



NEWSLETTER

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This newsletter provides sociology majors and anthropology majors and minors with important updates including registration information for Fall 2022 and happenings in the department.

KEY DATES

Advising for Fall 2022 Semester

Starts March 21 and is ongoing.

Enrollment Dates

Expected Grad Date	Stage 1 Enrollment Dates	Stage 2 Enrollment Dates	Stage 3 Open Enrollment Dates
Fall 2022, Spring 2023, Fall 2023	April 11th @ 7 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (ET)	April 12th @ 7 a.m. - 11:59 p.m. (ET)	T.B.A.
Spring 2024 & Fall 2024	April 21st @ 7 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (ET)	April 22nd @ 7 a.m. - 11:59 p.m. (ET)	T.B.A.
Spring 2025 & Fall 2025	April 25th @ 7 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (ET)	April 26th @ 7 a.m. - 11:59 p.m. (ET)	T.B.A.

Courses - Fall 2022

For schedule of classes and course descriptions, refer to the College Catalog or STAR online.

- ANTH 101 Anthropological Perspective (6 sections - in STAR)
- ANTH 252 Anthropology of Law MW: 3:00-4:15
- ANTH 253 Gender and Development MWF: 12:00-12:50
- ANTH 264-01 Race, Racism, and Anthropology TR: 9:30-10:45
- ANTH 266 -01 Culture & Politics of Latin America TR: 12:30-1:45
- ANTH 320 Theory in Anthropology TR: 2:00-3:15
- ANTH 386-01 Global Queer Activism R: 3:30-6:00

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- SOCL 101 Sociological Perspective (7 sections - in STAR)
 - SOCL 203-01 & 02 Race & Power TR: 11:00-12:15 & 12:30-1:45
 - SOCL 220 Drugs in the Americas MW: 3:00-4:15
 - SOCL 223-01 & 02 Logics of Inquiry MW: 9:30-10:45 & 11:00-12:15
 - SOCL 226-01 Social Statistics MWF: 1:00-1:50
 - SOCL 232 Race, Gender and Violence MWF: 3:00-3:50
 - SOCL 241-01 & 02 Development of Social Theory TR: 9:30-10:45 & 11:00-12:15
 - SOCL 281 Travel and Tourism WF: 8:30-9:45
 - SOCL 299 Social Stratification in India TR: 2:00-3:15
 - SOCL 365 Illness Narratives W: 11:00-1:30
 - SOCL 375 End of Life R: 1:00-3:30

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Anthropology Major Requirements

Requirements (10 course minimum):
Recommended sequence of courses:

- Anthropological Perspective (ANTH 101)
- Anthropological Theory (ANTH 320)
- Ethnographic Field Methods (ANTH 310)
- One advanced anthropology course at 300 or 400- level
- Six anthropology electives (two electives may be sociology courses)

Anthropology Minor Requirements

- Anthropological Perspective (ANTH 101)
 - Ethnographic Field Methods (ANTH 310)
- OR**
- Theory in Anthropology (ANTH 320)
 - Four additional anthropology courses, by student interest

Sociology Major Requirements

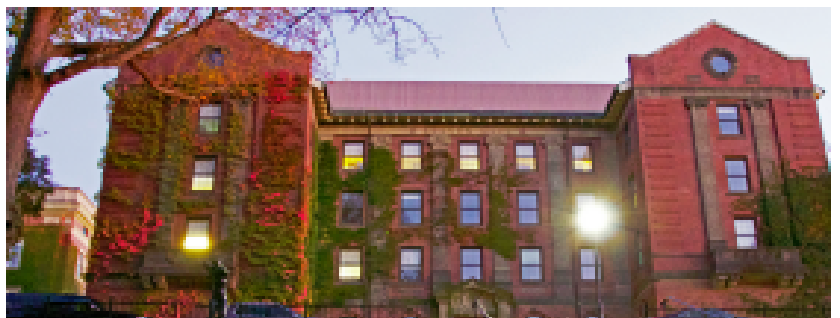
Requirements (10 course minimum):
Recommended sequence of courses:

- Sociological Perspective (SOCL 101)
- Social Statistics (SOCL 226)
- and Development of Social Theory (SOCL 241)
- Logics of Inquiry (SOCL 223)
- One advanced sociology course at 300 or 400-level
- Five sociology electives (two electives may be anthropology courses)

New Courses

SOCL 299 Stratification in India

The course explores India's caste system, an ancient hierarchical system that imposed roles, status and responsibilities on the basis of birth, family and community, touching on seemingly every form of human interaction. Though many claim that caste is a thing of the past, evidence is strong that it plays an ongoing role in social life today. This course explores the system's origins and theoretical foundations, its development over time, its characteristics and practices, and attempts at eradicating it.



