School of Continuing Studies

The Schools of Liberal Arts and Science and Engineering

School of Continuing Studies students may select any major in the School of Liberal Arts or the School of Science and Engineering which offers a B.A. or B.S. degree. The academic departments determine the requirements for these majors. Students electing this option must fulfill the core curriculum requirements for the major.

Students should consult with their School of Continuing Studies adviser if they wish to pursue a major offered by these schools.

Note: Majors completed in areas not sponsored by the School of Continuing Studies may require some day course enrollment at a higher tuition rate.

Social Sciences

The School of Continuing Studies offers a Bachelor of Arts in Social Sciences for part-time students. To earn this degree, students must complete the School of Continuing Studies’ competency requirements (seven credits in English/writing, three to four credits of quantitative reasoning, six to eight credits in foreign language, or Perspectives Outside European Tradition or Comparative Cultures), supporting requirements (three credits each in oral communications and computer applications), and distribution requirements (12 credits from two different disciplines in the humanities, 12 credits from two different disciplines in the social sciences, and 12 credits from two different disciplines in the sciences). This degree program also requires a minor of 15 credits to 18 credits and a major consisting of 10 courses in the social sciences, including one course each at any level in history, political science, either sociology or anthropology, and an additional course at any level in any social science department. The six remaining courses must be numbered 300 or above and may be taken in any social science discipline. The social sciences include anthropology, economics, geography, history, Latin American studies, political science, sociology, and women’s studies.