

Fall 2022 – URBAN AND COMMUNITY STUDIES COURSE OFFERINGS

As of 3/15/22

Please note, due to unforeseen circumstances course information may periodically change. We will make every attempt to notify you via Soapbox when we become aware of any significant changes to our course offerings in the major. The schedule will be maintained on our website, including any updated changes as they arise. Please visit www.urban.uconn.edu, and then click on the “Degree Information” tab located at the top of our homepage, then click the “Course Schedules” tab. Once you are on our Course Information page, click on the Fall 2022 semester link.

Course offerings for the various campuses are always available in the Student Admin System at <http://studentadmin.uconn.edu/>. A Dynamic Search can be processed by clicking on the “Guest/View Courses” icon located near the lower half of the page. Summer 2022 offering listed on last page.

Key: **Writing courses (W) are noted in red.** **Environmental Literacy courses (E) are noted in green.** **Courses that are offered online or via distance learning.**
Courses recently added to the major will appear with a bolded note “New to major” below course number. These courses will appear in the major in Catalog Year 22/23.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
The City in the Western Tradition	GEOG/URBN 1200	Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Ross-Reynolds	Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Michimi			
Exploring Your Community	URBN 1300		M/W/F 10:10am – 11:00am Donegan <i>(Hybrid)</i> W 6:00pm – 8:30pm Cuadrado Tu 5:15pm – 7:45pm Agliano	M 3:35pm - 6:05pm Staff <i>(Hybrid)</i>		Time TBD Staff
Exploring Your Community	URBN 1300W	M 4:00pm – 6:30pm Agliano				

GROUP I – REQUIRED CORE COURSE

All UCS majors must take either URBN 2000 or URBN 2000W

Students who declared on or after academic year 2014/2015 must also take URBN 4000 or enroll in the Urban Semester Program in order to graduate.

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Introduction to Urban Studies	URBN 2000	M/W 9:05am – 9:55am Birge-Liberman <i>(Hybrid)</i>	M/W/F 11:15am – 12:05pm Donegan <i>(Hybrid)</i> W 3:35pm – 6:05pm Maddern	M 6:30pm to 9:00pm Staff <i>(Hybrid)</i>		
Understanding Your Community	URBN 4000	URBN 4000 will be offered in Spring 2023 on the Storrs campus. If you are seeking to graduate in December 2022 and still need to completed Group I (Required Core) requirements in the fall, please reach out to your UCS faculty advisor.				

GROUP II - CORES

Three of the following with no more than one per department:
(Cross-listed courses count towards the non-URBN department)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Economics of Poverty	ECON 2456	M/W/F 10:10am – 11:00am Ross				
Globalization	GEOG 2000		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Zhang			
Introduction to Sustainable Cities	GEOG 2400E		M/W/F 2:30pm – 3:20pm Donegan (Hybrid) (Some seats reserved for URBN majors)			
Urban Geography	GEOG/URBN 3200	M/W 11:15am – 12:05pm Birge-Liberman (Hybrid)				
History of Latinos/as in the US	HIST 3674/LLAS 3220		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Amador			
Urban Politics	POLS/URBN 3632W		Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Maddern (Open to only POLS and URBN majors)			
Social Policy	PP 4034		W 5:00pm – 7:30pm Barrett			
Urban Sociology	SOCI/URBN 2901W (Formerly SOCI 3901W, URBN 3901W and URBN 3275W)	Th 4:00pm – 6:30pm Swartzman Amarone (Distance Learning – Hartford Listing) (Some seats reserved for URBN and SOCI majors)				

GROUP III – METHODS COURSES LISTED ON THE NEXT PAGE

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One of the following:

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Intro to Geographic Information Systems	GEOG/CE 2500		Online Lecture + Lab in person various days/times Burnicki/Adams			
Quantitative Analysis in Political Science	POLS 2072Q		M 6:30pm – 9:00pm Kwak			Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Lupton
			M/W/F 9:05am – 9:55am Scruggs (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Methods of Social Research	SOCI 3201	Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Price-Glynn	Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Wright (Most seats reserved for SOCI majors)			
			Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Cheng (Most seats reserved for SOCI majors)			
Introduction to Statistics II	STAT 2215Q		Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Kouzehkanani (Some seats reserved for Math/Stat/SLHS majors)			
			Tu/Th 3:30pm – 4:45pm Kouzehkanani (Some seats reserved for Math/Stat/SLHS majors)			

