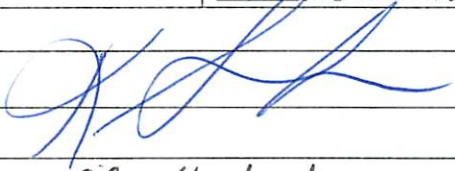


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### Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet - University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

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Check all appropriate lines and complete information as requested. Use a separate cover sheet for each course proposal and for each program proposal.

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| <b>1. Course Proposals (check all that apply)</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> New Course <input type="checkbox"/> Course Prefix Change <input type="checkbox"/> Course Deletion<br><input type="checkbox"/> Course Revision <input type="checkbox"/> Course Number and/or Title Change <input type="checkbox"/> Catalog Description Change |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| <u>Current</u> Course prefix, number and full title                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                      | <u>Proposed</u> course prefix, number and full title, if changing |
| <b>2. Additional Course Designations: check if appropriate</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> This course is also proposed as a Liberal Studies Course. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: (e.g., Women's Studies, Pan-African)<br><input type="checkbox"/> This course is also proposed as an Honors College Course.                            |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| <b>3. Program Proposals</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> New Degree Program <input type="checkbox"/> Program Title Change <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program Revision<br><input type="checkbox"/> New Minor Program <input type="checkbox"/> New Track <input type="checkbox"/> Other                                              |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Sociology / General Sociology Track                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| <u>Current</u> program name                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                      | <u>Proposed</u> program name, if changing                         |
| <b>4. Approvals</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Department Curriculum Committee Chair(s)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  | Date<br>2/12/04                                                   |
| Department Chair(s)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Alex Hestert                                                                         | 2-12-04                                                           |
| College Curriculum Committee Chair                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Charles R. Ump                                                                       | 2-18-04                                                           |
| College Dean                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | A. am                                                                                | 2-18-04                                                           |
| Director of Liberal Studies *                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Director of Honors College *                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Provost *                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Additional signatures as appropriate:<br>(include title)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                      |                                                                   |
| UWUCC Co-Chairs                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Gail Sechrest                                                                        | 4-13-04                                                           |

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## 2. Summary of Changes:

### a. Comparison Table

#### Current Program:

##### Bachelor of Arts-Sociology/General Sociology Track

**Liberal Studies:** As outlined in the Liberal Studies section with the following specifications: **53**

**Mathematics:** MATH 217 recommended

**Social Science:** SOC 151

**Liberal Studies Electives:** 9 cr, no courses with SOC prefix

**College:** **0-6**

Foreign Language Intermediate Level (1)

**Major** **30**

#### Required Courses:

SOC 151 Principles of Sociology \*cr (2)

SOC 320 Sociological Theory 3cr

SOC 380 Social Research Methods 3cr

One of the following courses: 3cr

SOC 361 Social Stratification

SOC 362 Racial and Ethnic Minorities

SOC 363 Sociology of Gender

At least one different course from four of the following substantive areas: 12cr

*Social Inequality and Social Change:*

SOC 303, 337, 361, 362, 363, 448, 458

*Deviance and Social Problems:*

SOC 231, 333, 335, 427, 428, 452

*Individual and Society:* SOC 251, 345, 357

*Social Organization and Institutions:* SOC 286, 336,

339, 340, 341, 342, 348, 352, 421, 458

*Comparative Sociology:* SOC 233, 271, 272, 273,

286, 303, 314, 337, 342

Free Sociology Electives: (3) 9cr

**Free Electives:** **31 – 37**

**Total Degree Requirements:** **120**

- (1) Intermediate-level Foreign Language may be included in Liberal Studies electives.
- (2) Credits counted in Liberal Studies, not in the major.
- (3) Internships in Sociology (SOC 493) will not count as part of the required Free Sociology electives and must count as credits beyond the 30cr required for the major (out of Free Electives). The student must write a one-page justification explaining the selection of his/her 9cr of Free Sociology electives as it relates to the internship experience.

#### Proposed Program:

##### Bachelor of Arts-Sociology/General Sociology Track

**Liberal Studies:** As outlined in the Liberal Studies section with the following specifications: **53**

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**Social Science:** SOC 151

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**College:** **0-6**

Foreign Language Intermediate Level (1)

**Major** **33**

#### Required Courses:

SOC 151 Principles of Sociology \*cr (2)

SOC 320 Sociological Theory 3cr

SOC 460 Social Research Methods I 3cr

SOC 461 Social Research Methods II 3cr

One of the following courses: 3cr

SOC 361 Social Stratification

SOC 362 Racial and Ethnic Minorities

SOC 363 Sociology of Gender

At least one different course from four of the following substantive areas: 12cr

*Social Inequality and Social Change:*

SOC 269, 303, 337, 361, 362, 363, 448, 452, 458

*Deviance and Social Problems:*

SOC 231, 269, 333, 335, 427, 428, 452

*Individual and Society:* SOC 251, 269, 345, 357, 452

*Social Organization and Institutions:* SOC 286, 336,

340, 341, 342, 348, 352, 421, 458

*Comparative Sociology:* SOC 233, 271, 272, 273,

286, 303, 314, 337, 342

Free Sociology Electives: (3) 9cr

**Free Electives:** **28 – 34**

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**Summary of Changes: SOC General Track  
Comparison Table for Substantive Areas**

