

Social Research Methods Certificate

Social Research Methods Certificate Requirements

18-19 credits

| Code | Title | Hours |
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| MATH 1040 | Introduction to Statistics (MA) | 3 |
| SOC 1010 | Introduction to Sociology (SS, GC) | 3 |
| SOC 3111 | Research Methods | 3 |
| or PSY 3010 | Research Methods in Psychology | |
| or PSY 3020 | Applied Research Methods in Psychology | |
| or CJ 3300 | Research Methods in Criminology and Criminal Justice | |
| SOC 3112 | Social Statistics | 3-4 |
| or PSY 3000 | Statistical Methods/Psychology | |
| SOC 3113 | Survey Research Design | 3 |
| SOC 3114 | Qualitative Research Methods | 3 |

Completion Requirement

- Complete all courses that fulfill requirements in the certificate with a grade C or higher.

Social Research Methods Certificate Program Learning Outcomes

At the successful conclusion of this program, students will be able to:

1. Design, implement, and communicate the findings of social research projects employing appropriate methodologies and ethical considerations.
2. Employ various data collection methods such as surveys, interviews, observations, and existing data sources effectively and ethically to gather information pertinent to social research.
3. Apply quantitative and qualitative analytical techniques to interpret and evaluate social data, including statistical analysis, coding, thematic analysis, and interpretation of findings.