### Social Sciences MINORS (2019-2020)

For more info on these minors, prerequisites & course descriptions, please refer to the current JU Academic Catalog

**Criminal Justice**

SOC 305 Criminology 3 hours

**Plus four (4) courses** 12

- GEOG 350TI Geographic Info Systems
- POL 309 Courts & the Constitution
- SOC 331 Women and Crime
- SOC 332 Media and Crime
- SOC 333 Substance Abuse & Behavior
- SOC 380 Juvenile Delinquency
- SOC 430 Social Deviance
- SOC 435 Organized Crime
- SOC 445 Conflict and Nonviolence

**Total: 15 hours**

*Note: Sociology (SOC) credit received for the above courses may not count towards both the sociology major/minor and the criminal justice minor. Credit may be applied to the Sociology major/minor OR the Criminal Justice minor.*

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**Geographic Information Systems (GIS)**

- GEOG 200 World Geography 3 hours
- GEOG 350TI Geographic Info Systems 3
- GEOG 455 Adv Geographic Info Systems 3
- GEOG 490 Internship 3
- CS 360 Database Design & Developm’t 3

**Total: 15 hours**

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**Geography**

- GEOG 200 World Geography 3 hours
- Any 4 additional GEOG courses 12

**Total: 15 hours**

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**History**

HIST 150 The Modern World 3 hours

**HIST xxx Additional 12 credit hours of history courses; at least 9 credit hours 300-400 level**

**Total: 15 hours**

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**International Studies**

- GEOG 200 World Geography 3 hours
- POL 208 International Politics 3

**Plus 4 International Studies courses selected from the following courses:**

- IS 300 Russia
- IS 301 Africa
- IS 302 East Asia
- IS 303 Middle East
- IS 304 The Caribbean
- IS 305 Special Topics
- IS 306 Mexico and Central America
- IS 320 Modern China
- IS 325 Southeast Asia
- IS 326 Vietnam
- IS 327 The Philippines
- IS 334 Australia
- IS 336 Canada
- IS 355 Argentina
- IS 356 Brazil
- IS 357 Cuba
- IS 358 Peru
- IS 361 Latin America
- IS 362 Ecuador

**Total: 18 hours**

*Note: ENGL 103, HIST 150 and sophomore status are prerequisites for all IS courses*

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**Political Science**

POL 205 American National Gov’t 3 hours

**POL xxx Additional 12 credit hours of political science courses; at least 9 credit hours at the 300-400 level**

**Total: 15 hours**
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**Total: 15 hours**

**SOCIOLOGY**

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[No more than three (3) credit hours of independent study credit (SOC 387, 388, 487, or 488) or SOC 490]

**Total: 15 hours**

How To Declare a Minor:

Students may declare a minor by completing the “Academic Change Request Form” and submitting it to the Advising Center office. Students are responsible for meeting the requirements listed in the Catalog for the particular minor. The Registrar’s Office will verify and record this achievement upon the student’s graduation. Minors are not required unless a particular degree program; e.g., a Bachelor of Fine Arts, so specifies. Minors must be selected from the same Catalog that is used for meeting major requirements.

FYI:

Earning a minor in a particular subject area is a great way to complement your major area, as well as give some focus and direction in choosing your elective courses. Minors may be earned in almost every major area offered at JU. There are even some minors available in areas where no major exists; e.g., criminal justice, international studies, religion, etc. Most minors require about 15-18 hours. **Students electing to pursue the requirements of a minor must attain at least a “C” (2.0) average in all the courses required of the minor and at least six credit hours of the minor must be completed at JU**