

What can I do with a major in...

SOCIOLOGY

Sociology majors can find careers in environment and society, criminal justice, demography, human services, business, education, social science research, community relations, health, law, government and research.

INDUSTRIES:

Public, Multilateral, Government, Non-Profit,
Non-Government Organizations and Private sectors

Salary

\$25K - \$100K +
ENTRY LEVEL- SENIOR LEVEL



Common Job Titles

Sociologists
Social Pathologists
Social Welfare Research Workers
Research Assistant
Professor
Consultants
Environment Advocate
Counselor
Market Research Analyst
Policy Analyst
Administrator
Investigator
International Aid Worker
Social Worker



Skills

Research
Teaching
Writing
Verbal Communication
Written Communication
Listening
Critical Thinking
Analytical
Problem Solving
Science
Adaptable
Flexible
Social Perceptiveness
Global intercultural Fluency



Tools & Technology

Analytical or scientific software
Microsoft Access
Webpage creation and editing software
Graphic or photo imaging software
Microsoft Word

Popular Employers

Federal Government
Health Agencies
Advocacy Groups
Consulting Firms
Correctional Institutions
Court Systems
Local Government
Colleges & Universities

International Agencies
Advertising & Marketing Firms
Private Research Firms
Mental Health Services
Human Resources
Demography/Planning
Real Estate
Public Assistance Agencies

Employer sectors also include public relations, marketing & sales, insurance, entrepreneurship, childcare, family planning, substance abuse education, hospital admissions, alumni relations in higher education, attorney, paralegal, professional writing, journalism, and case management.

Related Occupations

Anthropology
Geography
Political Scientists
Postsecondary Teachers



Advice from professionals is great

Make Connections.

It's important for Sociology majors to network and build relationships when attending professional events. Professional associations allows for networking, mentoring, learning the industry trends and finding career or internship opportunities. Professional associations within the Sociology industry include:

Professional Associations

American Sociological Association
Association for Applied and Clinical Sociology
American Association of University Professors

