

Goals/Objectives for Students in the Social Sciences Major Program

- conduct social science research
- think analytically about social phenomena
- understand and apply social science theories, concepts, and categories
- read and analyze works dealing with social science issues
- write a clear, concise, and organized paper
- give a clear, concise, and organized oral presentation
- demonstrate knowledge of one of the Social Science Program's emphases
- understand and evaluate qualitative and quantitative evidence related to social issues
- demonstrate a knowledge of the history and theory of social thought
- demonstrate a knowledge of major periods and trends of society
- demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of multicultural perspectives
- comprehend the social origins and value of the diversity of human behavior