



**SOC    Removal of B.A. Sociology Concentration Degree Option**

**Proposed Change**

The purpose of this proposal is to deactivate the B.A. in Sociology option

**Rationale**

At this time, few Sociology majors are active in this program, which adds two years of a foreign language to the core requirements for the major. For some students, scheduling conflicts result in extending the number of semesters required to graduate. Given the weak demand for this option, Faculty wishes to discontinue this option.

Students are encouraged to study a language, however continuing the B.A. option at this time seems not in the interest of most of our students.

Those in the program will be allowed to complete the degree, but incoming students will be directed into the B.S. in Sociology instead.