Academic Year 2021/22

MA and PG Diploma Sociology

Code: 4105 F/P – MA 3423 F/P – PG Dip

Notes

- (i) These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.
- (ii) A core module is a module which a student must pass.
- (iii) A compulsory module is a module which a student must take.
- (iv) All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or Distance learning.

1. Programme structure

- (a) The programmes are available for study in both full-time and part-time modes.
- (b) The period of study for full-time mode shall be 1 year for Masters and eight months for Diploma starting in September. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 2 years starting in September. Part-time module choices can be discussed with the DPD with reference to the MA Degree Handbook.
- (c) The Masters programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180. The Diploma programme comprises modules to a credit value of 120 and excludes SOC8096
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

Code	Descriptive title	Total	Credits	Credits	Credits	Level	Туре
		Credits	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3		
SOC8034	Social Divisions and Inequality	10		10		7	
SOC8044	Being, Belonging and Identity	10	10			7	
SOC8046	Cities, Economies, Cultures	10	10			7	
SOC8051	The Sociology of Technology:	10	10			7	
	Materialities and Agency						
HSS8007	An Introduction to The Nature of	10	10			7	
	Explanation and Enquiry						

(e) All candidates must take one of the following combinations of optional modules:

Code	Descriptive title	Total	Credits	Credits	Credits	Level	Туре
		Credits	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3		
EITHER							
HSS8001	Thinking About Research	10	10			7	
HSS8003	Dissertation Preparation	10	10			7	
OR							
MCH8058	Methodologies: Researching	20		20		7	
	Media, Culture and Society						

(f) Masters candidates shall take the following compulsory module:

Code	Descriptive title	Total	Credits	Credits	Credits	Level	Туре
		Credits	Sem 1	Sem 2	Sem 3		
SOC8096	Dissertation	60			60	7	

(g) All candidates shall take **further optional modules** to a value of 50 credits from the following:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Туре
HSC8047	Public Policy, Health and Health Inequalities	10	10			7	
HSS8004	Qualitative Methodology in the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences	20		20		7	
HSS8005	Introduction to Quantitative Methods	20		20		7	
POL8039	Global Justice and Human Rights	20		20		7	
SOC8048	Visual Sociologies	10		10		7	
SOC8050	Migration, Mobilities, and Inequalities	10		10		7	

2. Assessment methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the module outline.

3. Progress

Before proceeding from stage 1 to stage 2 a part-time candidate must satisfy the examiners in the assessment specified for each module of that stage.