LAKEHEAD UNIVERSITY

MAJOR MAP CAREER PLANNING:

SOCIOLOGY
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

What skills will I gain with this major?

- Analytic thinking and problem solving
- Understanding cultural diversity
- Written and oral communication skills
- Qualitative and Quantitative research skills
- Applying theory to real-world settings
- Leadership and teamwork skills
- Understanding human organizations
- Connecting individuals, groups, and organizations to broader structural patterns

Options for Experiential or Work-integrated-learning

- Conduct original research
- Conference Participation

See more about Sociology at:
lakeheadu.ca/sociology

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What percentage of graduates are employed within 2 years after graduation?

- Humanities: 80%
- Social Science: 95%
- Education: 98.40%

Source: Ontario University Graduate Survey (OUGS): 2021

What range of salary can I expect within 2 years of graduation?

- Humanities: 66.8K
- Social Science: 56.8K
- Education: 52.7K

Source: Ontario University Graduate Survey (OUGS): 2021

What graduate programs could I pursue?

- Master of Arts in Sociology
- Master of Arts in Cognate Social Science Fields
- Law School
- Medical School
- Journalism
- Social Work

What types of minors can I do?
offered with honours degree or equivalent 4-year degree

- Psychology
- Applied Ethics
- Anthropology
- Archaeology
- Forensic Science
- Gender and Women's Studies

Are there any additional certifications for career development?

- Certificate of French Proficiency
- Certificate in Entrepreneurship and Business
- Certificate in Indigenous Learning
- Certificate in Health Care Ethics

What are some careers that graduates pursue?

- Research Analyst
- Counsellor
- Probation Officer
- College Instructor
- RCMP and other police services
- Teacher
- Policy maker

MY CAREER DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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Connect with Career Services & Co-op:
lakeheadu.ca/careerzone

Build your own self-guided academic and career journey.

YEAR	INTERESTS & GOALS	EXPLORE EXTRA-CURRICULAR EXPERIENCES	EXPLORE ACADEMIC COURSE OPTIONS	NEXT STEPS
1	*"Networking"*			
2		"Research"		
3				*"Visit the Career Zone"*
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