

Articulation Agreement by Major

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Sociology, B.A.

ADMISSIONS MAJOR SELECTION CRITERIA

Thank you for your interest in UC Merced!

For Admission to the **Sociology, B.A.** major, students must earn an overall transferrable GPA of 2.4 or better, and must complete classes articulated with the following UC Merced courses by the end of spring term prior to fall enrollment or by the end of fall term prior to spring enrollment. All major preparation courses requires a "C" or better.

REQUIRED: Major Preparation Courses for Transfer:

- SOC 001
And, at least one of the following courses from the following course ranges:
- * SOC 009 OR SOC 011 - SOC 014 OR SOC 016 - SOC 089

** All SOC courses in these ranges can also count towards the Additional Elective Requirement area (See below)*

Additional Major Preparation Courses: Recommended to be completed prior to Transfer:

- Complete the following Lower Division Major Core Courses: SOC 010 and SOC 15
- Additional Elective Requirement: Complete two additional lower division Sociology Courses ranging from SOC 009 OR SOC 011 - SOC 014 OR SOC 016 - SOC 089.

Courses in the major must be taken for a letter grade and may not be taken on a pass/no pass basis unless the course is only offered on a pass/no pass basis.

AP Exam Score & Course Exemptions

- An AP Statistics score of 5 exempts SOC 010

UC Merced Advance Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) credit policies are detailed in the link below:

[Advance Placement \(AP\) and International Baccalaureate \(IB\) Examinations](#)

IMPORTANT TRANSFER INFORMATION

In addition to the Major Selection Criteria, all Upper-Division Transfer applicants must meet minimum [University of California admissions requirements](#). Visit <https://admissions.ucmerced.edu/transfer/requirements> for more specific UC Merced admissions information.

Prior to Transferring to UC Merced, please be advised of the following for Junior Transfers:

1) WRI 001 and WRI 010 are admissions requirements: In most situations, WRI 001 is fulfilled by IGETC 1A English Composition and WRI 010 is fulfilled by IGETC 1B Critical Thinking/English Composition. However best practice is to complete the articulated course for WRI 001 and WRI 010. Please scroll towards the bottom of the agreement to find the articulation for each course.

2) Transfer Admissions Guarantee (TAG): UC Merced is one of the six UC's that offers Transfer Admissions Guarantee. Please visit the TAG website for more information: <https://admissions.ucmerced.edu/transfer/tag>

3) General Education (GE Requirements): While general education is not required for admission, it can help speed up your time to graduation once you transfer to UC Merced. We highly recommend reviewing the [Transfer Students: Satisfying General Education](#) page in the catalog for a more extensive explanation of the requirements.

Transfer students are strongly encouraged to complete IGETC in order to prepare for work within the School of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (SSHA). IGETC courses may double count with the major courses listed below. Please visit your Community College Counselor to learn more.

4. This agreement displays all lower-division (or Major Preparation) courses required in the major. UC Merced courses on the left, approved (articulated) transfer courses to the right.

5. Changes to this Agreements: Major requirements are subject to change from one academic year to the next. Newly-articulated courses are added on a rolling basis, and articulated courses can be revised. Visit ASSIST every semester for the latest information and consult with an Academic Counselor at your institution on a regular basis.

For more questions about admissions, please email: transfer@ucmerced.edu.

ABOUT THIS MAJOR

[Sociology](#) is the scientific study of society, social institutions and social relationships. A key contribution of the discipline is that social factors matter; our lives are not only shaped by personal psychology, but also by our place in the social world. Sociology's areas of inquiry range from intimate family relationships to ties between nation-states; from divisions by race, class, gender and sexuality to shared ideas of common culture; and from understanding the influence of broad-scale social movements to analyzing how adolescents become productive adults. Sociologists help develop theories to understand how the social world works and also use analytic tools to craft policies and create programs that address important social issues, such as neighborhood and educational inequality. Few disciplines offer such a broad scope of relevance for understanding individual and collective relations in society.

