Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Science in Sociology

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for the **Associate of Arts** degree at Gateway Community and Technical College and leads to the **Bachelor of Science in Sociology** degree at Northern Kentucky University.

Degree requirement for GCTC:
1) completion of minimum 60 credit hours, 2) minimum cumulative GPA 2.0, 3) minimum of 15 credit hours earned at the institution awarding the degree, 4) cultural studies course, and 5) demonstration of computer/digital literacy.

Degree requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Sociology:
To graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Sociology, a student must earn 36 credit hours in the major including one track. A grade of C or higher must be earned in the core courses and GPA of at least 2.00 must be earned in all courses that comprise the major. **At least 45 credit hours must be 300 level or above.** Students must meet the pre-requisites for each course. At least 20 percent of the total required hours must be taken at NKU.

This major can be completed face-to-face or online. If chosen to complete fully online, courses are offered in seven week formats. Please note that tuition for online accelerated programs differs from regular tuition and students in online accelerated programs are not eligible for any NKU scholarships.

GCTC AA TO NKU BS IN SOCIOLOGY CHECKLIST

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Category I: General Education Core Requirements				
GCTC Course	**Course or Category**	**Credits**	**NKU Course**	✓
ENG 101	Writing I (WC)	3	ENG 101	
ENG 102	Writing II (WC)	3	ENG 102	
COM 181	Basic Public Speaking (OC)	3	CMST 101	
HIS 101 or HIS 102	World Civilization I (AH) or World Civilization II (AH)	3	HIS 108 HIS 109	
PHI 100	Introduction to Philosophy: Knowledge and Reality (AH)	3	PHI 110	
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology (SB)	3	SOC 100	
ANT 101	Introduction to Anthropology (SB)	3	ANT 100	
TBS XXX	Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (SB)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Quantitative Reasoning (QR)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Quantitative Reasoning (QR) or Natural Science (NS)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Natural Science Course (SL)	4	TBD XXX	
Subtotal General Education Courses		**34**		

TBS XXX means to be selected by GCTC student.
TBD XXX means to be determined by NKU based on course selected.

Category II: AA Requirements				
GCTC Course	**Course or Category**	**Credits**	**NKU Course**	✓
SOC 260	Population, Resources and Change	3	SOC 340	
TBS XXX	General Education Elective	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	General Education Elective	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	General Education Elective	3	TBD XXX	
Subtotal AA Requirement Courses		**12**		

Category III: Program Requirements				
GCTC Course	**Course or Category**	**Credits**	**NKU Course**	✓
CIT 105	Introduction to Computing	0-3	BIS 101	
CRJ 277	Introduction to Criminology	3	SOC 305	
TBS XXX	Elective (can choose NKU course for major or minor)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Elective (can choose NKU course for major or minor)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Elective (can choose NKU course for major or minor)	3	TBD XXX	
Subtotal Program Requirement Courses		**15**		
Total Associate Degree Hours		**61**		

*If fulfilling Digital Literacy Requirement in another way besides CIT 105, student may need additional hours.

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Category IV: Core Requirements for the BS in Sociology				
NKU Course	Course	Credits	GCTC Course	Taken at GCTC
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 101	x
SOC 303 or SOC 305	Social Psychology or Criminology	3	CRJ 277	x
SOC 307 or SOC 340**	Social Stratification or Population	3	SOC 260	x
Select 2: SOC 319 SOC 320 SOC 322	Select 2 courses: Managing and Analyzing Databases Social Research Qualitative Research Methods	6		
SOC 330	Classical Sociological Theory	3		
SOC 334	Contemporary Sociological Theory	3		
SOC 493	Sociology Senior Seminar	3		
	Select a Track (see courses below): Society, Environment, and Technology General Sociology	12		
	Focus or Minor	12-21		
	Electives	11-20		
Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours:		**120**		

Graduation from NKU requires that a student successfully complete a minimum of 120 hours in college-level coursework, 45 of which must be earned at the 300/400 level.

Category V: Society, Environment, and Technology Track				
NKU Course	Course	Credits	GCTC Course	Taken at GCTC
SOC 355	Sociology of the Environment	3		
Select 1: SOC 300 SOC 301 SOC 307 SOC 335 SOC 364 SOC 425	Select 1 Power and Inequality Course: Race and Ethnic Relations World Patterns of Race Ethnicity Social Stratification Popular Culture Women and Men in Society Political Sociology	3		
SOC 340**	Population	3	SOC 260	
Select 1: SOC 360 SOC 371 SOC 415	Select 1 Social Issues and Social Change Course: Technology and Social Change Environment, Society, and Public Health Sociology of Planning and Development	3		
Society, Environment, and Technology Track Credit Hours		**12**		

Category V: General Sociology Track				
NKU Course	**Course**	**Credits**	**GCTC Course**	**Taken at GCTC**
Select 1: SOC 308 SOC 315 SOC 355 SOC 430 SOC 450	Select 1 Social Institutions Course: Social Organization Marriage and the Family Sociology of the Environment Sociology of Religion Medical Sociology	3		
Select 1: SOC 300 SOC 301 SOC 307 SOC 335 SOC 364 SOC 425	Select 1 Power and Inequality Course: Race and Ethnic Relations World Patterns of Race Ethnicity Social Stratification Popular Culture Women and Men in Society Political Sociology	3		
Select 1: SOC 303 SOC 340** SOC 342 SOC 345 SOC 400 SOC 480	Select 1 People, Places, and the Lifestyle Course: Social Psychology Population Sociology of Aging Native American Social Issues Urban Society Global Aging Issues and Policies	3	SOC 260	
Select 1: SOC 305 SOC 332 SOC 360 SOC 371 SOC 415 SOC 435	Select 1 Social Issues and Social Change Course: Criminology Collective Behavior Technology and Social Change Environment, Society, and Public Health Sociology of Planning and Development Sociology of Sexualities	3		
General Sociology Track Credit Hours		**12**		

**SOC 340 (GCTC course SOC 260) can only be counted once in either the Core Courses; the Society, Environment, and Technology Track; or the General Sociology Track.

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