**Current**

**Proposed**

Students will select at least one different course from four of the following substantive areas:

**Social Inequality and Social Change**

SOC 303 Social and Cultural Change  
SOC 337 World Societies and World Systems  
SOC 361 Social Stratification  
SOC 362 Racial and Ethnic Minorities  
SOC 363 Sociology of Gender  
SOC 448 Social Policy  
SOC 458 Political Sociology

**Social Inequality and Social Change**

**\*SOC 269 Sociology of Deviance**  
SOC 303 Social and Cultural Change  
SOC 337 World Societies and World Systems  
SOC 361 Social Stratification  
SOC 362 Racial and Ethnic Minorities  
SOC 363 Sociology of Gender  
SOC 448 Social Policy  
**\*SOC 452 Disability and Society**  
SOC 458 Political Sociology

**Deviance and Social Problems**

SOC 231 Contemporary Social Problems  
SOC 333 Delinquency and Youth  
SOC 335 Alcohol and Drug Abuse  
SOC 427 Spouse Abuse  
SOC 428 Child Abuse  
SOC 452 Disability and Society

**Deviance and Social Problems**

SOC 231 Contemporary Social Problems  
**\*SOC 269 Sociology of Deviance**  
SOC 333 Delinquency and Youth  
SOC 335 Alcohol and Drug Abuse  
SOC 427 Spouse Abuse  
SOC 428 Child Abuse  
SOC 452 Disability and Society

**Individual and Society**

SOC 251 Sociology of Human Sexuality  
SOC 345 Interpersonal Dynamics  
SOC 357 Sociology of Aging

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**Social Organization and Institutions**

SOC 286 Marriage, Kinship, and the Family  
SOC 336 Sociology of the Family  
SOC 340 Sociology of Industry  
SOC 341 Sociology of Education  
SOC 342 Social and Cultural Aspects of  
Health and Medicine  
SOC 348 Sociology of Work  
SOC 352 Sociology of Religion  
SOC 421 Sociology of Mass Media  
SOC 458 Political Sociology

**Social Organization and Institutions**

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Health and Medicine  
SOC 348 Sociology of Work  
SOC 352 Sociology of Religion  
SOC 421 Sociology of Mass Media  
SOC 458 Political Sociology

**Comparative Sociology**

SOC 233 Language and Culture  
SOC 271 Cultural Area Studies: Africa  
SOC 272 Cultural Area Studies: China  
SOC 273 Cultural Area Studies: SE Asia  
SOC 286 Marriage, Kinship, and the Family  
SOC 303 Social and Cultural Change  
SOC 314 Native Americans  
SOC 337 World Societies and World Systems  
SOC 342 Social and Cultural Aspects of  
Health and Medicine

**Comparative Sociology**

SOC 233 Language and Culture  
SOC 271 Cultural Area Studies: Africa  
SOC 272 Cultural Area Studies: China  
SOC 273 Cultural Area Studies: SE Asia  
SOC 286 Marriage, Kinship, and the Family  
SOC 303 Social and Cultural Change  
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SOC 337 World Societies and World Systems  
SOC 342 Social and Cultural Aspects of Health  
and Medicine

## **General Sociology Track (Substantive Area Changes for Controlled Electives)**

### **List of all associated changes and rationale.**

- 1 Add SOC 452 Disability and Society as a controlled elective to the Social Inequality and Social Change and the Individual and Society substantive areas in the General Sociology Track.
- 2 Add SOC 269 (a newly created course recently approved by the Senate) to the Social Inequality and Social Change, Deviance and Social Problems, and Individual and Society substantive areas in the General Sociology Track.
- 3 Delete SOC 339 from Social Organization and Institutions substantive areas in the General Sociology Track.

### **Rationale.**

- 1 The SOC 452 Disability and Society previously was only offered in one substantive area in the General Sociology Track. The disabled population is a large minority population and the course is taught from an inequality perspective and also from a symbolic interaction perspective where the disability is a “master status”, therefore, making the course a nice fit with both the Social Inequality and Social Change and the Individual and Society substantive areas. These changes will give students a broader selection of controlled electives in the respective substantive areas.
- 2 The SOC 269 Sociology of Deviance is a newly created course and because of the emphasis on deviant behavior from a sociological perspective is suited for the Social Inequality and Social Change, Individual and Society, and Deviance and Social Problems substantive areas in the General Sociology Track. These additions will give students a broader selection of controlled electives in the respective substantive areas.
- 3 SOC 399 deleted from Social Organization and Institutions because it has been deleted from the catalog.

### **Implementation.**

- 1 How will the revision impact students already in the track?  
Students will have more options available to them in their substantive areas for selecting controlled electives.
- 2 Are faculty resources adequate?  
Yes, it is believed that faculty resources are adequate. These are not new courses with the exception of SOC 269 which will be offered with existing faculty by rotating other courses previously taught to other professors.
- 3 Are other resources adequate?  
Yes, for the same reasons listed above.
- 4 Do you expect an increase or decrease in the number of students?  
No. We anticipate the number of students in the Applied Research Track to remain similar with similar selections for controlled electives; however, they now have more choices.

### **Periodic Assessment.**

- 1 Describe the evaluation plan.  
There is no accrediting body for Sociology, so the only evaluation is the university’s five year review.
- 2 Frequency of evaluations.  
Every five years.
- 3 Evaluating entity.  
Department and outside reviewer.