

**Sociology with Gerontology Concentration, B.A.**  
**Department of Sociology and Anthropology, 303-556-3167, Central 106**  
*College of Letters, Arts and Sciences*

Catalog 15-16

This sheet applies to the 2014-15 catalog *only*. It does not replace the full catalog or departmental advising sheets as official statements of requirements. Students with declared majors *must* work with a faculty advisor on course selection and sequencing to ensure a timely graduation.

General Studies	33 min	Students who have reached junior standing (60 hrs) should request a CAPP (graduation compliance report) and review it with a faculty advisor.
Major courses (no minor required)	60	
Electives	27	
<b>Total to graduate (min. 40 hrs upper division)</b>	<b>120 min</b>	

**\*TO BE COMPLETED WITHIN FIRST 30 COLLEGE-LEVEL CREDIT HOURS**

Written Communication

- \_\_\_ ENG 1010 (3 hrs) Composing Arguments\*
- or ENG 1008/1009 (6 hrs.) Intro to Composition, Parts 1 & 2\*
- \_\_\_ ENG 1020 (3 hrs) Freshman Comp: Analysis, Research, & Documt.  
 (ENG 1020 must be completed within 45 credit hours)

Oral Communication\*

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

Quantitative Literacy\*

- \_\_\_ MTH 1210 (4hrs) Introduction to Statistics (highly recommended)
- NOTE: MTH 1210 is a prerequisite for required course SOC 3590*

Arts and Humanities

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)
- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

Historical

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

Natural and Physical Sciences

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)
- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

Social and Behavioral Sciences I May not be SOC courses

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

Social and Behavioral Sciences II May not be SOC courses

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

Global Diversity may be satisfied within General Studies. May not be a SOC course.

- \_\_\_ (3 hrs)

**MAJOR COURSES Please see a Sociology Advisor in SOAN dept**

*NOTE: you must earn C- or better in all major courses.*

- \_\_\_ **SOC 1010 (3hrs) Introduction to Sociology**
- \_\_\_ SOC 2600 (3hrs) The Art and Craft of Sociological Writing
- \_\_\_ SOC 3320 (3hrs) Sociological Theory: Past & Present
- \_\_\_ SOC 3590 (3hrs) Social Statistics
- \_\_\_ SOC 3600 (3hrs) Research in the Social Sciences
- \_\_\_ SOC 4600 (3hrs) Advanced Survey Research
- or SOC 4710 (3hrs) Advanced Qualitative Methods (both are Senior Experiences)
- \_\_\_ SOC xxxx (3hrs) Social Stratification Elective *see catalog & SOC advisor*

**Select 39 hours from the following in consultation with a SOC advisor:**

- \_\_\_ NUT 2040 (3hrs) Introduction to Nutrition
- \_\_\_ PSY 2210 (3hrs) Psychology of Human Development
- \_\_\_ PSY 2270 (3hrs) Death & Dying
- \_\_\_ PSY 3270 (3hrs) Adulthood & Aging
- \_\_\_ PSY 3980 (Var. hrs) Internship in Psychology
- \_\_\_ SOC 1040 (3hrs) Introduction to Social Gerontology
- \_\_\_ SOC 3040 (3hrs) Contemporary Issues in Gerontology
- \_\_\_ SOC 3090 (3hrs) Urban Sociology
- \_\_\_ SOC 3100 (3hrs) Death & Dying
- \_\_\_ SOC 3240 (3hrs) Poverty in America
- \_\_\_ SOC 3410 (3hrs) The Family in Transition
- \_\_\_ SOC 3800 (3hrs) Health & Healers
- \_\_\_ SOC 3810 (3hrs) Population Issues
- \_\_\_ SOC 3830 (3hrs) Mental Disorders
- \_\_\_ SOC 4700 (3hrs) Advanced Field Internship
- \_\_\_ SPE 4760 (3hrs) Communication with the Aging
- \_\_\_ SWK 3030 (3hrs) Social Work with the Aging

\_\_\_ **Multicultural Requirement**

(may be satisfied in General Studies, major, minor, or electives)

**ELECTIVES**

# POSSIBLE OCCUPATIONS

## **Administration**

Aging Services Administrator  
Human Resources  
Information & Referral Specialist  
Volunteer Management

## **Financial and Legal Services**

Career Planning  
Certified Financial Planner  
Conservator  
Elder Law  
Fiduciary Gerontologist  
Fraud Prevention  
Senior Real Estate Specialist

## **Fitness/Wellness**

Fitness Trainer  
Hydrotherapy  
Nutrition Counseling  
Physical Therapy  
Recreational Therapy  
Retreat/Wellness Spas  
Swimming Coach/Instructor  
Wellness Coach  
Yoga or Tai Chi Instructor

## **Health Care Services Continuum**

Art Therapy  
Adult Day Care  
Adult Foster Home/RCF  
Alternative Medicine  
Assisted Living  
Alternative Medicine  
Audiologist

## **Housing and Home Modification (to support Independent Living)**

Aging-in-Place-Specialist  
Architect  
Engineer  
Home Security  
Interior Design  
Home Safety Auditor  
Organizer

## **Intergenerational Activities**

Adopt-a-Grandparent  
Environmental Conservation  
Intergenerational Childcare  
Intergenerational Theater

## **Leisure and Recreation**

Dance Instructor  
Event Planner  
Parks and Recreation  
Golf/Tennis Coach  
Master Gardening  
Theater Productions

## **Miscellaneous Gerontology Career**

### **Options**

Advocacy  
Chaplain  
Corporate Gerontologist  
Demographer  
Diversity Training  
Documentarian  
Ethnographer

## **Personal Care and Services**

Communal Living Coordinator  
Companion  
Cosmetology  
Elder Dating Service  
Fashion Consultant  
Pet Therapy

## **Travel and Transportation**

Bus Driver  
Special Needs Transportation  
Tour Guide  
Travel Agent