

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences
Department of Sociology
Minor: Peace Studies and Social Justice (PSSJ)
For student date of entry under UG Catalog 2023 –2024

1. REQUIRED INTRODUCTION – 3 Credits (meets 3 hours of Reasoning in the Social Sciences and 3 hours in Intercultural and Global Awareness)

Pathways Course

(3) _____ PSVP 2044 Peace and Violence (3 hours SS and 3 hours Global)¹

2. ELECTIVE COURSES – 12 credits, with at least 3 credits at the 3000/4000 level. Select 3 credits from each of the following areas:

(3) _____ **A. Root Causes of Violence** – 3 Credits (meets 3 hours in Reasoning in the Natural Sciences OR 3 hours in Critical Thinking in the Humanities)

Pathways Courses

GEOS 1034 Earth's Natural Hazards (3 hours NS and 3 hours Ethics)¹

HIST 1354 Conflict and Security in Modern East Asia (3 hours of Hum or SS and 3 hours Global)¹ *

HIST/AFST/IS 3864 Development & Humanitarianism in Africa (3 hours Hum or SS and 3 hours Global)¹ *

HIST 3114 History of Capitalism (3 hours Hum or SS and 3 hours Ethics)¹ *

HIST 3564 The Cold War (3 hours Hum or SS and 3 hours Global)¹ *

PHIL 3314 Ethical Theory (3 hours Hum and 3 hours Ethics)¹ *

STS 3334 Energy and Society (3 hours Hum or SS and 3 hours Global)¹ *

WGS 1824 Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3 hours Hum or SS and 3 hours Global)¹ *

(3) _____ **B. Acts of Violence** – 3 Credits

Pathways Courses

CRIM 4474 Cyber Criminology (Pre: Junior standing and 3414) (3 hours SS and 3 hours Ethics)

GEOG 1014 World Regions (3 hours SS and 3 hours Global)

HIST 3544 World War II (3 hours Hum or SS and 3 hours Ethics and Global)

PSCI/GEOG 2054 Introduction to World Politics (3 hours SS and 3 hours Global)

HIST 3054 The American Civil War (3 hours Ad Discourse or Hum and 3 hours Global)

HIST 3654 Arab-Israeli Conflict (3 hours Hum and 3 hours Global)

SOC 2004 Social Problems (3 hours SS and Equity and 3 hours Global)

Non-Pathways Courses

CRIM 3414 Criminology (Pre: SOC 1004)

CRIM 4424 Juvenile Delinquency (Pre: CRIM/SOC 3414)

GEOG/IS/PSCI 2034 Geography of Global Conflict

JUD/HIST/RLCL 3494 The Holocaust

PSCI 3564 Violent Political Change (Pre: PSCI 1024 or 1024H)

PSVP 4444 Schools, Violence, and Justice (Pre: CRIM/SOC 3414)

PSVP/CRIM 4484 Hate Crimes (Pre: CRIM 3414)

(3) _____ **C. Strategies for Reducing Violence and Promoting Peace** – 3 Credits

Pathways Courses

AAEC 1264 Peace Economics (3 hours SS and 3 hours Global)¹

AAEC 3324 Environmental & Sustainable Development Economics (Pre: 1005 or 1006 or ECON 2005) (3 hours SS and Equity and 3 hours Global)¹

- BIT/MGT 2404 Multicultural Problem Solving and Analytics (Pre: (MATH 1025, MATH 1225) or MATH 1525) (3 hours Fnd Quant and 3 hours Global)¹
 HUM/RLCL 3204 Multicultural Communication (3 hours SS and 3 hours Global)¹
 HD 2014 Integrative Practice for Health, Wellbeing, and Resilience (3 hours SS and Equity and 3 hours Ethics)¹
 PHIL 4334 Jurisprudence (Pre: 3 PHIL credits) (3 hours Hum and 3 hours Ethics)¹
 SOC 2034 Diversity and Community Engagement (3 hours SS and Equity and 3 hours Global)¹
 SOC 3314 Social Movements (Pre: SOC 1004) (3 hours SS and Equity and 3 hours Global)¹

Non-Pathways Courses

- AAEC 2424 Cooperatives and Their Impact on the Human Condition
 PSVP 2444 Conflict Resolution, Mediation and Peacebuilding
 CRIM 3434 Systems of Justice (Pre: CRIM/SOC 3414)
 SOC 4404 Sociology of Law (Pre: SOC 1004)

- (3) _____ **D. Data and Information** – 3 Credits (meets 3 credits in Discourse or Quantitative and Computational Thinking AND 3 credits in Ethics)

Pathways Courses

- ENGL 2634 Writing and Social Justice (Pre: 1106 or 1204H or COMM 1016) (3 hours Ad Discourse and Equity and 3 hours Ethics)¹
 HD 3024 Community Analytics (Pre: STAT 2004 or HD 3014) (3 hours Ad Quant and 3 hours Ethics)¹
 HIST/SOC/STS 2604 Introduction to Data in Social Context (3 hours Fnd Quant and Hum and 3 hours Ethics and Global)¹
 SOC/HD 2104 Quantitative Approaches to Community Research (3 hours Fnd Quant or 3 hours Ethics)¹

3. REQUIRED CAPSTONE – 3 credits

Non-Pathways Course

- (3) _____ PSVP 4104 Global Society, Violence, and the Prospects for Peace (Pre: PSVP 2044)

Total 18 credit hours

Minimum GPA of 2.0 or higher is required in minor.

Some courses on listed on this checksheet may have prerequisites, please consult the University Course Catalog, or check with your advisor.

¹

Pathway Outcome Notations:

Core Learning Outcomes

- Ad Discourse = Advanced/Applied Discourse
 Hum = Critical Thinking in the Humanities
 SS = Reasoning in the Social Sciences
 NS = Reasoning in the Natural Sciences
 Fnd Quant = Foundational Quantitative and Computational Thinking
 Ad Quant = Advanced/Applied Quantitative and Computational Thinking
 Equity = Critical Analysis of Identity and Equity in the United States

Integrative Learning Outcomes

- Ethics = Ethical Reasoning
 Global = Intercultural and Global Awareness

* Course must be taken for Critical Thinking in the Humanities credit.