UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ  
NEW STUDENT MAJOR ADVISING SUMMARY FOR 2016-2017 TRANSFER STUDENTS

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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<th>Major: Sociology - GISES Concentration</th>
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<td>Qualification requirements and/or prerequisites for the major:</td>
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<td>Students will be held to have completed the following by the end of the Spring 2016 term:</td>
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<td>1. Minimum grade of C+ (2.30) in a course articulated to UCSC's SOCY 1, Introduction to Sociology.</td>
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<td>2. Minimum grade of C+ (2.30) in a course articulated to UCSC's SOCY 10, Issues and Problems in American Society or minimum grade of C+ (2.30) in a course articulated to UCSC's SOCY 15, World Society.</td>
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<td>3. Minimum grade point average of 2.30 in the above major-preparatory courses.</td>
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By the end of the fall 2015 term, a student must have completed at least the one sociology course from the above (#1 or #2) with a minimum grade of C+ (2.30). All other course requirements must be listed as either in-progress or planned on the UC application, showing completion no later than the end of the spring 2016 term. For students attending institutions that do not compute plus/minus grades, an overall GPA of 2.30 in the above sociology courses will be required for the major.

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.

Although it is not required for selection, junior-level transfer students are strongly encouraged to complete a transferable course in statistical methods and a transferable course in research methods prior to enrolling at UCSC.

- Students should review the major requirements on the Sociology website and understand the major qualification and graduation requirements.

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

- 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.
- Sociology with GISES concentration 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.

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.

This option is 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 this concentration, please visit the Sociology Adviser in your first term at UCSC.

Other information:
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Additional notes:
- Contact an Adviser!
  - Tina Nikfarjam
  - 459-4497 or tnikfarj@ucsc.edu
  - College Eight, Room 224

Links to More Information:
- http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/ (general info)
- http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/ (major requirements, course descriptions, etc.)
- http://sociology.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/ (program website)
- http://www.everettprogram.org/ (Everett Program= GISES)
- http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html (transfer credit info)