GROUP IV – SUPPORTING

Students who declared prior to 2014/2015 – Must take three additional courses selected from group II, group III or the following list:

Students who declared as of 2014/2015 or later – Must take two additional courses selected from group II, group III or the following list:

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Public Finance	ECON 3431		M/W/F 11:15am – 12:05pm Segerson			
Introduction to Sport Based Youth Development	EDLR 3547		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Evanovich (Some seats reserved for Sports Management Majors. Contact UCS advisor if you wish to enroll in this course)			

GROUP IV – SUPPORTING (CONTINUED)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Introduction to Sport Based Youth Development	EDLR 3547W		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Evanovich (Most seats reserved for Sports Management Majors)			
Asian American Experience Since 1850	HIST/AAAS 2530 (Formerly HIST 3530/AASI 3578)		M/W/F 10:10am – 11:00am Chang			
History of Urban Latin America	HIST/URBN 2650	Tu/Th 12:30pm - 1:45pm Salcedo Ortiz				
Crime, Policing, and Punishment in US	HIST 2810	M/W/F 1:25pm - 2:15pm Newport (Hybrid)				
African American History to 1865	HIST/AFRA/HRTS 3563		Tu/Th 12:30pm - 1:45pm Gabriel			
Diversity Issues in Human Dev. & Family Studies	HDFS 2001	Tu 4:00pm – 6:30pm Brenick (Distance Learning – Hartford Listing) (Some seats reserved for Honors students)	M/W 10:10am – 11:00am + Discussion on various days Staff M/W 2:30pm – 3:45pm Staff	Th 3:30pm – 6:00pm Chapman (Some seats reserved for Honors students)	M/W 1:25pm – 2:40pm Lake	F 11:15am – 1:45pm Csizmadia
Social & Community Influence on Children in the US	HDFS 3110	Tu 6:45pm – 9:15pm LaRusso				
Planning & Managing Human Service Programs	HDFS 3510			Tu 3:30pm – 6:00pm Chapman		
Public Policy and the Family	HDFS 3530		Tu/Th 12:30pm - 1:45pm Staff (Most seats reserved for HDFS majors)			
Seminar in Urban Problems (Urban Semester)	INTD 3584	M 4:00pm – 6:30pm Pratt	M 6:00pm – 8:00pm Staff			
State and Local Government	POLS 2622			Th 3:30pm – 6:00pm Haque		Time TBD Staff
Globalization and Political Change	POLS 3406W		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Hertel			

GROUP IV – SUPPORTING (CONTINUED)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
African American Politics	POLS/AFRA 3642		M/W/F 1:25pm - 2:15pm Simien (Some seats reserved for POLS majors and minors)			
Latino Political Behavior	POLS 3662					Tu/Th 12:30pm - 1:45pm Ginsberg
Cases in Public Policy	PP 3020W		W 5:00pm – 7:30pm Kaye-Essien			
Criminology	SOCI 2301		Online – Storrs Listing McNeal			
Intro to Criminal Justice	SOCI 2310 <i>(Requires course substitution approval)</i>		Online – Storrs Listing McNeal			
Sociology of the Family	SOCI 2651		M/W/F 11:15am – 12:05pm Yorks			
Sociology of Sexuality	SOCI/WGSS 2680W <i>(Formerly SOCI/WGSS 3621)</i>		Tu/Th 12:30pm – 1:45pm Naples (Some seats reserved for SOCI majors)			
Society and Climate Change	SOCI 2709WE		Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Godfrey (Most seats reserved for SOCI majors)			
Sociology of Gender	SOCI 3601	Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Price-Glynn		Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Jackson		
City and Community Film	URBN 2400 AMST 2400 section -TBD		Tu/Th 12:30pm – 1:45pm Maddern			
Urban Parks and Sustainability	URBN 3400E New to major	M/W 2:30pm – 3:20pm Birge-Liberman <i>(Hybrid)</i>				
Internship in UCS or Urban Semester: Seminar	URBN 3981/3991 OR INTD 3594 (W)	Available by arrangement with consent of UCS instructor				

