

Macaulay Honors College

Sociology, BA

Academic Plan: MHCSOC-BA

Program Code: 34265

This degree map is a term-by-term sample course schedule designed to assist you and your advisor in planning your 4-year academic path to graduation with a Sociology Degree.

You and your advisor will use it, along with the program of study for your major (found in the [Lehman Bulletin](#) for the year of your major declaration) and Degree Works ([degree audit system](#)), to formulate your customized plan.

30

CUNY Common Core Credits

9-18

Additional Macaulay Honors Requirements

12

Lehman College Option Credits

38

Major Credits

12

Minor or Certificate Credits (recommended)

10-19

Elective Credits

LEGEND:

Course Abbreviation **Credits**

Class Name

Blue: Lehman Core Requirement (LCR) &
Macaulay Honors College Requirement
Requirement fulfilled

Green: Major Requirement

Gold: Elective, Minor, or Certificate

- see footnote

Underlined information is hyperlinked

FRESHMAN

FALL

ENG 111	3 CR
English Composition I <i>Required Core – Communication</i>	
MHC 350	3 CR
The Arts in New York City Fulfills <i>Flexible Core – Creative Expression</i>	
SOC 234 or SOC 235 -LCR	3 CR
Urban Sociology or Education and Society <i>Flexible Core – Any area</i> ^[1]	
MAT 126 or MAT 132 or MAT 171	4 CR
Quantitative Reasoning or Introduction to Statistics or Elements of Precalculus <i>Required Core – Quantitative Skills</i>	
Elective	3 CR
Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement ^[5]	

SPRING

MHC 351	3 CR
The Peopling of New York City Fulfills <i>Flexible Core – US Experience in Its Diversity</i>	
LCR	3 CR
<i>Required Core – Life and Physical Science</i>	
LCR	3 CR
Foreign Language I <i>College Option - Foreign Language</i>	
SOC 227 or SOC 240	3 CR
Sociology of the Family or Death, Dying and Bereavement	
Elective	3 CR
Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement ^[5]	

16 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 31 CREDITS

SOPHOMORE

FALL

MHC 352	3 CR
Science and Technology in New York City Fulfills <i>Flexible Core – Scientific World</i>	
LCR	3 CR
Foreign Language II <i>College Option - Foreign Language</i>	
LCR	3 CR
<i>Flexible Core - World Cultures and Global Issues</i>	
SOC 300	4 CR
The Sociological Imagination	
Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement ^[5]	

SPRING

ENG 121	3 CR
English Composition II <i>Required Core – Communication</i>	
MHC 353	3 CR
Shaping the Future of New York City Fulfills <i>Flexible Core – Individual and Society</i>	
LCR	3 CR
Foreign Language III <i>College Option - Foreign Language</i>	
SOC 3## ^[2]	3 CR
Any 300-level SOC course in your area of concentration	
SOC 301 ^[3]	4 CR
Methods of Social Research	
Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement ^[5]	

31 PRIOR CREDITS + 13 FALL CREDITS + 16 SPRING CREDITS = 60 CREDITS

JUNIOR

FALL	
LCR Foreign Language IV <i>College Option - Foreign Language</i>	3 CR
LSP ###/ MHC ### ^[6] <i>Select one LSP/MHC Seminar</i>	3 CR
SOC 302 Sociological Theory	4 CR
SOC 345 Quantitative Analysis of Sociological Data	4 CR
Minor or Certificate Course I ^[10]	3 CR
Note: Additional Macaulay Requirements ^[7]	

SPRING	
Internship or Study Abroad or Elective ^[8]	3 CR
LSP ###/ MHC ### ^[6] <i>Select one LSP/MHC Seminar</i>	3 CR
SOC 303 Advanced Methods of Social Research	4 CR
SOC 3## ^[2] Any 300-level SOC course in your area of concentration	3 CR
Minor or Certificate Course II ^[10]	3 CR
Note: Additional Macaulay Requirements ^[7]	

