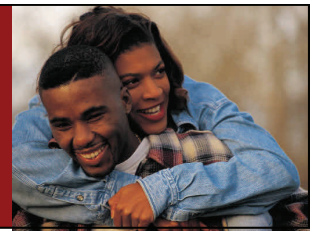


what can I do with a degree in...

# sociology



## OCCUPATIONAL TITLES

- Advocate
- Anthropologist\*
- Community Planner
- Customer Relations Representative
- Human Resources Assistant
- Human Services Worker
- Legislative Aide
- Management Trainee
- Research Aide
- Salesperson
- Sociologist\*
- Youth Worker
- Lawyer\*
- Public Health Educator
- Director, Volunteer Services
- Career Counselor\*
- Demographer
- Criminologist
- Officer, Foreign Service
- Administrator (salary, wage, social welfare)

\*Additional education and/or training may be required.

## EMPLOYMENT SETTINGS

- Government
- Centers for the Handicapped
- Insurance Companies
- Children's Protective Services
- Legal Aid
- Correctional Facilities
- Market Research Firms
- Court Systems
- Family Counseling Service
- Youth Services Bureau
- Banks
- Retailers

## TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES

- Collect data
- Communicate information verbally and in writing
- Use research methods
- Perform research
- Use statistical techniques
- Recognize a problem through observation and experimentation

## SKILLS & ABILITIES

- Ability to work independently
- Organizing data effectively
- Good interpersonal skills
- Analytical skills
- Good oral and written communication
- Intellectual curiosity
- Maintain objectivity in gathering information



## INTERNET SITES AND PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

- IUSB Sociology/Anthropology Department Links: [www.iusb.edu/-socanth/](http://www.iusb.edu/-socanth/)
- Sociology Sites: [www.socsciresearch.com/r7.html](http://www.socsciresearch.com/r7.html)
- The SocioWeb: [www.socioweb.com](http://www.socioweb.com)
- New Social Worker Online: [www.socialworker.com](http://www.socialworker.com)
- Midwest Sociological Society: [www.themss.org](http://www.themss.org)
- American Sociological Association: [www.asanet.org](http://www.asanet.org)
- Population Association of America: [www.popassoc.org](http://www.popassoc.org)
- National Association of Social Workers: [www.naswdc.org](http://www.naswdc.org)
- Occupational Outlook Handbook: <http://www.bls.gov/ooH/life-physical-and-social-science/sociologists.htm>



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