



23/24 Suggested Course of Study

Social Science, BS

Freshman Year, Fall Semester

Gen Ed	HIST 101, History of World Civilizations I	3
Gen Ed	ENG 101, Composition I	3
Gen Ed	COMS 101, Foundations of Oral Comm.	3
Gen Ed	Personal Development	3
BS Degree	MATH 131 or Mathematics or Science	3
Total semester hours		15

Freshman Year, Spring Semester

Gen Ed	HIST 102, History of World Civ II	3
Gen Ed	ENG 102, Composition II	3
Gen Ed	Science	4
Gen Ed	Fine Arts	3
Elective	General or Minor Elective	3
Total semester hours		16

Sophomore Year, Fall Semester

Major	HIST 211, History of the United States	3
Major	EC 231, Macroeconomics	3
Major	GEOG 231, World Geography	3
Gen Ed	ENG 231 or 232, Global Literature I or II	3
Gen Ed	Science	4
Total semester hours		16

Sophomore Year, Spring Semester

Major	HIST 212, History of the United States	3
Major	POS 200, American National Government*	3
Major	SOC 101, Introduction to Sociology*	3
Gen Ed	ENG 231 or 232 or Humanities	3
Elective	General or Minor Elective	3
Total semester hours		15

Junior Year, Fall Semester

Major	HIST 310 or POS 370 or SWK 355, Research	3
Major	HIST Non-American Elective	3
Major	POS Elective	3
Major	SOC Elective	3
BS Degree	Science	4
Total semester hours		16

Junior Year, Spring Semester

Major	POS 455, International Relations	3
Major	SOC Elective	3
Major	Concentration Area Elective	3
Gen Ed	Humanities or Fine Arts	3
Gen Ed	Mathematics	3
Total semester hours		15

Senior Year, Fall Semester

Elective	General or Minor Elective	3
Major	Concentration Area Electives	6
Gen Ed	Humanities or Fine Arts	3
Elective	General or Minor	3
Total semester hours		15

Senior Year, Spring Semester

Major	HIST 492 or POS 499 or SOC 499, Capstone	3
Major	Concentration Area Elective	3
Electives	General or Minor	6
Total semester hours		12

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE 120

Notes

* Indicates the course is also used to satisfy a General Education Core requirement.

This suggested course of study is for informational purposes only and does not replace academic advising. All UM students must meet with an academic advisor before registering for future semesters. This plan contains 15 hours of general electives.

Candidates who wish to pursue the Social Sciences Alternative master's program must successfully complete at least one course in each of the following areas: EC, GEOG, POS, and SOC.

For more information, contact the department chair or click one of the links below:

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