

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES WITH MAJOR

The Bachelor of Social Science allows students to cover the fundamentals of the social sciences. In addition, it is an excellent springboard to studies in law or education.

This program is offered in English and in French.

Program Requirements

Requirements for this program have been modified. Please consult the 2020-2021 calendars (<https://catalogue.uottawa.ca/en/archives/>) for the previous requirements.

A minimum of 27 course units at the 3000 or 4000 level is required.

Basic skills

ENG 1100	Workshop in Essay Writing	3 Units
ENG 1120	Selected Topics in Literature and Composition	3 Units
Total:		6 Units

Compulsory courses

SCS 1150	Introduction to Social Sciences	3 Units
SCS 2150	Social Sciences and Research	3 Units

Optional courses

One option from the following: 6 Units

Option 1 - Social Innovation and Community Engagement Focus

SCS 1160 Social Sciences and Changing Societies

SCS 3130 Social Innovation and Community Engagement

Option 2 - Social Innovation and Social Justice Focus

SCS 3340 Social Innovation and Social Justice - Practicum

3 optional course units from the list of courses of the Venture Initiative ¹

12 optional course units from at least four of the following programs: Anthropology (ANT), Criminology (CRM), International Development and Globalization (DVM), Conflicts Studies and Human Rights (ECH), Economics (ECO), Feminist and Gender Studies (FEM), Public Administration (PAP), Political Science (POL), Psychology (PSY), Sociology (SOC), Social Work (SVS). ²

A major offered by the Faculty of Social Sciences	42 Units
Total:	66 Units

Elective courses

Any combination of a second major, a minor, options and elective course units	48 Units
Total:	48 Units

Note(s)

¹ For more information and to access the list of courses offered, please contact the School of Sociological and Anthropological Studies (<https://socialsciences.uottawa.ca/sociological-anthropological-studies/>).

² The selected programs must be different from the ones selected for the majors and the minor.