

RECOMMENDED COURSE SCHEDULE FOR JOINT MA/PHD PROGRAM

Program Year	Fall Semester	Spring Semester	Summer Semester
Year 1	Soci 8000: Proseminar (1.5) Soci 8010: Interm. Statistics (3) Soci 8030: Theory I (3) Area Requirement I (3)* <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Soci 8000: Proseminar (1.5) Soci 8020: Res. Methods (3) Soci 9030: Theory II (3) Area Requirement II (3)* <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Elective 1 (3) Soci 8998: Thesis Proposal (6) <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (6)**</i>
Year 2	Soci 8998: Thesis Proposal (9) (or) Soci 8999: Thesis Research (9)*** <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Soci 8999: Thesis Research (9)*** <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Elective 2 (3) Soci 8999: Thesis Research (6)*** <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (6)**</i>
Year 3	Soci 9010: Multi. Data Analysis (4) Soci 8342: Qualitative Methods (3) Soci 9970: Qual. Readings (3)† <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Soci 9020: Adv. Res. Methods (3) Soci 8201: Inequality (3) Soci 9970: Qual. Readings (3)† <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Elective 3 (3) <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (9)**</i>
Year 4	Elective 4 (3) Elective 5 (3) Elective 6 (3) <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Elective 7 (3) Elective 8 (3) Elective 9 (3) <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Soci 9998: Diss. Proposal (9) <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (6)**</i>
Year 5+	Soci 9998: Diss. Proposal (9)‡ (or) Soci 9999: Diss. Research (9)‡ <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Soci 9998: Diss. Proposal (9)‡ (or) Soci 9999: Diss. Research (9)‡ <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (3)**</i>	Soci 9998: Diss. Proposal (9)‡ (or) Soci 9999: Diss. Research (9)‡ <i>Soci 8990: Practicum (6)**</i>

* The Area Requirements are Soci 8101 & 8102 for FLC, Soci 8216 & 8156 for GS, and Soci 8212 & 8226 for RUS.

** Only graduate students receiving funding from the Sociology department register for Soci 8990.

*** MA-level students register for Soci 8998 until they have successfully defended their thesis proposal, after which they register for Soci 8999 until their thesis is successfully defended and accepted. Students are expected to defend their thesis proposal by the end of the Fall semester of their second year and to defend their thesis by the end of the Summer semester of their second year. Students who complete and defend their thesis in the Spring semester of their second year may take a second elective the Summer semester of their second year.

† PhD-level students are expected to take the PhD Qualifying Exams in May of their third year.

‡ PhD-level students register for Soci 9998 until they have successfully defended their dissertation proposal, after which they register for Soci 9999 until their dissertation is successfully defended and accepted.