Students are admitted to UCSC with a "proposed major" in most cases, and later petition to officially declare the major. Admission to UCSC does not guarantee acceptance into a particular major. Junior transfer students must be officially declared in a major by the deadline in their second quarter of enrollment.

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<td>To be admitted as a proposed Sociology major student, students will be held to having completed the following by the end of the spring 2015 term:</td>
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<td>• Minimum grade of C (2.0) in a course articulated to UCSC’s SOCY 1: <em>Introduction to Sociology</em>.</td>
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<td>• Minimum grade point average of 2.30 in the above major-preparatory courses.</td>
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<td>In addition, students who earn a combined GPA of 2.8 or higher in the following lower division courses will be admitted to the GISES concentration: Sociology 1, Sociology 15, Sociology 30A, Sociology 30B, and Sociology 30C. Students may not repeat classes in which they earned a C or better to meet this requirement.</td>
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<td>• Students should review the major requirements on the Sociology website and understand the major qualification and graduation requirements.</td>
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Transfer students who intend to pursue this major should do the following prior to the beginning of their first term...

...and should take these courses their first term:

- SOCY 15: *World Society* and SOCY 30A: *Intro to Global Information and Social Enterprise Studies*

If unable to enroll in courses listed above:

- Students should add themselves to any available AIS wait lists. Information on wait lists is posted at: [http://sociology.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/advising/enrollment.html](http://sociology.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/advising/enrollment.html).
- Intensive Sociology students may take a 5-credit upper-division elective from another discipline if they can justify the course helps them in their project practicum. Contact the major adviser for info: 831-459-4497.
- Finally, attend the course on the first day.

Skills important for success in this major:

Although not required for the major, students in this major might benefit from these courses/subjects:

- See the note above about taking courses in other disciplines. Students should look at other department offerings to get an idea of possible topics for their projects. Contact the major adviser for info: 831-459-4497.

Other information:

- The intensive major is an option for students wishing to major in sociology and focus in the area of Global Information and Social Enterprise Studies (GISES). If you are interested in pursuing the intensive major, please visit the Sociology Adviser in your first term at UCSC.

Links to More Information:

- [http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/](http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/) (general info)
- [http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/](http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/) (major requirements, course descriptions, etc.)
- [http://sociology.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/](http://sociology.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/) (program website)
- [http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html](http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html) (transfer credit info)

Questions? Contact an Adviser!

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