Anthropology Seminar Descriptions

ANTH 320 Theory in Anthropology

A historical examination of the development of different theoretical perspectives in cultural anthropology. This course explores, compares, and critiques different schools of thought about human society and culture, from the 19th to the 21st centuries, looking at the ways in which anthropological scholars and those from related disciplines have attempted to understand and explain the human condition.

ANTH 386 Global Queer Activism

This course will critically examine the wide variety of approaches, tactics, discourses and objectives adopted by activists from around the globe in the effort to further LGBTQ+ rights, and discuss the ways that this activism centered on sexuality and/or gender identity intersects with race, class, religion, nationality and cultural identity. Although many nations around the world have experienced important advances over the last few decades in the effort to include LGBTQ+ populations, we cannot assume that progress on these issues is uniform or that it will look the same in different contexts.

The course will push students to consider the ways that Western LGBTQ+ identities cannot be imposed on other contexts uncritically, and to consider how global activism can complicate efforts in different localities, render certain identities vulnerable, or participate in neocolonialist forms of pinkwashing. Queer activism that is truly global and sensitive to cultural difference requires queering activist practices themselves, and creating equal partnerships rather than top-down approaches to spreading LGBTQ+ rights.

Sociology Seminar Descriptions

SOCL 365 Illness Narratives

This course examines first-person accounts of living with various illnesses, including the subjective experiences of illnesses that are mental/physical, acute/chronic, curable/fatal and age-related. Comparisons will be made across both historical and cultural contexts to highlight the socially constructed nature of health and aging. The class will engage the role of labeling theory, postmodern conceptions of health, and differences according to race, class, gender, sexual orientation and age.

SOCL 375 End of Life

This is a student-led seminar in the sociology of death and dying. During the first few weeks of the term, readings will offer a broad overview of what it is like to die and care for people who are dying in the contemporary United States. After a brief introduction to how sociologists approach and understand this landscape, students will participate in the selection of topics and readings. For the remainder of the term, students will learn and educate one another about the lines of inquiry in this subfield that interest them the most.

Seminar Permission Form

Department seminar courses require permission to enroll. Complete the [online permission form](#) by noon on April 5. It is available only online and can be found on the [department's seminar page](#). Students will be notified by e-mail of their status for enrolling in a seminar and issued a permission number

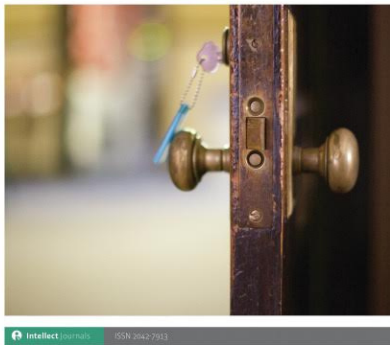


Announcements & Events

Professor Germann Molz is pleased to announce that Hospitality & Society, the journal she has co-edited for the past decade, is celebrating its ten-year anniversary with a special issue marking this important milestone coming out in March, 2022. You can visit the journal's website here: <https://www.intellectbooks.com/hospitality-society>



Hospitality & Society



Join Professor Campbell for the opening reception of new art exhibition, "Art of the Soul."

March 19- April 2, 2022

Location: The Worcester PopUp at the JMAC
20B Franklin Street, Worcester, MA 01608

Please join us on Saturday, March 19th from 12:00- 3:00pm.

"Art of the Soul," created by members of Everyday Miracles Peer Recovery Support Center in collaboration with Professor Emily Campbell (Sociology) and Professor Víctor Pacheco (Visual Art) of College of the Holy Cross, features a series of photography and collage. In the works, members explore a range of themes including identity, beauty, vulnerability and transcendence. In a time characterized by uncertainty, their works celebrate the joy of new beginnings and hope for the future.

Everyday Miracles Peer Recovery Support Center is a member-run community center for people recovering from addiction. Situated in downtown Worcester, Massachusetts, the center is open to the public and serves on average 100 people a day. This project was made possible in part through the generous support of the Greater Worcester Community Foundation.

