

# SOCIOLOGY, BA

Sociology applies the methods of science to explain social behavior. The interactions of individuals in families, groups, or organizations, and the institutions, social class, or shared beliefs of a common culture are all subjects for sociological research. There are many career opportunities open to people who complete a major in Sociology, including business, counseling and social service, public policy, law, and criminal justice.

Students interested in the Sociology major should meet with the undergraduate advisor before they register for the second semester of the sophomore year. The undergraduate office's resource center holds detailed information about the major, the department, research interests of Sociology faculty, career opportunities, and student work. Declaration of the major during the sophomore year will give students access to required Sociology courses for fall of the junior year.