GROUP IV – SUPPORTING (CONTINUED)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Seminar in Urban Problems	INTD 3584	<p>The URBAN SEMESTER PROGRAM offers students a tremendous opportunity for service learning and public service. For over 50 years, students from diverse backgrounds have participated in the program, enabling them to assist Hartford in addressing its challenges. Nowhere in the United States are urban challenges greater than Hartford, Connecticut – a city full of both need and potential, struggle and hope, rich with diversity and urban culture, poignant in its contrasts between wealth and poverty.</p> <p>Students intern in human service agencies, government offices, and community and non-profit organizations. Urban Semester students involve themselves in issues facing the city from education, poverty, homelessness, youth issues, and crime, to the challenges of the changing economy. They intern in school-related programs, shelters, advocacy organizations, political offices, state and local government, and many other settings. Through two weekly seminars, they study and explore the issues in greater depth, taking part in thought-provoking discussions with community leaders and field trips into the city.</p> <p>*Contact the Urban Semester Program at phil.brige-liberman@uconn.edu for additional information. Available to students on all campuses.</p>				
Urban Semester Field Work Seminar	URBN 3594					
Urban Field Studies: Supervised Field Work (9 credits)	INTD 3590					
Foreign Study	URBN 3993	Available by arrangement with consent of UCS Director, Ken Foote.				
Senior Thesis	URBN 4497W	Available by arrangement with consent of UCS instructor				
Independent Study (With instructor consent)	URBN 4999	Available by arrangement with consent of UCS instructor				

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

Hartford Campus

ECON 2456 - Economics of Poverty (Ross): This course analyzes poverty in the United States examining the demographic and economic trends that have contributed to the changing patterns of poverty in the U.S., on the government programs intended to alleviate poverty, and on the changes in government policy over time.

HIST/URBN 2650 - History of Urban Latin America (Salcedo Ortiz): Nowadays, Latin America is deemed the most urbanized region in the world with over 80% of the population living in cities. Cities have been both centers of cultural, political, and economic power and social struggle, as well as sites of environmental change—"human ecosystem habitats" that in the process of urbanization have increasingly transformed their biosphere, surroundings, and more distant territories. This course is an introduction to the history of urban Latin America.

During this course, we will understand cities as social and environmental formations and will analyze the processes that have shaped urban Latin America. By looking at the material, geographic and architectural histories of cities like Mexico City, Buenos Aires, Bogota, Lima, Rio de Janeiro and Brasilia, we will explore the changing ideas, discourses and practices that have sought to define what is a "good city," as well as the social struggles for the city and the everyday lives of its inhabitants.

No previous coursework or knowledge is required but if you have any interests in specific topics or cities, this class will be a platform to support your exploration.

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS (CONTINUED)

Hartford Campus (Continued)

SOCI 3201 - Methods of Social Research (Price-Glynn): It is often said that statistics and generalizations are only as good as the studies that produce them. Just pick up a newspaper, turn on the television, or startup a computer and you'll find overwhelming amounts of information about historical trends and the behaviors of social groups. Frequently we do not know where this information comes from or how reliable it is. How can we distinguish good information from bad? One answer is to understand how research is produced. This course will focus on the central methods used by sociologists including surveys, interviews, observations, ethnography, content analysis, experiments, and applied research. We will lay a common foundation by evaluating the work of others. Students will also gain practical experience designing, and in some cases implementing, their own research through a series of in-class exercises and take home assignments.

SOCI 3601 - Sociology of Gender (Price-Glynn): Gendered is highly consequential for our social lives, not just through our embodied experiences, but through broader historical trends. This course explores sociological approaches to the study of gender, primarily in the U.S. Given the multidimensionality of gender, we will pay special attention to the intersections of gender and other facets of social organization including race, ethnicity, sexuality and class. Students will gain an understanding of overarching discursive and structural forces — historical, economic, social, and political — as well as the micro interactions of social actors that shape institutions, performances and understandings. Throughout this course we will examine how systems of gender inequality are reproduced, challenged and transformed.

