

# RECOMMENDED PLAN OF STUDY

Year One	
Fall	Spring
SOC 601 Proseminar (1 credit)	
SOC 701 Classical theory (3)	SOC 711 Research methods (3)
SOC 713 Social statistics (3)	SOC 707 Regression analysis (3)
SOC xxx Substantive elective (3)	SOC xxx Substantive elective (3)

Year Two	
Fall	Spring
	SOC 791T Teaching practicum (1)
SOC xxx Substantive/ methods/ theory electives (9)	SOC xxx Substantive/ methods/ theory electives (9)

Year Three	
Fall	Spring
SOC xxx Substantive/ methods/ theory electives (6)	SOC xxx Substantive/ methods/ theory elective (3)
SOC 893 Prelim prep hours (3)	SOC 893 Dissertation proposal (6)

Year Four	
Fall	Spring
SOC 895 Dissertation research (9)	SOC 895 Dissertation research (9)

Year Five	
Fall	Spring
SOC 895 Dissertation research (9)	SOC 895 Dissertation research (9)

**Master's  
Paper**  
*End of 2<sup>nd</sup> year*

**Prelim  
Exam**  
*Middle of 3<sup>rd</sup> year*

**Dissertation  
Proposal  
Defense**  
*Beginning of 4<sup>th</sup> year*

**Final  
Dissertation  
Defense**  
*End of 5<sup>th</sup> year*

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**Prelim Exam**  
*Beginning of 3<sup>rd</sup> year*

**Dissertation Proposal Defense**  
*End of 3<sup>rd</sup> year*

**Final Dissertation Defense**  
*End of 4<sup>th</sup> year*

\*these course requirements may be waived if the student has completed comparable courses at another institution. See the Graduate Manual for more information about course waivers.

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