

# Sociology Graduate Program Courses (M.A and M.S.)

(January 2022)

## I. CORE REQUIRED COURSES \*

\* Every student is required to take all following four courses. For substitution, a student must acquire approval from both the graduate coordinator and the department chair.

- 5301. Seminar in Sociological Theory
- 5302. Seminar in Social Organization
- 5303. Advanced Research Methods
- 5310. Data Analysis in Social Research

## II. CORE ELECTIVE COURSES \*\*

\*\* Every student is required to take **at least** one course from each of the following blocks of elective courses.

### A. SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS:

- Sociology of Education
- Sociology of Family
- Sociology of Religion
- Medical Sociology

### B. SOCIAL GROUPS:

- Group Work
- Community Studies
- Social Stratification
- Study of Culture
- Multicultural/Bicultural Groups

### C. SOCIAL & CULTURAL DIVERSITY:

- Sociological Study of Minorities
- Race Relations
- Multicultural Education
- Social Demography
- Qualitative Methods

### D. SOCIAL PROBLEMS & CHANGE:

- Social Movements
- Contemporary Social Problems
- Social Gerontology

Urban Sociology / Metropolitan Studies

III. ELECTIVE COURSES

African American/ Black Community  
Hispanic Aging  
Social Psychology  
Peace Movement

Note: Concerning degree plans, all sociology graduate students should seek advisement from the sociology graduate coordinator. Students with no prior background in sociology should take remedial courses for graduate work as advised by the sociology graduate coordinator.