

BS in Social Science



Be a **well-rounded** student
with a customizable major

Choose one concentration area,
then study up to 8 other fields
Internships available for professional experience!

How “well-rounded” can work for

Transferable Skills:

- Understanding individuals, groups and cultural behaviors
- Oral and written communication
- Research
- Active listening
- Problem-solving
- Critical Thinking

Employment Opportunities:

- Social Scientists
- Helping professionals
- Anthropologists
- Museum employees
- Non-profits
- ...and many more!

The Social Science Fields:

Anthropology

Economics

History

Philosophy

Political Science

Psychology

Human Geography

Social Work

Sociology

O: Can I do an internship as a Social Science major?

A: Absolutely! You can earn advanced credit toward your degree through internships. Internships provide the hands-on experience that employers are looking for in strong job candidates. In addition to providing insight into your future career, working as an intern will give you a competitive advantage in the job market because of the skills you have developed while in the position. See SocialScience.unt.edu for more info!



Approved Social Science Field Choices:

Anthropology (ANTH)
Geography (GEOG) Human Geography Only
Economics (ECON)

Political Science (PSCI)
Psychology (PSYC)
Sociology (SOCL)

History (HIST)
Philosophy (PHIL)
Social Work (SOWK)

Concentration (18 hours in ONE Social Science Field): _____

(12 of the 18 hours must be advanced, 3000-4000 level)*

Courses:

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30 hours in AT LEAST TWO other Social Science Fields OUTSIDE of chosen concentration (see approved list):

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Other Course Requirements (from a predetermined list under Resources at socialscience.unt.edu)

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Note: With counselor approval, foreign language (2040 and 2050) may be substituted for this requirement.

Other requirements:

- 48 total hours in the major
- **At least 27 of the 48 hours in the major must be advanced level (3000-4000 level)***
- **At least 12 of the 27 advanced hours must be in the 18-hour concentration**
- 120 total semester hours, including 30 hours at UNT, required
- 42 total advanced hours, including 24 advanced hours, required
- At least 12 total advanced hours must be earned at UNT in the major
- Completion of the University Core, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences requirements, as well as all degree requirements as listed in the catalog.
- Minimum 2.0 UNT GPA required and a minimum 2.0 overall GPA are required to file for graduation and to graduate
- A completed copy of a Degree Audit Request Form must be filed with the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences Dean's Office for Undergraduate Advising in GAB 220 before the student's official degree plan can be made.