

At Louvain-la-Neuve - 180 credits - 3 years - Day schedule - In FrenchDissertation/Graduation Project : **NO** - Internship : **NO**Activities in English: **NO** - Activities in other languages : **NO**Activities on other sites : **NO**Main study domain : **Sciences politiques et sociales**Organized by: **Faculty of Economic, Social and Political Sciences and Communication (ESPO)**Programme acronym: **SOCA1BA** - Francophone Certification Framework: 6**Table of contents**

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SOCA1BA - Introduction

Introduction

SOCA1BA - Teaching profile

Learning outcomes

The Bachelor's programme of Sociology and Anthropology aims to :

- provide the students with a theoretical grounding in Sociology and Anthropology and give them the substantial methodological elements of sociological and anthropological analysis of empirical social phenomena, in particular via participation in practical research and on-the-field contact
- situate the special approach of the discipline, both in terms of its specificity and its complementarity, with respect to the approach of other disciplines, especially Philosophy, Economy, Politics, History and Psychology
- develop the students' capacities of critical analysis, reasoning and personal judgement
- help the students to develop their capacity to reflect on the constitution of knowledge, on an epistemological as well as a historical and sociological level
- initiate them in autonomous and individual study, by means of an active pedagogical approach which leaves considerable room for personal and group work and for the acquisition of skills in oral and written communication
- train the students to elaborate reports, respecting the rules of presentation as much as of content (a necessary skill for embarking on the job-market as well as on the master's programme).

On a general level,

- the first year is dedicated to the acquisition of basic knowledge in the main disciplines of Human Sciences and to a session on university study approaches and methods
- the second year is dedicated to the acquisition of primordial methodological tools and conceptual groundings in Sociology and Anthropology
- and the third year is dedicated to the pursuit of the acquisition of fundamental theories and theoretical and methodological tools, as well as to a research work of a more personal nature in the context of a practical seminar on more specific research, revolving around the principal orientations of Sociology and Anthropology.

AAC4. Communiquer et collaborer, en français et dans deux langues étrangères, tant à l'oral qu'à l'écrit, en s'adaptant à ses interlocuteurs et au contexte en vue de pouvoir s'insérer dans un contexte international.

AAC4.1. Communiquer, à l'oral et à l'écrit sur des sujets complexes (des informations, des réflexions, des conclusions ainsi que les

The choice of the minor will also facilitate re-orientation when it comes to choosing the master's programme.
 The role of the Programme Supervisor and the Study Advisor is important with respect to subject choice (information, advice ...).

SOCA1BA Programme

Detailed programme by subject

- Mandatory
- ⊗ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2023-2024
- ⊖ Not offered in 2023-2024 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2023-2024 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2023-2024 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🌐 Not open to incoming exchange students
- 🇫🇷 Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

Year

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o Programme de base (150 credits)

o Formation interdisciplinaire en sciences humaines (24 credits)

○ LESPO1114	Political Science <i>Dans ce programme, ce cours n'est pas donné en anglais, mais en français.</i>	Jehan Bottin (compensates) Pierre Baudewyns Min Reuchamps	EN [q1 or q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x		
○ LCOPS1113	Modern and Contemporary History	Emmanuel Debruyne (coord.) Gilles Lecuppre Silvia Mostaccio	FR [q2] [30h] [5 Credits] 🌐	x		

List of available minors

The student will complete his programme by choosing :

corresponding to 15 credits in the 2nd year and 15 credits in the 3rd year

- a minor (30 Credits) to be selected from among the ensemble of minors offered by UCL.

or

- options (30 Credits).

The choice of the minor or the options must be approved by the Programme Supervisor.

