Academic Year 2023/24

MA Sociology and Social Research

Code: 4027 F/P

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 is required to study.*
(iv)	*All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*

1.   Programme structure

(a)   The programme is available for study in both full-time and part-time modes.

(b)   The period of study for full-time mode shall be one year starting in September. The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be two years starting in September. Part-time module choices can be discussed with the DPD with reference to the MA Degree Handbook

(c)   The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 180.

(d)   All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type
HSS8001	Thinking About Research	10	10			7	
HSS8002	Information Skills	10	10			7	
HSS8003	Dissertation Preparation	10	10			7	
HSS8004	Qualitative Methodology in the Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences	20		20		7	
HSS8005	Quantitative Analysis	20		20		7	
SOC8006	Perpetual Wars? Crime, Policing and (in)Security	10	10			7	
SOC8034	Social Divisions and Inequality	10		10		7	
SOC8044	Being, Belonging and Identity	10	10			7	
SOC8053	Gender, Violence and Social Change	10		10		7	
SOC8096	Dissertation	60			60	7	

(e)   All candidates shall take further optional modules to a credit value of 10 from the following list. Candidates are required to consult with the Degree Programme Director with respect to their choice of modules.

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Credits Sem 1	Credits Sem 2	Credits Sem 3	Level	Type
SOC8049	The Representation of Culture: Debates about Ethnography in Anthropology	10	10			7	
SOC8066	Critical Approaches to Environment and Society	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.