60 PRIOR CREDITS + 17 FALL CREDITS + 16 SPRING CREDITS = 93 CREDITS

SENIOR

FALL	
Senior Year Option 1 or 2 ^[9]	3-6 CR
LSP ###/ MHC ### ^[6] <i>Select one LSP/MHC Seminar</i>	3 CR
SOC 3## ^[2] Any 300-level SOC course in your area of concentration	3 CR
Elective or SOC 4## ^[4]	3 CR
Minor or Certificate Course III ^[10]	3 CR

SPRING	
Senior Year Option 1 or 2 ^[9]	3-6 CR
SOC 3## ^[2] Any 300-level SOC course in your area of concentration	3 CR
Elective	3 CR
Minor or Certificate Course IV ^[10]	3 CR

93 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 12 SPRING CREDITS = 120 CREDITS

[1] No more than two courses in one discipline may be used to satisfy Flexible Core requirements.

[2] *Choose your courses based on your concentration (sub-plan)*

NOTE: CONCENTRATION (18 Credits)

Each student is required to complete a concentration in one of three separate tracks. At least 9 of these credits must be at the 300-400 level. The tracks, detailed below, are (1) General Sociology, (2) Demography and Population Health, and (3) Education, Social Inequality and Urban Studies.

SOC 166 or any 200 level SOC course is a prerequisite for all 300 and 400 level courses. Students registering for SOC 300 and SOC 301 must have a Sociology Grade Point Average of C (2.0) or better. Students registering for SOC 302 and all 400 level courses must have completed SOC 300 with a grade of C- (1.7) or better.

Subplan in General Sociology (18 credits) - Students are required to take 6 courses beyond the required 5 courses specified above. These courses are to be chosen from the list of Sociology Courses in the Bulletin. At least three of these courses must be at the 300-400 level.

Subplan in Demography and Population Health (18 Credits) - 18 Sociology credits, at least 9 credits of which must be chosen from these courses: SOC 319: Population and Society, SOC 320: Immigration and Adaptation, SOC 339: American Demography, SOC 305: Sociology of Health Care.

Subplan in Education, Social Inequality and Urban Studies (18 Credits) - 18 Sociology credits, at least 9 credits of which must be chosen from these courses: SOC 309: Social Inequality, SOC 334: Urban Sociology in Global Perspective, SOC 3360: Education and Inequality, SOC 335: Global and Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Education and Society.

[3] Students registering for SOC 303, SOC 345, and all 400 level courses must have completed SOC 301 with a grade of C- (1.7) or better.

[4] Students who wish to qualify for Departmental honors are required to complete one 400 level Sociology course with a grade of A or A- to receive a recommendation from the department.

[5] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to meet with the Macaulay Honors Advisor prior to registration during their first four terms.

[6] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete nine (9) credits in Upper Level honors courses (MHC or LSP). These courses can be taken at the Macaulay Honors College, which may require an ePermit (See Advisor). They may also be taken on campus by enrolling in an LSP Seminar.

[7] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete a minimum of 30 hours of community service by their senior year.

[8] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete at least one (1) qualifying internship or study abroad experience. Students may fulfill this requirement with a paid, unpaid, and credit-bearing or non-credit bearing experience. In all instances, students must complete an MHC internship agreement form and subsequent internship evaluation, in order to be acknowledged for fulfilling this requirement.

[9] Macaulay Honors students may chose a Senior Option 1 or Senior Option 2 based on the following

Senior Option 1

Fall Semester: LSP ###/ MHC ### (select one LSP/MHC seminar)

Spring Semester: Honors in Major (Where offered) or LSP 481: Honors Tutorial

Senior Option 2

Fall Semester: LSP ###/ MHC ### (select one LSP/MHC seminar) and MHC 355: Research Seminar (Part 1

Spring Semester: MHC 355: Research Seminar (Part 2)

[10] We strongly recommend clustering 12- 15 elective credits to obtain a minor or certificate that complements your general and major field of study. The choice of the minor or certificate depends on your interest and should be coordinated with advisors. Check out more information on Minors or Certificates with your advisor.

NOTE: Writing Intensive Sections: Complete 4 sections designated as writing-intensive, 3 prior to earning 60 credits and 1 following. These sections may be searched by class attribute and are offered in General Education, major, minor and elective courses.

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