



CONCORDIA  
UNIVERSITY  
OF EDMONTON



Discover Your  
**Bachelor**  
**of Arts**  
in Sociology

# SOCIOLOGY

## Program Overview

**3-year BA:** This degree will provide you with an excellent general education as well as a solid background in the core areas of Sociology. It's a great choice if you're planning to earn another degree or diploma in a related field such as law or education, or if you just need a Bachelor's degree to get started in your career of choice.

**4-year BA:** Our 4-year program allows you to study the discipline in greater depth. You'll have the opportunity to take additional senior-level courses, study a broader range of subjects, participate in more seminar-style classes, and also have the opportunity to pursue a major research project. If you're looking to gain admission to a graduate program (e.g. Masters and PhD), you'll need a 4-year degree and this is a great option.

In both programs, you'll dive into the scientific study of human society. You'll learn about the relationship between historical context and the development of society and culture. You'll converse on social issues and identify, discuss, and debate different positions. You'll also critique the major theoretical and methodological issues in the field of sociology. You'll be able to better understand social issues and develop your own sense of social responsibility.

## Career Options

A Bachelor of Arts degree is one of the most flexible degrees available. You create your own career path when you tailor this program to focus on areas of personal interest. Some Philosophy degree career paths include:

Social Work	Teaching
Health Care	School Counselling
Law Enforcement	Human Resources

## Admission Requirements

Interested? You'll need to pres the following required high school courses:

- English Language Arts 30-1
- Three subjects from Groups A, B or C\*
- One subject from Group A, B, C or D

\* *Maximum of two subjects from Group B, each must be distinct.*

*It is strongly recommended that applicants wishing to pursue a major, concentration, or minor in Sociology present either Math 30-1 or Math 30-2.*

## Interesting Courses

**PHIL 260 - Philosophy of Human Nature:** Tackle the most important theories of human nature found in the histories of philosophy, theology, psychology, and biology by analyzing the works of authors such as Plato, Aristotle, Mencius, Biblical authors, Augustine, Seneca, Aquinas, Descartes, Hume, Marx, Nietzsche, Freud, Sartre, Beauvoir, Skinner, Lorenz, and Wilson.

**PHIL 282 - Free Will and Determinism:** Is free will an illusion? Is determinism founded upon fallacy? These two questions will guide your investigation of the debate between libertarians and determinists. Key terms will be defined and the main views on both sides of the debate will be explained as we try to ascertain which side, if either, has the stronger arguments in its favour.

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