Social & Behavioral Sciences

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The Social & Behavioral Sciences Department (SBS) is comprised of the Criminal Justice Program, the Psychology Program, the Sociology Program, and courses in Anthropology, and Social Work. The overarching focus of the SBS Department is to foster understanding of humans and societies. Students are provided opportunities to learn through traditional coursework, internships, and research. The strength of the SBS Department is the emphasis on developing critical thinking, the search for knowledge by means of scientific methods and research, integration of a variety of theoretical perspectives, and promoting a lifetime pursuit of knowledge and understanding. Some courses in the Social and Behavioral Sciences fulfill the General Education Social and Behavioral Sciences and Global and Cultural Perspectives requirements for all students. Coursework in the Social and Behavioral Sciences also fulfills the prerequisites and requirements for students planning to pursue careers in medical and health sciences.

Degrees, Minors & Certificates

Criminal Justice (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/criminaljustice)
• Bachelor of Arts/Science in Criminal Justice - Criminology Emphasis (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/criminaljustice/bachelor_of_arts_science_in_criminal_justice__criminology_emphasis)
• Bachelor of Arts/Science in Criminal Justice - Digital Forensics Emphasis (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/criminaljustice/bachelor_of_arts_science_in_criminal_justice__emphasis_in_digitial_forensics_)
• Bachelor of Arts/Science in Integrated Studies - Criminal Justice Emphasis (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/interdisciplinaryartsandsciences/bachelor_of_science bachelor_of_arts_in_integrated_studies__criminal_justice_emphasis)
• Associate of Science in Criminal Justice (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/criminaljustice/associate_of_science_in_criminal_justice)
• Certificate of Completion in Computer Forensics (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/criminaljustice/certificate_of_completion_in_computer_forensics)
• Certificate of Proficiency in Digital Forensics Basics (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/criminaljustice/certificate_in_proficiency_in_digital_forensics basics)
• Minor in Criminology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/minor_in_criminology)
• Minor in Digital Forensics (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/minor_in_digital_forensics)
• Minor in Social Justice (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/minor_in_social_justice)

Psychology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/psychology)
• Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/psychology/bachelor_of_arts_in_psychology)
• Bachelor of Science in Psychology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/psychology/bachelor_of_science_in_psychology)
• Bachelor of Arts/Science in Integrated Studies - Psychology Emphasis (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/psychology/bachelor_of_science bachelor_of_arts_in_integrated_studies__psychology_emphasis)
• Minor in Health Psychology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/minor_in_health_pyschology)
• Minor in Psychology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/minor_in_psychology)
Sociology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/sociology)

- Bachelor of Arts/Science in Applied Sociology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/sociology/bachelor_of_artsscience_in_applied_sociology)
- Bachelor of Arts/Sciences in Integrated Studies - Sociology Emphasis (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/interdisciplinaryartsandsciences/bachelor_of_sciencebachelor_of_arts_in_integrated_studies___sociology_emphasis)
- Minor in Sociology (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/sociology/minor_in_sociology)