

Welcome to Your Degree!

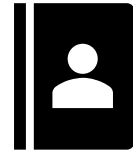
This Welcome Package is a *very quick* guide to some of the information that you may look for while in your program. It included a quick outline of your degree requirements, important dates, faculty research interest and contact information.

It also includes some very important links that you should keep at hand when determining your next steps regarding course selections.

You are always welcome to email me or come in and see me and I will help you in any way that I can or direct you to the right contact for your need.

My office is located in Chrysler Hall South, Office 158-2.

Sincerely,
Graduate Secretary



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MA – SOCIOLOGY DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Master of Sociology – Course Stream

The program requirements are as follow:

Course requirements: successful completion of seven (7) graduate courses

Total courses: Seven (7) graduate courses from SACR-8xxx

SACR-8000 OR SACR-8010

SACR-8050 OR SACR-8060 OR SACR-8160

Three graduate courses which must be selected from SACR-8020, SACR-8200, SACR-8210, SACR-8250, SACR-8300, SACR-8400, SACR-8500, SACR8550, SACR-8690 and/or SACR-8800

Two graduate courses from any SACR-8xxx courses

Master of Sociology – Thesis Stream

The program requirements are as follow:

Course requirements: Successful completion of four (4) graduate courses and a thesis within 24 months (6 consecutive semesters)

SACR-8000 OR SACR-8010

SACR-8050 OR SACR-8160

Two graduate courses from any SACR-8xxx course

SACR-8900 (Thesis Proposal) and SACR-8970 (Thesis Oral Defenses)

*Students are required to complete all four courses in two consecutive semesters; SACR-8900 should be taken during the second semester.

MA thesis students are expected to submit a final draft to their Advisor by the end of June (3rd semester). Proposals must be defended by September 30th of their second year in program. Those who are not in the position to do so are expected to enroll in two courses in September, to complete the course stream degree in the Fall term.

*A thesis committee must be approved prior to the second term of registration in the thesis course.

IMPORTANT DATES

Most current & updated information can be found at:
[Important Academic Dates | Office of the Registrar \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)
[Important Dates for Graduate Students | Faculty of Graduate Studies \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)

Fall 2023

September 7th, 2023 – First Day of Fall 2023 Classes

October 4th, 2023 – Financial Drop Date (Full tuition refund)

October 7th – 15th, 2023 – Reading Week

October 9th, 2023 – Thanksgiving Day – University Closed

December 6th, 2023 – Last Day of Fall 2023 Classes

December 9th – 20th, 2023 – Final Exams for Fall 2023

December 21st, 2023 – Alternate Final Exam Day

December 23rd, 2023 – January 2nd, 2023 – University Closed

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Fees and Charges | Finance Department \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)

[Payment Options | Finance Department \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)

[Timetable Information | Office of the Registrar \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)

[Master of Arts in Sociology & Criminology | Department of Sociology and Criminology \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)

[Current Students | Faculty of Graduate Studies \(uwindsor.ca\)](#) (includes information on GAships, Forms, Thesis/Dissertations, Registrations, Important Dates, Tuition Fee Refund Phases, ect.)

[Scholarships and Awards | Faculty of Graduate Studies \(uwindsor.ca\)](#)

Faculty Research Interests

Robert Arnold – Quantitative Methodology, Family, Stratification/Mobility

Tanya Basok – Temporary Labour Migration, Refugee Movements, Immigration and Refugee Policies, Human Rights, Citizenship Rights, Latin American Studies, Migrant Activism

Cheran Rudhramoorthy – Development, Race/Ethnic/Minority Relations, Migration and Immigration

Gerald Cradock – The Sociology of Childhood, Institutional Responses to Child Abuse and Child Homicide, Public Inquiries as Governance Technologies

Ronjon Paul Datta – Classical and Contemporary Social Theory, Philosophy of Social Science, Political Sociology, Religion, Durkheimian Studies, Foucault, Social Pathology, Capitalism

Natalie Delia Deckard – Critical Criminology, Migration, Race and Ethnicity, and Feminist Criminology

John Deukmedjian – Policing, Security, Intelligence and Surveillance, Criminological Theory, Governance and Governmentality, Political Economies, Histories of Knowledge

Amy Fitzgerald – Criminology, Green Criminology, (Critical) Animal Studies, Animal Abuse, Gender Studies, Environmental Sociology

Glynis George – Immigrant Settlement, Community-Based Research, Qualitative Methodologies, Culture and Gender

Jane Ku – Race, Antiracism, Feminism, Solidarity, Activism and Immigrant Settlement

Jacqueline Lewis – Crime, Deviance & Law; Drugs & Society; Health, Illness, Death & Dying; Social Inequality; Public Policy & Health; Prostitution & Sexual Labour; Qualitative Methodology

Randy Lippert – Law and Society, Policing/Security, Surveillance/Privacy, Governance and Urban Studies

Suzaane McMurphy – Trust, Social Capital, Public Sociology, Research Ethics, Social and Institutional Trust

Reza Nakhaie – Evaluating Socioeconomic Integration of Immigrants and Refugees, and How Experience of Discrimination Limits Educational Achievement of Newcomer Youth

Francisca Omorodion – Family, Sex and Gender, Sexuality and Health Development

Danielle Soulliere – Cultural Criminology, Gender Studies, Media