- > Minor in Law (access) [en-prog-2023-minadroi]
- > Minor in Antiquity: Egypt, Eastern World, Greece, Rome [en-prog-2023-minanti]
- > Minor in Urban Architecture [en-prog-2023-minarch]
- > Minor in History of Art and Archeology [en-prog-2023-minarke]
- > Minor in Chinese studies [en-prog-2023-minchin]
- > Minor in Information and Communication [en-prog-2023-mincomu]
- > Minor in Criminology [en-prog-2023-mincrim]
- > Cours au choix pour SOCA1BA (*) [en-prog-2023-choixsoca]
- > Minor in Culture and Creation [en-prog-2023-mincucreea]
- > Minor in Scientific Culture [en-prog-2023-mincults]
- > Minor in Development and Environment [en-prog-2023-mindenv]
- > Minor : Issues of Transition and Sustainable Development (*) [en-prog-2023-mindd]
- > Minor in Economics [en-prog-2023-minecon]
- > Minor in European Studies [en-prog-2023-mineuro]
- > Minor in French Studies (*) [en-prog-2023-minfran]
- > Minor in Gender Studies [en-prog-2023-mingenre]
- > Minor in Geography [en-prog-2023-mingeog]
- > Minor in Mangement (basic knowledge) [en-prog-2023-minogest]
- > Minor in Management (ESPO students) [en-prog-2023-minagest]
- > Minor in History [en-prog-2023-minhist]
- > Minor in Arabic language and Islamic civilization [en-prog-2023-minislam]
- > Minor in Philosophy [en-prog-2023-minfilo]
- > Minor in Linguistics [en-prog-2023-minling]
- > Minor in Literary Studies [en-prog-2023-minlitt]
- > Minor in Medieval Studies [en-prog-2023-minmedi]
- > Minor in entrepreneurship (*) [en-prog-2023-minmpme]
- > Minor in Musicology [en-prog-2023-minmusi]
- > Minor in Law (openness) [en-prog-2023-minodroi]
- > Minor in Economics (open) [en-prog-2023-minoeco]
- > Minor in Oriental Studies [en-prog-2023-minori]
- > Minor in Sciences of Religions (openness) [en-prog-2023-minreli]
- > Minor in Population and Development Studies [en-prog-2023-minsped]
- > Minor in Political Sciences [en-prog-2023-minspol]
- > Minor in Statistics, Actuarial Sciences and Data Sciences [en-prog-2023-minstat]
- > Minor in numerical technologies and society [en-prog-2023-minstic]
- > Minor in Christian Theology [en-prog-2023-mintheo]
- > Minor in Dutch Studies (*) [en-prog-2023-minneer]
- > Minor "Decentering History: Subalternities and postcolonial Studies" [en-prog-2023-minthis]

(*) This programme is the subject of access criteria

o **Programme de base**

o **Formation interdisciplinaire en sciences humaines**

o LESPO1114	Political Science <i>Dans ce programme, ce cours n'est pas donné en anglais, mais en français.</i>	Jehan Bottin (compensates Pierre Baudewyns) Min Reuchamps	EN [q1 or q2]
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o Formation en langues

<p>o LANGL1330</p>	<p>English intermediate level - 1st part</p>	<p>Stéphanie Brabant Estelle Dagneaux Jean-Luc Delghust Aurélie Deneumoustier Fanny Desterbecq Marie Duelz Claudine Grommersch Adrien Kefer (compensates Sandrine Mulkers) Marc Piwnik (coord.) Françoise Stas Anne-Julie Toubeau Marine Volpe</p>	<p>ES [q1 or q2] [20h] [3 Credits]</p>
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SOCA1BA - 2ND ANNUAL UNIT

- Mandatory
- ✂ Optional
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- 🌐 Not open to incoming exchange students
- (FR) Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

[Click on the course title to see detailed informations \(objectives, methods, evaluation...\)](#)

o Programme de base

⌘ LESPA1330	General Spanish for Political and Social Science and Communications	Fernando Juan San Basilio Pardo (compensates Osvaldo Serey Mendoza)	ES [q2] [45h] [3 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LNEER1330	General Dutch for social and political sciences - Intermediate level part I	Valérie Dachy Sara Jonkers (coord.)	NE [q1+q2] [45h] [3 Credits] 🌐

o Cours au choix

L'étudiant choisit des cours au choix, pour un total de minimum 19 crédits, répartis sur les blocs annuels 2 et 3. Parmi ces cours, il choisit obligatoirement un (et un seul) cours de la liste A (préférentiellement en bloc annuel 3).

o Liste A

Un seul cours au choix parmi

o Minor or additional module

L'étudiant choisit une mineure accessible à son programme, qui lui permet d'élargir ses horizons intellectuels et professionnels, et de découvrir une autre discipline.

Maximum 1 element(s)

SOCA1BA - 3RD ANNUAL UNIT

- Mandatory
- ✘ Optional
- △ Not offered in 2023-2024
- ⊖ Not offered in 2023-2024 but offered the following year
- ⊕ Offered in 2023-2024 but not the following year
- △ ⊕ Not offered in 2023-2024 or the following year
- Activity with requisites
- 🌐 Open to incoming exchange students
- 🚫 Not open to incoming exchange students
- [FR] Teaching language (FR, EN, ES, NL, DE, ...)

