

Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences



SOC 2M1 Master en sociologie et anthropologie (Master of Sociology and Anthropology)



Programme management

POLS Département des sciences politiques et sociales

Study objectives

The programme aims to complete existing studies in the second cycle by means of a short (one year) second cycle course in Anthropology and Sociology. This short course adequately completes studies accomplished in Journalism, Political Sciences, Economics, Law, Sciences, Philosophy or in other subjects. In all cases, it helps the students open their mind to rigorous reflection on the social and cultural phenomena that characterise contemporary societies. In this course, countless graduates find a fine complement of humanity and rigour.

The programme gives the student insight into basic theoretical content in the two subjects (Sociology and Anthropology) : the fundamental concepts and the history of the concepts are taught on the core syllabus. In the "options" part of the course, the programme objective is to allow the student access to specialised lectures in one or another of the two subjects. Finally, the programme provides for a rigorous initiation into the methods of one of the two subjects, together with the application thereof, via an operational seminar on Sociology or Anthropology. The training programme is crowned by the writing of an end of course thesis with the help of an experienced researcher.

Admission conditions

The Master of Sociology and Anthropology is a one year programme, accessible to university graduates (from the programme which prevailed before the beginning of the academic year 2004-2005) or to students from long training programmes from Institutes of Further Education who wish to acquire a short training in Sociology or in Anthropology.

The programme may be requested to be spread over two years for special reasons.

For those students who did not follow the basic programme in Sociology or Anthropology during their previous studies, possible prerequisites may be added to the master's course.

Admission procedures

The regular conditions and admission procedures are specified on the WEB page " Access to studies" :

<http://www.ucl.ac.be/etudes/libres/acces.html>

Applications for admission or complementary information must be addressed to the Secretary for Academic Studies of the Department of Political and Social Sciences.

General structure of the programme

The programme comprises 60 credits and is composed of :

- a core syllabus (45 credits) consisting of :

- a cluster of sociology and anthropology courses, called "foundation studies" (24 credits);
- a seminar and end of course thesis (21 credits).

- an ensemble of lectures and seminars, corresponding either to an option in Sociology, or an option in Anthropology, for a sum total equivalent to 15 credits.

The regulations for apprenticeships stipulated for the undergraduate programme in Sociology, also apply to this programme.

Programme content

Foundation courses : 24 credits to be chosen from among the following courses :

<u>ANTR3100</u>	Foundations of anthropology[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Pierre-Joseph Laurent
<u>ANTR3103</u>	Séminaire d'anthropologie prospective[30h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Pierre-Joseph Laurent, Olivier Servais, Michael Singleton (supplée Pierre-Joseph Laurent)
<u>ANTR3106</u>	Anthropology of symbolic systems and values[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Pierre Hiernaux, Olivier Servais

<u>DVLP3136</u>	Anthropologie du développement et environnement[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Pierre-Joseph Laurent
<u>SOC2131</u>	In-depth analysis of a sociology writer[15h] (2 credits) (in French)	Bernard Francq
<u>SOC2132</u>	Analysis of the social system: structures and power[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Luc Van Campenhoudt
<u>SOC2139</u>	History and taxonomy of sociological theories[45h] (5 credits) (in French)	Felice Dassetto
<u>SOC2222</u>	Socio anthropology of economic practices[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Christian Arnsperger, Thomas Perilleux
<u>SOC2226</u>	Chaire Jacques Leclercq I[15h] (2 credits) (in French)	Diane-Gabrielle Tremblay
<u>SOC2227</u>	Chaire Jacques Leclercq II[15h] (2 credits) (in French)	Antimo Luigi Farro
<u>SOC2228</u>	Chaire Jacques Leclercq III[15h] (2 credits) (in French)	Danielle Juteau
<u>SOC2229</u>	Chaire Jacques Leclercq IV[15h] (2 credits) (in French)	Giorgio Blundo
<u>SOC2444</u>	Symbolic systems and religion: genesis and structure[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Pierre Hiernaux

Options (15 credits)**Anthropological option : 15 credits to be chosen from among the following courses :**