For more curriculum information, please visit the [22-23 catalog](#) and the [Four-Year Course Plan](#) (We encourage to visit your Community College Counselor to create an individualize educational plan for transfer).

MAJOR PREPARATION COURSES REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER

SOC 001 - Introduction to Sociology (4.00)

← **SOC 1** - Introduction to Sociology (4.00)

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****REFER TO TOP OF AGREEMENT****

AT LEAST 1 SOCIOLOGY COURSE ARTICULATED FOR SOC 009 or SOC 11-14 or SOC 016-089

← **SOC 20** - Social Problems (4.00)

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WMST 28 - Sociology of Gender (4.00)

Same-As: SOC 28

--- Or ---

SOC 29 - Sociology of Structural Racism in the United States (4.00)

--- Or ---

CETH 10 - Race, Ethnicity, and Inequality (4.00)

ADDITIONAL MAJOR PREPARATION COURSES

Minimum grade required: C or better
Recommended to be completed prior to transfer

SOC 010 - Statistics for Sociology (4.00)

← **SOC 15** - Statistics and Research Methods in Social Science (4.00)
Same-As: PSYC 15

SOC 015 - Sociological Research Methods (4.00)

← **SOC 14** - The Process of Social Research (4.00)

ADDITIONAL ELECTIVE REQUIREMENT

Select 2 Courses from the following
Minimum grade required: C or better
Recommended to be completed prior to transfer

SOC 009 - Community Mobilization and Politics (4.00)
Same-As: POLI 009

← No Course Articulated

SOC 020 - Social Problems (4.00)

← **SOC 20** - Social Problems (4.00)

SOC 030 - Social Inequality (4.00)

← **CETH 10** - Race, Ethnicity, and Inequality (4.00)
• Course(s) can only fulfill one requirement within the major

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SOC 28 - Sociology of Gender (4.00)

Same-As: WMST 28

• Course(s) can only fulfill one requirement within the major

SOC 035 - Introduction to Political Sociology (4.00)

← No Course Articulated

SOC 038 - Sociology of Race and Racism (4.00)

← **CETH 10** - Race, Ethnicity, and Inequality (4.00)
• Course(s) can only fulfill one requirement within the major

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SOC 29 - Sociology of Structural Racism in the United States (4.00)

SOC 060 - Introduction to Sociology of Gender (4.00)

← **SOC 28** - Sociology of Gender (4.00)
Same-As: WMST 28
• Course(s) can only fulfill one requirement within the major

SOC 070 - Introduction to Crime and Deviance (4.00)

← No Course Articulated

ACADEMIC WRITING - CHOOSE ONE COURSE FROM:

****REFER TO TOP OF AGREEMENT****

Minimum grade required: C or better

WRI 001 - Academic Writing (4.00)



ESL 5 - Advanced Composition and Reading (5.00)

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EWRT 1A - Composition and Reading (5.00)

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EWRT 1AH - Composition and Reading - HONORS (5.00)

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EWRT 1AS - Intensive Composition and Reading Stretch: First Quarter (5.00)

- UC credit limitation applies; refer to UC-transferability list

--- And ---

EWRT 1AT - Intensive Composition and Reading Stretch: Second Quarter (5.00)

- UC credit limitation applies; refer to UC-transferability list

COLLEGE READING AND COMPOSITION - CHOOSE ONE COURSE FROM:

****REFER TO TOP OF AGREEMENT****

Minimum grade required: C or better

WRI 010 - College Reading and Composition (4.00)



COMM 9 - Argumentation: Analysis of Oral and Written Communication (5.00)

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COMM 9H - Argumentation: Analysis of Oral and Written Communication - HONORS (5.00)

--- Or ---

EWRT 1B - Reading, Writing and Research (5.00)

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EWRT 1C - Literature and Composition (5.00)

--- Or ---

EWRT 2 - Critical Reading, Writing and Thinking (5.00)

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EWRT 2H - Critical Reading, Writing and Thinking - HONORS (5.00)

--- Or ---

PHIL 3 - Critical Thinking and Writing (5.00)

END OF AGREEMENT