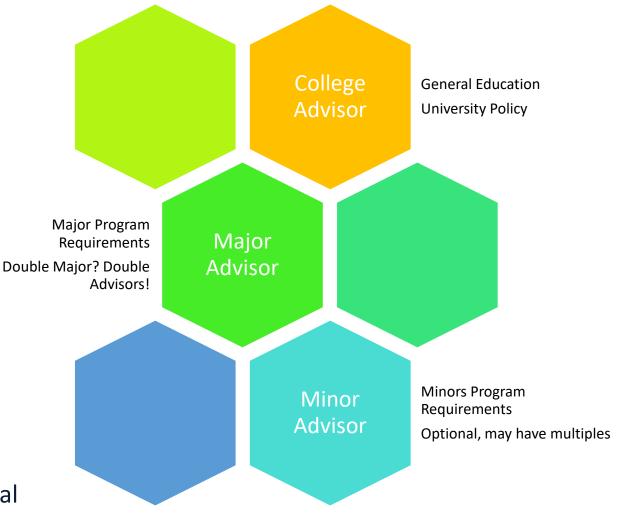


#### Advising at UCSD

- Students receive specialized advising through out campus.
- Journey along with a Sixth College student with a Sociology major and Law and Society minor: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/wRyASZ2xXLk</u>



• All advisors are connected together through the Virtual Advising Center (VAC).





#### Connect with Us















# Thank You!

#### Questions for us?



To view the slides visit us at: http://tinyurl.com/SOCTritonDay

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