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BUZZ WORDS

social change, social justice, inequality, global citizenship

KPU's Bachelor of Arts in Sociology degree offers critical, practical and transformative studies in local and global approaches. This program offers exceptional learning experiences in applied settings with academic rigor and a well-rounded education in various sub-fields in the discipline. Sociology graduates possess a significant advantage in the labour market because the discipline nurtures a broad range of skills which are highly portable across many different kinds of jobs. The ability of our graduates to think critically and analytically, coupled with their breadth of knowledge, places them in a desirable position in relation to today's flexibility-demanding employers.

Career Opportunities



- Health administrator
- Policy analyst
- Public relations officer
- International development specialist
- Government researcher
- Police officer
- Criminal justice worker
- Journalist
- Community organizer
- Charity Fundraiser
- Community development worker
- Social researcher
- Social worker
- Teacher
- Youth worker
- Counsellor
- Housing manager
- Probation officer
- Human resources officer

Skills Learned



- Interpersonal skills
- Decision-making skills
- Critical and abstract thinking
- Teamwork
- Socially conscious, engaged global citizenship
- Decision-making skills
- Flexibility and breadth of knowledge
- Leadership
- Planning
- Critical thinking
- Oral and written communication
- Gather, assess and interpret data
- Presentation skills
- Time management
- Problem solving
- Research skills
- Inter-cultural skills
- Strong IT skills

Academic Options @ KPU:

- Bachelor of Arts, Major in Sociology
- Bachelor of Arts, Minor in Sociology
- Associate of Arts Degree Program

Applied Learning in Sociology @ KPU:

- SOCI 4225 Advanced Topics in Canadian Issues
- SOCI 4325 Sociological Aspects of Community Services
- SOCI 4320 Advanced Topics in Global Studies
- SOCI 4330 Global Community Service

Resources and links

KPU Sociology Page: www.kpu.ca/arts/sociology
 Canadian Sociological Association www.csa-scs.ca
 Sociology in Canada www.sociology.ca

Students Clubs

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