

# Community

Bachelor of Arts in Community Sociology

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Learn how to make a positive impact in your community. Explore solutions for some of society's biggest problems. Discover how sociology taps into history, politics, literature and numerous other disciplines to explain why groups of people act the way they do. Introducing Southern New Hampshire University's B.A. in community sociology.

Unlike a traditional sociology program, which usually offers a broad, theoretical approach to society, SNHU's community sociology program offers a hands-on examination of a much more focused subject — how communities form and function and how social habits evolve and influence community development. Through internships, experiential learning and volunteer opportunities, you'll apply what you learn in the classroom in real work settings — after school programs, municipal organizations, mental health centers, and other local efforts that match your interests.

From geography to psychology to business, the community sociology major draws on a number of other fields to help you better understand common problems communities face today. This not only helps you develop strategies to address them, it also paves the way for diverse career choices. When you graduate, you'll leave with a broad set of skills that will help you at the next level, whether that's graduate school or the "real world."

Students will gather a solid foundation in theoretical and applied sociology, they will gain a proficiency in research methods, develop the ability to think critically, establish strong oral and communication skills and will use the latest technologies to gather and evaluate data.

Courses are offered on campus, on location and online. Classes are small, our schedules are flexible and the program is very affordable. Because sociology is the most popular minor at SNHU, you'll find that many classes are filled with students from all different programs, which adds to the learning experience.

### Major Courses

GEO 200	World Geography
SOC 112	Introduction to Sociology
SOC 213	Social Problems
ATH 111	Cultural Anthropology
Choose Five or Six of the Following:	
SOC 150	G.R.E.E.D.
SOC 317	Sociology of the Family
SOC 318	Sustainable Communities
SOC 320	Sociology of Gender
SOC 324	Sociology of Crime & Violence
SOC 326	Sociology of Deviant Behavior
SOC 328	Sociology of Aging
SOC 330	Sociology of Minority Relations
SOC 333	Sport and Society
SOC 335	Technology and Society
SCS 300	The Human Condition

Choose one of the following:

PSY 291	Experiential Learning (3 credits)
PSY 490	Psychology Internship (6 credits)**

\*\*A second Internship may be taken using Free Electives

Seven free electives

### Related Accreditation

Accreditation Commission for Programs in Hospitality Administration  
American Culinary Federation Educational Institute  
Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs  
European Council for Business Education  
New England Association of Schools and Colleges  
New Hampshire Postsecondary Education Commission  
New Hampshire State Department of Education for  
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