SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTICE MINOR

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The minor in social and economic justice is designed for students who want to understand how to think analytically about issues of justice and how perspectives on justice can be joined with the pursuit of it. An overarching objective is fostering attitudes and knowledge about human rights; racial, ethnic, and gender equality; economic justice; democratic participation; sustainable development; diversity; and peace. It is especially appropriate for students who anticipate working in advocacy roles in nonprofit organizations, in local communities, or in governmental organizations. In these inquiries about justice, students engage scholarship in a variety of disciplines and traditions of practice.

Department Programs

Majors
- Sociology Major, B.A. (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/sociology-major-ba/)

Minor
- Health and Society Minor (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/health-society-minor/)
- Social and Economic Justice Minor (p. 1)

Graduate Programs
- M.A. in Sociology (http://catalog.unc.edu/graduate/schools-departments/sociology/)
- Ph.D. in Sociology (http://catalog.unc.edu/graduate/schools-departments/sociology/)

Requirements
In addition to the program requirements listed below, students must:
- take at least nine hours of their minor ‘core’ requirements at UNC–Chapel Hill
- earn a minimum of 12 hours of C or better in the minor (some minors require more)

For more information, please consult the degree requirements section of the catalog (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/general-education-curriculum-degree-requirements/#degreerequirements).

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<td>GEOG/WGST 225</td>
<td>Space, Place, and Difference</td>
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<td>PHIL 273</td>
<td>Justice, Rights, and the Common Good: Philosophical Perspectives on Social and Economic Issues</td>
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<td>SOCI 273</td>
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<td>SOCI 274</td>
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<td>Three additional courses that cover at least two different areas (listed below)</td>
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<td>Total Hours</td>
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1 Depending on the topic, independent study, special topics, and internship courses may be approved to fulfill the requirements for the minor with the explicit permission of the director.

A student may major in sociology and minor in social and economic justice; however, a student cannot count toward graduation more than 45 hours in SOCI courses. All college requirements about minors apply. In addition, only one course that a student is using to meet a General Education Approaches requirement may also be used to meet a minor requirement.

Service Learning Component
Students are required to complete one service-learning experience, a requirement that can be met in one of three ways.

1. A student may take a course that includes a service-learning (APPLES) component.
2. After seeking and receiving the approval of the director of the minor, a student may take a one- to three-credit independent studies or special topics course (summer or academic term) with a faculty member.
3. A student may participate in the two-credit spring break course, HBEH 610, which meets the service-learning requirement but not a course requirement.

Note that core courses do not necessarily contain a service-learning component; check ConnectCarolina each semester to confirm that courses are listed as APPLES courses.

Thus, the minor is fulfilled with 12 to 13 credits, depending on whether the service-learning requirement is part of a three-credit course or is fulfilled in another way.

Understanding Justice

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<td>AAAD/WGST 386</td>
<td>Comparative Studies in Culture, Gender, and Global Forces</td>
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### Justice in Action

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<td>ANTH 142</td>
<td>Local Cultures, Global Forces (^H)</td>
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<td>ANTH 240</td>
<td>Action Research</td>
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<td>ANTH/GEOG/GLBL/HIST/POLI 210</td>
<td>Global Issues and Globalization</td>
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AMST/HIST 110  Introduction to the Cultures and Histories of Native North America  3  
ANTH 103  Anthropology of Globalization  3  
ANTH 120  Anthropology through Expressive Cultures  3  
ANTH 467  Culture, Wealth, and Poverty  3  
ANTH/PWAD 280  Anthropology of War and Peace  3  
ASIA/GEOG/WGST 447  Gender, Space, and Place in the Middle East  3  
COMM 82  First-Year Seminar: Food Politics from an Organizational Communication Perspective  3  
COMM 140  Introduction to Media History, Theory, and Criticism  3  
COMM 624  Hate Speech  3  
ECON 480  Labor Economics  1  
ECON 586  Economics of the Family  1  
ECON/EURO/PWAD 460  International Economics  1  
ENEC/PLCY 520  Environment and Development  3  
ENGL 265  Literature and Race, Literature and Ethnicity  3  
ENGL 269  Introduction to Disability Studies  3  
ENGL/WGST 363  Feminist Literary Theory  3  
GEOG 123  Cultural Geography  3  
GEOG 232  Agriculture, Food, and Society  3  
GEOG 423  Social Geography  3  
GEOG 452  Mobile Geographies: The Political Economy of Migration  3  
GEOG 457  Rural Latin America: Agriculture, Environment, and Natural Resources  3  
GEOG 470  Political Ecology: Geographical Perspectives  3  
HIST 589  Race, Racism, and America: (United States) Law in Historical Perspective  3  
HIST/WGST 280  Women and Gender in Latin American History  3  
LING/GSLL 306  Language and Nationalism  3  
MEJO 441  Diversity and Communication  3  
MEJO/WGST 442  Gender, Class, Race, and Mass Media  3  
POLI/WGST 217  Women and Politics  3  
SOCI 420  Political Sociology  3  
SOCI 423  Sociology of Education, Experiential Education  3  
SOCI 426  Sociology of Education  3  
SOCI 468  United States Poverty and Public Policy  3  
SOCI/MNGT 412  Social Stratification  3  
SOCI/WGST 124  Sex and Gender in Society  3  

\( \text{H} \)  Honors version available. An honors course fulfills the same requirements as the nonhonors version of that course. Enrollment and GPA restrictions may apply.

\( \text{1} \)  Have departmental requirements that may or may not be waived. Students should consult course descriptions and discuss requirements with the instructor.

See the program page here (http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/sociology-major-ba/) for special opportunities.