URBN 3400E - Urban Parks and Sustainability (Birge-Liberman): Urban parks are critical inputs in the creation of sustainable cities. While urban nature has always figured centrally into city development, this relationship is not static, but instead shifts with differing urban capital accumulation strategies. This course will engage in both historical and contemporary analysis to explore a variety of park issues related to the social, ecological and economic sustainability of cities, such as: the racial politics of park advocacy, the changing social practices of park use, the privatization of public space, urban resilience and green infrastructure, and the relationship between parks, gentrification and urban sustainability

RELATED or ELECTIVE COURSES

All Liberal Arts majors must take a minimum of 12 credits related to their major.

Please note: UCS majors may take a course(s) listed above as a "Related" as long as the course(s) is not designated as URBN or is not cross-listed with URBN.

Below are just a few examples of courses UCS majors may want to consider as Related or Electives. **This is not an exhaustive list.** Related courses must be approved by your UCS faculty advisor.

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Real Estate Principles	FNCE 3230	Th 6:30pm – 9:00pm Michaud (Distance Learning – Hartford Listing) (Open only to regional business majors)	M/W 9:30am – 10:45am Cohen (Open only to business majors) W 5:00pm – 7:30pm Cover (Some seats reserved for business majors)	Th 6:30pm – 9:00pm Michaud (Distance Learning – Waterbury Listing) (Open only to regional business majors)		Th 6:30pm – 9:00pm Michaud (Distance Learning – Stamford Listing) (Open only to regional business majors)
Individual and Family Interventions	HDFS 3340		Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Tambling		M/W 3:35pm – 4:50pm Lake	
Latino Health and Health Care	HDFS 3442					W 6:20pm – 8:50pm Kalinowski

RELATED or ELECTIVE COURSES (CONTINUED)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
The Common Shared Landscape of the USA: Rights, Responsibilities and Values	LAND 2210E	Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Miniutti	M/W/F 9:05am – 9:55am Miniutti			
The Historian’s Craft	HIST 2100		W 9:05am – 11:35am Simpson			Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Rusoff
			M/W/F 11:15am – 12:05pm Maruyama			
Modern Political Theory	POLS 3012	M 4:00pm – 6:30pm Waddell	Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Morrell			
Comparative Social Policy	POLS 3214		M/W/F 11:15am – 12:05pm Scruggs (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Electoral Behavior	POLS 3612	Tu 4:00pm – 6:30pm Waddell	Tu/Th 2:00pm – 3:15pm Best			Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Ginsberg
Constitutional Law	POLS 3802		M/W/F 9:05am – 9:55am Bergendahl (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Constitutional Rights and Liberties	POLS 3807		Tu/Th 8:00am – 9:15am Hettinger (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Judiciary in the Political Process	POLS 3812		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Hettinger (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Law and Society	POLS 3817		M/W/F 11:15am – 12:05pm Bergendahl (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Law and Popular Culture	POLS 3822		Tu/Th 12:30pm – 1:45pm Dudas (Some seats reserved for POLS majors)			
Politics of Crime and Justice	POLS 3827		Tu/Th 12:30pm – 1:45pm Kelly (Most seats reserved for POLS majors)			

RELATED or ELECTIVE COURSES (CONTINUED)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Abnormal Psychology	PSYC 2300	Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Boudreau	Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Cruess (Seats reserved for PSYC majors and minors)		M/W 1:25pm – 2:40pm Kleinman	Tu/Th 9:30am – 10:45am Ryan
			M 4:40pm – 7:10pm Staff (Seats reserved for PSYC majors and minors)			
			M/W 6:15pm – 7:30pm Staff (Seats reserved for PSYC majors and minors)			
Public Policy Issues: Administrative Functions of Local Government	PP 3098/5363	M 6:30pm – 9:00pm Hart				
Theory and Management of Public Organizations	PP 5361	M 4:00pm – 6:30pm Zhang (Open only to MPA and MPP majors)				
		M 4:00pm – 6:30pm Staff (Open only to MPA and MPP majors)				
Public Finance and Budgeting	PP 5364	Sa 8:30am – 5:00pm Potamianos (Open only to MPA Fellows)	Online – Storrs Listing Robbins (Open only to Public Policy Fast Track students)			
Human Resource Management	PP 5365	Sa 8:30am – 5:00pm Davis (Open only to MPA Fellows)				
Applied Research Design	PP 5370	W 4:00pm – 6:30pm Kim (Open only to MPA and MPP majors)	M 5:00pm – 7:30pm Simonsen (Open only to MPA and MPP majors and Public Policy Fast Track students)			
		W 4:00pm – 6:30pm Yu (Open only to MPA and MPP majors)				
Sociology of Mental Illness	SOCI 2280 <i>(Formerly SOCI 3457)</i>		Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Talbert/Greene			
Deviant Behavior	SOCI 2305 <i>(Formerly SOCI 3311)</i>					F 1:25pm – 3:55pm Bloch
Social Intolerance & Injustice	SOCI 2501				M/W 5:45pm – 7:00pm Breslin	Tu/Th 11:00am – 12:15pm Semaan (Some seats reserved for Honors students)