Study Abroad

The department's study abroad advisor is Professor Jennie Germann Molz (jmolz@holycross.edu). Please contact her with any questions about how you can incorporate a study abroad experience – including semester, academic year, or Maymester programs -- into your sociology major or your anthropology major or minor. She will be hosting a zoom info session for current and prospective Sociology majors and Anthropology majors and minors on Thursday, April 21 from 3-4pm. If you would like to attend, please rsvp to jmolz@holycross.edu and Professor Germann Molz will send you the link!



Upcoming Dates

April 27th: Academic Conference

May 26th: Baccalaureate Mass

May 27th: Commencement



Selected New Faculty Publications

Articles & Chapters

Dixon, Jeffrey C. 2022. "Where are the Neoliberals? Examining Economic Freedom, Perceived Freedom and Free Market Values." *Comparative Sociology* 21(1): 142-197.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2022. "Violent and Nonviolent Conflict" in *Encyclopedia of Violence-Peace-Conflict*, edited by Lester Kurtz, 3rd Edition, Elsevier.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina and Renée Remsberg. 2021. "Women, Peacebuilding, and the 'Invisible Hand' of Conflict in Post-War Liberia" *The Journal of Social Encounters Special Issue: Women and Peacebuilding*, Ronald J. Pagnucco, ed., August.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "Circles of Threat and Spheres of Power: Reflections on Women's Nonviolent Activism" in *Women and Nonviolence in the 20th and 21st Centuries*, edited by Anna Hamling. Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "Marginalization and Mobilizing Power in Nonviolent Social Movements" *Research in Social Movements, Conflicts, and Change* Vol. 44: 91-115.

Gallo-Cruz, Selina. 2021. "Films at the Fault Line of 'Deep' and 'Bright' Greens in the Environmental Movement" *International Sociology Reviews* 36(5): 745-756.

Urmila Mohan and **Susan Rodgers**, 2021, co-editors of Special Issue of *Museum Anthropology*, fall 2021.vol. 44 (no. 1-2), "Classification Systems Gone Awry." pp. 1- 78.

Urmila Mohan and **Susan Rodgers**, "Introduction: Classification Systems Gone Awry," *Museum Anthropology*, fall 2021, 44 (nos. 1-2), pp.. 4 - 10

Susan Rodgers, "'Refugee Love' in a College Art Gallery: Refugee Crafts in the American Political Imaginary, 2017," *Museum Anthropology*, vol. 44, fall 2021, nos. 1-2, pp. 24-37

Books

Dixon, Jeffrey C., Royce A. Singleton, Jr., & Bruce C. Straits. 2023 [published in 2022]. *The Process of Social Research*, 3rd Edition. Oxford University Press.

Jones, Ellis. 2022. *The Better World Shopping Guide: Every Dollar Makes a Difference*. New Society Publishers, 7th Edition.



COLLEGE OF THE
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Academic Conference
Wednesday, April 27, 2022

**ANTH 310 Ethnographic Field
Methods**

Moderator: Ann Marie Leshkowich

Carolyn Fisk '24, Libby McBride '22, Freeman Mejia '23,
Lily Smith '24

Formation and Communication of Identity Through
Fashion at Holy Cross

Jada Brenon '22, Josephine Phina Kalondji '23, Connie
Perez '24, Tara Phillips '23

COVID-19 and the Social Aspects of Food
Production/Consumption on Campus

Melissa Ayala '23, Lizzie Baker '24, Sophia King '23,
Quinn Moore '22

The Complex Interactions Between College Dining and
Social Identity

SOCL 490 & ANTH 490 Honors Colloquium
Moderator: Renee Beard

Faires, Avery '22. "How Prison Systems Can Better Aid
People with Substance Use Disorders."

Brianna Cummings, 2021, "Jim Crow Junior": American
Foster Care and the Legacy of Enslavement for Black
Children in Massachusetts and Georgia

Christine Dapaah-Afriyie, 2021, "Ensuring Collective
Memory: Sexual Assault on the Hill"

Claire D'Attoma, 2021, "Third Culture Parenting"

Kathryn Hauver, 2021, "The Emotion Work of Hospice
Volunteers"

Ellen Rogers, 2021, "Family Life During COVID-19"

Aidan Ruppert, 2021, "Music, Status, & Society: An
Inquiry into Sociomusicology"

Thuy Nguyen, 2021, "Hospice Narratives and End-of-Life
Lessons"

