SOCIAL SCIENCE  

College of Social Science

192  Environmental Issues Seminar  
Fall. 1 credit. Interdepartmental with Agriculture and Natural Resources and Communication Arts and Sciences and Engineering and Natural Science. Administered by Natural Science. R: Open to students in the College of Communication Arts and Sciences or in the College of Engineering or in the College of Natural Science. Approval of college. Environmental issues and problems explored from a variety of perspectives, including legal, scientific, historical, political, socio-economic, and technical points of view.

199  Community Engagement: Act Locally, Think Globally  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3(2-3) R: Open to freshmen or sophomores in the College of Social Science. Methods and concepts from social and behavioral sciences applied to improve active community engagement. Field experiences.

290  Selected Topics in Social Science  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. Topics may cover contemporary, theoretical, or applied issues or interdisciplinary approaches.

292  Applications in Environmental Studies  
Spring. 2(1-2) Interdepartmental with Agriculture and Natural Resources and Communication Arts and Sciences and Engineering and Natural Science. Administered by Natural Science. R: Open to students in the Environmental Studies Specialization. Community engagement project. Projects vary depending on student's major and area of environmental interest.

293  Introduction to Asian Pacific American Studies  
Spring. 3(3-0) SA: SSC 291. Issues that define the study of Asian Pacific American communities, including Asian Pacific American history, immigration, psychology, literature, family, women's issues, activism politics, and community.

299  Integration of Social Science Perspectives  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1(1-0) P: (ANP 201 or ANP 203 or ANP 206 or EC 201 or EC 202 or GEO 151 or GEO 204 or HST 110 or HST 140 or HST 150) or (PLS 140 or PLS 160 or PLS 200 or PSY 101 or SOC 100 or SOC 161 or UP 100) RB: Recommended background: two or more prerequisite courses in different disciplines. R: Open to undergraduate students in the Global and International Studies in Social Science Major or in the Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science Major. Multidisciplinary study. Integration of social science perspectives and policy issues.

390  Disease in Society: Introduction to Epidemiology and Public Health  
Spring. 4(4-0) Interdepartmental with Epidemiology. Administered by Epidemiology. Human epidemiology and population health issues facing contemporary society. Developed and less-developed settings. Health-related information in the mass media and scholarly publications.

399  Service Learning and Civic Engagement: Theory and Practice  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 6 credits in all enrollments for this course. Civic engagement practices and theories. Impact of non-profit organizations, practices of engaged citizenship. Volunteer placements at civic organizations.

442  Social Science Data Analytics Applications  
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Geography and Political Science. Administered by Social Science. P: PLS 202. Application of computational tools for data collection and visualization to various topics in social science research.

490  Special Topics in Social Science  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to juniors or seniors or graduate students. Topics may cover contemporary, theoretical, or applied issues or interdisciplinary approaches.

493  Social Science Internship  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3 to 12 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to seniors. Approval of college. Methods and concepts from social and behavioral sciences applied in career-related settings.

493A  Social Science International Internship  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 2 to 12 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. RB: 12 credits in major. R: Open to juniors or seniors. Approval of college. Supervised international field experience in social science.

494  Undergraduate Research in Social Science  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 8 credits in all enrollments for this course. RB: Methods course completed for major R: Open to undergraduate students in the College of Social Science or approval of college; application required. Faculty-guided undergraduate research in the social sciences.

496  Field Study Abroad  
Fall, Spring, Summer. 3 to 10 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 16 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to seniors. Approval of college. Study abroad under MSU faculty supervision. Social behavior and processes in selected countries.

497  Flint Community Internship  
Summer. 3 to 12 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Approval of college; application required. Methods and concepts identifying community assets in Flint.

498  Innovate Gov Internship  
Summer. 3 to 12 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 12 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open to juniors or seniors. Approval of college; application required. Methods and concepts to provide critical capacity in Detroit.

499  Capstone in Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science (W)  
Fall, Spring. 3(3-0) P: (SSC 299) and completion of Tier I writing requirement R: Open to seniors in the Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science Major or in the Interdisciplinary Studies in Social Science Major or in the Global and International Studies in Social Science Major or approval of college. Integration and application of interdisciplinary methods, models and theories in social science.

820  Proseminar in Food and Agricultural Standards  
Fall. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Agriculture and Natural Resources. Administered by Social Science. Interdisciplinary theoretical and applied perspectives on societal roles and implications of standards in food and agriculture.

826  International Development: Theory and Practice  

890  Special Topics in Social Science  
Fall, Spring. Summer. 1 to 6 credits. A student may earn a maximum of 16 credits in all enrollments for this course. R: Open only to graduate students. Topics may cover contemporary, theoretical, or applied issues or interdisciplinary approaches.

891  Food and Agricultural Standards Seminar  
Spring. 3(3-0) Interdepartmental with Agriculture and Natural Resources. Administered by Social Science. P: SSC 820. Integration of multidisciplinary perspectives on Food and Agricultural Standards.