RELATED or ELECTIVE COURSES (CONTINUED)

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
White Racism	SOCI 2520 <i>(Formerly SOCI 3505)</i>		Tu/Th 11:00am - 12:15pm Cazenave			
Sociology of Health	SOCI 2660 <i>(Formerly SOCI 3451)</i>	Tu 4:00pm - 6:30pm Wu				
Class, Power and Inequality	SOCI 2830 <i>(Formerly SOCI 3421)</i>		Tu/Th 12:30pm - 1:45pm Fischer			Tu/Th 12:30pm - 1:45pm Bunyan
Social Theory	SOCI 3251		Tu/Th 9:30am - 10:45am Godfrey (Some seats reserved for SOCI majors)			
Social Theory	SOCI 3251W		M/W/F 9:05am - 9:55am Holzer (Some seats reserved for SOCI majors)			
Women and Health	SOCI 3453		Tu/Th 11:00am - 12:15pm Pryma			

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SUMMER 2022 COURSES – For additional course information visit the [Student Admin System](#).

Course Title	Course Number	Hartford	Storrs	Waterbury	Avery	Stamford
Exploring Your Community	URBN 1300W	Online - Sections offered in Summer Session I and II.				
Site & Sound: Understanding Cities Through Music	URBN 1400	Online - Sections offered in Summer Session I and II.				
Introduction to Urban Studies	URBN 2000	Online - Section offered in Summer Session II.				
City and Community Film	URBN 2400/AMST 2400	Online - Section offered in May Term and Summer Session II.				
The City in the Western Tradition	GEOG 1200	Online - Sections offered in Summer Session I and II.				
Globalization	GEOG 2000	Online - Sections offered in May Term and Summer Session I and II.				
Sustainable Cities	GEOG 2400E	Online - Sections offered in May Term and Summer Session I and II.				
Quantitative Analysis in Political Science	POLS 2072Q	Online - Sections offered in May Term and Summer Session I and II.				
Introduction to Statistics II	STAT 2215Q	Online - Section offered in Summer Session II.				
Immigrants & the Shaping of American History	HIST 3554	Online - Section offered in Summer Session I.				
Hip-Hop, Politics, and Youth Culture in America	HIST 3568	Online - Section offered in May Term.				
Diversity Issues in Human Dev. & Family Studies	HDFS 2001	Online - Section offered in May Term and Summer Session II.				
Public Policy and the Family	HDFS 3530	Online - Section offered in Summer Session II.				
Qualitative Analysis in Political Science	POLS 2072Q	Online - Sections offered in May Term and Summer Session I and II.				
Environment and Climate Justice	POLS 3240E (New to Major)	Online - Sections offered in May Term and Summer Session II.				
Cases in Public Policy	PP 3020W	Online - Section offered in Summer Session I.				
Intro to Criminal Justice	SOCI 2310 (Course Substitution Required)	Online - Section offered in Summer Session I				
Society and Climate Change	SOCI 2709WE (New to Major)	Online - Section offered in Summer Session I.				
Ethnicity and Race	SOCI/AFRA 2501	Online - Section offered in Summer Session I.				
Intro. to Statistics II	STATS 2215Q	Online - Section offered in Summer Session II.				