Intent to Register (ITR)

Is the opportunity for students to notify Western of their academic preferences for next year. ITR is mandatory for first year students.

Available on Student Centre from March 1 - March 31

You may submit or revise your ITR choice online until 11:59pm March 31.

The last submission will be your official ITR choice.
Who Should Submit an ITR?

• Mandatory for first year, undeclared or transfer students.

• Upper year students who want to make changes to a current module:
  o Add or remove a module,
  o Switch from a 3 to 4-year degree,
  o Change your full or part-time status
  o Change your home faculty/campus
  o Request entry into an honours module

Why is it Important?

• Some courses list an enrollment priority. Students in a Sociology Department module can enrol in Sociology courses before all other students.

• Undeclared students enrol in courses in late July/August.

Requisites and Constraints

ONLINE COURSE: PRIORITY TO YRS 2, 3 & 4 DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY MODULES AND SCHOLARS ELECTIVES ON MAIN CAMPUS. JULY 28 PRIORITY CHANGE: ACCESS TO SOCIAL SCIENCE STUDENTS. AUGUST 4 PRIORITY CHANGE: ACCESS TO ALL OTHER STUDENTS. WAIT LIST OPTION AVAILABLE.
Degree Options

3 Year Bachelor Degree (15.0)
- Double Minor (4.0 + 4.0)
- Major (6.0)

4 Year Bachelor Degree (20.0)
- Major (6.0)
- Major (6.0) + Minor (4.0)
- Specialization (9.0)
- Double Major (11.0 or 12.0)

4 Year Honours Bachelor Degree (20.0)
- Honours Specialization (9.0)
- Honours Double Major (11.0 or 12.0)

60% in 1.0 credits in Sociology at the 1000 level

The total number of credits (15.0 or 20.0) includes first year courses, module requirements and electives.

Additional grades required
## Admissions Requirement

### Specialization, Major, Double Major, Minor

Completion of first-year requirements, including 60% in 1.0 credits of Sociology:
- Complete both:
  - Sociology 1025A/B,
  - Sociology 1027A/B
  **OR**
  - The former Sociology 1020,
  - The former Sociology 1021E,
  - The former Sociology 1026F/G in combination with 1025A/B or 1027A/B
  
  **with a mark of at least 60%**

### Honours Specialization, Honours Double Major

- 5.0 completed first-year courses (1000 level) with no fails.
- **Minimum 70%** average in 3.0 principal courses, including 1.0 from: Sociology 1020, 1021E, 1025A/B, 1026A/B, or 1027A/B, plus 2.0 additional 1000 level courses, with no mark in these principal courses below 60%.
Areas of Study within Sociology

**Health & the Life Course**
- The Sociology of Youth
- Development and Health Inequalities
  - Sociology of Health and Illness
  - Social Inequality over the life course
- Health Inequalities: The Social Determinants of Health
- Work and Health across the life Course

**Power & Justice**
- Environmental Sociology
- Contemporary Social Problems
  - Sociology of Deviance
  - Human Trafficking
  - Sociology of Law
  - Wrongfully Convicted

**Social Demography & Migration**
- Race, Ethnicity, Nation
- Issues facing Families in Modern Society
  - Social Change and Development
  - Gender and Society
  - LBGTQ2S+ Populations
  - The Social Construction of Sexuality

**Work & the Economy**
- Technology and Society
- Sociology of Education
- The organization and Experience of Work
  - Advertising and Society
  - Problems of Mass Higher Education
  - Professions, Professionals and their Work
Tips for Success

Choosing a Module
- Request a module you think you meet the requirements for. If you have not completed 1.0 credits in Sociology at the 1000 level by the end of April, you are not yet eligible to request a Sociology Department module.
- Any module choice is better than remaining undeclared for course enrollment purposes.

Back up plan
- Provide a 2nd choice that is different than your 1st choice.
- If you think you qualify, Submit your 1st choice as an Honours module and your 2nd choice as a non-honours module.

Change your mind?
- If you change your mind, ITR changes can be made online up until 11:59pm March 31st.
- You will have the opportunity to change your module each year during ITR.
# Submit Your ITR

## Step 1: Review
- Review the different modules offered in Sociology.
- **Module checklists** outline the grade and course requirements to complete a module.
- Review the list of courses in each of the **4 areas of Sociology**.

## Step 2: Clarify
- Contact the Sociology Department at [socugrad@uwo.ca](mailto:socugrad@uwo.ca).
- Attend an **ITR information session** on Zoom hosted by Social Science Academic Counselling.
Step 3: Submit

- Follow the **step-by-step guide** to submit your ITR request.
- Make changes on student center until 11:59pm on March 31\(^{st}\).

Step 4: Placement

- **May**: Final grades are assessed and ITR requests are reviewed.
- **June**: Check student Center to see which module you have been accepted into. You will be assigned a course enrollment date based on year of study.
- **July-Sept**: Enrol in Fall/Winter courses based on your enrollment date.