The Intensive Sociology major is an option for students wishing to major in Sociology and focus in the area of Global Information and Social Enterprise Studies (GISES). Students are required to take a total of 16 courses: five prescribed lower-division courses in preparation for the major, four prescribed upper-division core courses, six upper-division electives, and a project practicum course. In addition, they must successfully complete the comprehensive requirement.

**LOWER-DIVISION COURSES**

- **SOCY 1 (Fall & Spring)** Intro to Sociology
- **SOCY 15 (Fall)** World Society
- **SOCY 30A (Fall, 3 units)** Intro to Global Information and Social Enterprise Studies
- **SOCY 30B (Winter, 3 units)** Designing ICT Projects for Social Enterprises
- **SOCY 30C (Spring, 3 units)** Project Implementation and Grant Writing

A GPA of 2.8 or better in the above courses is required to declare the major. A list of proposed electives with justifications is due at time of declaration.

**UPPER-DIVISION CORE COURSES**

- **SOCY 103A (Winter)** Statistical Methods
- **SOCY 103B (Spring)** Logic & Methods of Social Inquiry
- **SOCY 105A (Fall)** Classical Social Theory
- **SOCY 105B (Winter)** Contemporary Social Theory

**SIX UPPER-DIVISION ELECTIVE COURSES**

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A list of electives with justifications is due prior to enrollment in the Project Practicum.

**PROJECT PRACTICUM**

Students must complete a GISES capstone project. While working on the project students should enroll in **SOCY 196G**, Project Practicum. Done as an independent study.

**COMPREHENSIVE REQUIREMENT**

Two options to fulfill the comprehensive requirement:
1. Complete a Senior Thesis. Students may enroll in up to 15 units (SOCY 195A, B, C) of independent study thesis coursework. Pre-requisite: SOCY 103B.
2. Complete the Sociology Capstone Course. SOCY 196A, Capstone: The Sociologist as a Public Intellectual. 3 units offered Spring only.