<u>ANTR3105</u>	Anthropologie culturelle : questions approfondies[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Robert Deliège
<u>ANTR3107</u>	Anthropologie des systèmes symboliques : fondement[15h] (6 credits) (in French)	Olivier Servais
<u>COMU2202</u>	ANTHROPOSOCIOLOGY OF INFORMATION AND AUDIENCE RECEPTION[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Gérard Derèze, Benoît Grevisse
<u>DVLP3120</u>	Development policies[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Frédéric Lapeyre
<u>DVLP3135</u>	The issue of the environment in relation to the integrated approach to projects and development programmes[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Etienne Verhaegen
<u>DVLP3144</u>	Analyse socio-politique de l'Afrique[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	N.
<u>DVLP3154</u>	Socio-political analysis of Latin America[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Isabel Yépez Del Castillo
<u>DVLP3160</u>	Socio-political analysis of the Arab world[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Bichara Khader
<u>FILO2310</u>	Advanced studies in Cultural Anthropology[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Nathalie Frogneux
<u>HIST2520</u>	History of European overseas expansion[30h] (3 credits) (in French)	Michel Dumoulin, Paul Servais
<u>SEX2220</u>	Cultural and anthropological aspects of family and sexuality[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Robert Deliège
<u>SOC2137</u>	Methods of qualitative analysis in sociology 1: structural method[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Jean-Pierre Hiernaux
<u>SOC2138</u>	Methods of qualitative analysis in sociology II: epistemology and methodology[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Marie Verhoeven
<u>SOC2442</u>	Political anthropology: the institution and transformation of groups[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Pierre-Joseph Laurent
<u>SOC2445</u>	The socio-anthropology of present-day Islam[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Felice Dassetto
<u>SOC2447</u>	Socio-anthropology of knowledge, sciences and technology[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Felice Dassetto
<u>SC2004</u>	Evolution et hominisation[15h] (3 credits) (in French)	Marie-Claire Van Dyck

Sociological option : 15 credits to be chosen from among the following courses :

<u>DVLP3120</u>	Development policies[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Frédéric Lapeyre
<u>DVLP3135</u>	The issue of the environment in relation to the integrated approach to projects and development programmes[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Etienne Verhaegen
<u>DVLP3154</u>	Socio-political analysis of Latin America[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Isabel Yépez Del Castillo
<u>DVLP3160</u>	Socio-political analysis of the Arab world[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Bichara Khader
<u>DVLP3144</u>	Analyse socio-politique de l'Afrique[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	N.

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<u>HIST2520</u>	History of European overseas expansion[30h] (3 credits) ⊕ (in French)	Michel Dumoulin, Paul Servais
<u>SOC2136</u>	Methods of quantitative analysis in sociology[45h] (6 credits) (in French)	Bruno Schoumaker
<u>SOC2137</u>	Methods of qualitative analysis in sociology 1: structural method[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Jean-Pierre Hiernaux
<u>SOC2138</u>	Methods of qualitative analysis in sociology II: epistemology and methodology[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Marie Verhoeven
<u>SOC2224</u>	The sociology of organisations and organised action[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Christian Maroy
<u>SOC2223</u>	Sociology of culture[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Georges Liénard
<u>SOC2426</u>	Education sociology: diagnoses and policies[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Emile Charlier
<u>SOC2430</u>	Urban and rural sociology[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Bernard Francq
<u>SOC2431</u>	Sociology of religion[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Jean-Pierre Hiernaux
<u>SOC2434</u>	Sociology of the family[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Jacques Marquet
<u>SOC2445</u>	The socio-anthropology of present-day Islam[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Felice Dassetto
<u>SOC2447</u>	Socio-anthropology of knowledge, sciences and technology[30h] (3.5 credits) (in French)	Felice Dassetto
<u>SOC2448</u>	The sociology of technological issues[30h] (3.5 credits) ⊕ (in French)	Philippe Baret, Felice Dassetto
<u>TRAV2212</u>	Sociology of work[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Matthieu de Nanteuil-Miribel, Bernard Francq
<u>TRAV2213</u>	Sociology of social movements[30h] (4 credits) (in French)	Jean-Marie Lacrosse
<u>TRAV2312</u>	Comparative training and employment systems[45h] (6 credits) (in French)	Christian Maroy, Béatrice Van Haepelen

Seminar, field work and end of course thesis (24 credits)

Anthropological option

The end of course thesis counts for 16.5 credits. It consists of around fifty pages and is based on practice on the field. It is worked on in the context of the seminar chosen by the student (4.5 credits) and is written under the direction of a lecturer or an anthropological researcher.

One course from among :

<u>ANTR3101</u>	Method 1: Anthropological approaches, the field and the production of data[15h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Alain Reyniers
<u>ANTR3102</u>	Method II: Anthropological practices, interpretation and writing[15h] (4.5 credits) (in French)	Alain Reyniers

Sociological option

The end of course thesis counts for 15 credits. It consists of around fifty pages. It must revolve around an empirical approach and a theoretical approach. It is positioned in the continuity of the sociological research chosen by the student (6 credits). It is written under the direction of a lecturer or an ANSO researcher.

One course from among

<u>SOC2460</u>	Sociology research seminar I[60h] (6 credits) (in French)	Daniel Bodson, Luc Van Campenhoudt
<u>SOC2461</u>	Sociology research seminar II[60h] (6 credits) (in French)	Jacques Marquet