

2024 - 2025 Major Map

Social and Cultural Analysis (Queer and Sexuality Studies), BA

School/College: New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences
ASSCAQSBA

Term 1 0 - 16 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⚠ ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ⚠ ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASU 101 or college-specific First-Year Seminar required of all first-year students. NEW 101 satisfies this requirement. IAS 300 (three credit hours) is required for all transfer students in New College. Select your Career Interest Community and play me3@ASU. Activate your Handshake account and build out your profile.
NEW 101: The ASU New College Experience OR IAS 300: Career Strategies and Personal Resilience (L or SB)	1-3		
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Mathematics (MATH) (MAT 142 recommended)	3	C	
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Elective			
Term hours subtotal:	16-18		
Term 2 16 - 32 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⚠ ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR ⚠ ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students may elect to take AMS 201, ETH 100, PAX 230, or WST 100 in Term 3 depending on course availability. For questions, speak with an academic advisor. Create a first draft resume. Join a student club or professional organization. Secure a part-time job or volunteer experience.
AMS 201: Introduction to American Studies (L & C) OR ETH 100: Ethnic and Indigenous Lives (GCSI OR SB & C) OR PAX 230: Introduction to Peace Studies (G) OR WST 100: Women, Gender, and Society (SOBE OR SB & C)	3	C	
Humanities, Arts and Design (HUAD)	3		
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4		
Elective	3		
Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	16		
Term 3 32 - 47 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
⚠ HRC 200: Introduction to Social and Cultural Analysis (CIVI OR SB & C)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop your research skills. Develop your professional skills. Interested in pre-professional pathways? Explore our pre-health and pre-law websites.
Global Communities, Societies and Individuals (GCSI)	3		
Quantitative Reasoning (QTRS)	3		
Complete 2 courses:	6		
Elective			
Complete AMS 201 OR ETH 100 OR PAX 230 OR WST 100 course(s).			
Complete Mathematics (MATH) requirement.			
Complete First-Year Composition requirement.			
Term hours subtotal:	15		
Term 4 47 - 60 Credit Hours Critical course signified by ⚠	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes

📌 Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration Course	3	C
Scientific Thinking in Natural Sciences (SCIT)	4	
Sustainability (SUST)	3	
Elective	3	
Term hours subtotal:	13	

- Explore an **internship**, **IGLE international experience**, or **ASU Study Abroad**.

Term 5 60 - 75 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
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★ HRC 310: Social and Cultural Analysis: Method and Theory (SOBE OR C)	3	C
Complete 2 courses:		
Upper Division Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration Course	6	C
American Institutions (AMIT)	3	
Elective	3	
Term hours subtotal:	15	

- Thinking about graduate school? Consider registering for a grad school **test prep course** and explore **accelerated masters degrees**.
- Develop your **professional online presence**.

Term 6 75 - 90 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
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★ Complete 2 courses:	6	C
Upper Division Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration Course		
Upper Division Global and Civic Engagement Requirement: satisfied through completion of 6 credits of upper-division courses with a Global Communities, Societies and Individuals (GCSI) or Governance and Civic Engagement (CIVI) designation, in addition to the courses used to meet the university General Studies requirements; or completion of 3 credits from an ASU-approved Global Education program. Adjustment to upper-division and elective hours is required if a lower-division Global Education course is used.	3	C
Complete 2 courses:	6-3	
Upper Division Elective		
Term hours subtotal:	15-12	

- Use Handshake to research **employment opportunities**.
- Complete an in person or virtual **practice interview**.

Term 7 90 - 108 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
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★ Upper Division Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration Course	3	C
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Upper Division Elective OR WST 484: Internship	3	
Complete 3 courses:	9	
Elective		
Term hours subtotal:	18	

- Gather **professional references**.

Term 8 108 - 120 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
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★ HRC 480: Capstone: Practices and Approaches (L)	3	C
Complete 2 courses:		
Upper Division Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration Course	6	C
Upper Division Elective	3	
Term hours subtotal:	12	

- Apply for **full-time career opportunities**.

- For the Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration requirement, choose 24 credit hours (eight courses) from the course list below; 21 credit hours must be upper division.
- If WST 100 is taken in Term 2, WST 100 and WST 300 may not be taken as Concentration Courses.

Hide Course List(s)/Track Group(s)

Queer and Sexuality Studies Concentration

AMS 276: U.S. Women's Movements (CIVI OR H & C) or WST 276: U.S. Women's Movements (CIVI OR H & C)

AMS 334: Class in America (SB) or ETH 333: Class in America (SB) or WST 334: Class in America (SB)

ENG 443: Gender, Culture and Literacy or WST 415: Gender, Culture and Literacy

ETH 433: Race and Sexualities in Social Justice Movements or WST 433: Race and Sexualities in Social Justice Movements

SWU 180: Introduction to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) Studies (CIVI OR SB & C)

WST 100: Women, Gender, and Society (SOBE OR SB & C) or WST 300: Women and Gender in Contemporary Society (SOBE OR SB & C)

WST 333: Critical Perspectives on Sexuality (SOBE OR SB)

WST 376: Feminist Theory (HUAD OR H & C)

WST 380: Race, Gender, and Class (SOBE OR SB & C)

WST 413: Queer Studies (HU & C)

WST 428: Gender, Madness and Justice (SB)

WST 444: Gender, Health, and Bodies (SB)

WST 449: Hate Speech, Manifestos, and Radical Writings (CIVI OR SB & C)

WST 457: Women, Cultures, and Societies (SB & G)

WST 469: Abject Bodies and the Politics of Trash (SB & C)

- **Total Hours:** 120
- **Upper Division Hours:** 45 minimum
- University Undergraduate Graduation Requirements

Notes:

Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2024 - 2025 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.