Click on the course title to see detailed informations (objectives, methods, evaluation...)

o Programme de base**o Sociologie et anthropologie**

● LPOLS1215	Sociology of social policies	Nathalie Burnay	[FR] [q2] [30h] [4 Credits] 🌐
● LPOLS1316	The History of Debates in Sociology and Anthropology ■	Eric Mangez Olivier Servais	[FR] [q1] [45h +20h] [8 Credits] 🌐

o Méthodologies et techniques en sociologie et anthropologie

● LPOLS1326	Practical Research Seminars in Sociology and Anthropology	Mathieu Berger Hugues Draelants Jacinthe Mazzocchetti
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⌘ LTECO2202	Societies-cultures-religions : Human Questions	Benoit Bourgine	PK [q1] [15h] [2 Credits] 🌐
⌘ LTECO2203	Societies, cultures, religions : Ethical questions	Geoffrey Legrand	PK [q2] [15h] [2 Credits] 🌐

o Minor or additional module

L'étudiant choisit une mineure accessible à son programme, qui lui permet d'élargir ses horizons intellectuels et professionnels, et de découvrir une autre discipline.

Maximum 1 element(s)

SOCA1BA - Information

Access Requirements

Decree of 7 November 2013 defining the landscape of higher education and the academic organization of studies.

The admission requirements must be met prior to enrolment in the University.

In the event of the divergence between the different linguistic versions of the present conditions, the French version shall prevail.

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General access requirements

Except as otherwise provided by other specific legal provisions, admission to undergraduate courses leading to the award of a Bachelor's degree will be granted to students with one of the following qualifications :

1. A Certificate of Upper Secondary Education issued during or after the 1993-1994 academic year by an establishment offering full-time secondary education or an adult education centre in the French Community of Belgium and, as the case may be, approved if it was issued by an educational institution before 1 January 2008 or affixed with the seal of the French Community if it was issued after this date, or an equivalent certificate awarded by the Examination Board of the French Community during or after 1994;
2. A Certificate of Upper Secondary Education issued no later than the end of the 1992-1993 academic year, along with official documentation attesting to the student's ability to pursue higher education for students applying for a full-length undergraduate degree programme;
3. A diploma awarded by a higher education institution within the French Community that confers an academic degree issued under the above-mentioned Decree, or a diploma awarded by a university or institution dispensing full-time higher education in accordance with earlier legislation;
4. A higher education certificate or diploma awarded by an adult education centre;
5. A pass certificate for one of the [entrance examinations](https://uclouvain.be/fr/etudier/inscriptions/examens-admission.html) (https://uclouvain.be/fr/etudier/inscriptions/examens-admission.html) organized by higher education institutions or by an examination board of the French Community; this document gives admission to studies in the sectors, fields or programmes indicated therein;
6. A diploma, certificate of studies or other qualification similar to those mentioned above, issued by the Flemish Community of Belgium, the German Community of Belgium or the Royal Military Academy;
7. A diploma, certificate of studies or other qualification obtained abroad and deemed equivalent to the first four mentioned above by virtue of a law, decree, European directive or international convention;

Note:

Requests for equivalence must be submitted to the Equivalence department ([Service des équivalences](#)) of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research of the French Community of Belgium in compliance with the official deadline.

The following two qualifications are automatically deemed equivalent to the Certificate of Upper Secondary Education (Certificat d'enseignement secondaire supérieur – CESS):

- European Baccalaureate issued by the Board of Governors of a European School,
- International Baccalaureate issued by the International Baccalaureate Office in Geneva.

8. Official documentation attesting to a student's ability to pursue higher education (diplôme d'aptitude à accéder à l'enseignement supérieur - DAES), issued by the Examination Board of the French Community.

Specific access requirements

- Access to bachelor programmes for candidates of nationality outside the European Union who are not assimilated to Belgian nationals is subject to the following criteria:
 - not have obtained a secondary education diploma for more than 3 years maximum. Example: for an admission application for the academic year 2023-2024, you must have obtained your diploma during the academic years 2020-2021, 2021-2022 ou 2022-2023. In the French Community of Belgium, the academic year runs from September 14 to September 13
 - not already hold an undergraduate degree
- Candidates, whatever their nationality, with a secondary school diploma **from a country outside the European Union**, must have obtained an average of 13/20 minimum or, failing that, have obtained this average, have passed one year of study in Belgium (for example special Maths / sciences). A non-successful year will not be taken into consideration.

- For any secondary school diploma **from a European Union country**, the admission request must contain the equivalence of your diploma or, at the very least, proof of the filing of the equivalence request with the Wallonia-Brussels Federation (French Community of Belgium). For any information relating to obtaining an equivalence, please refer to [the following site](#).
- For any secondary school diploma **from a country outside the European Union**, the admission application must contain the [equivalence of your diploma](#) issued by the Wallonia-Brussels Federation (French Community of Belgium). If you have a restrictive equivalence for the programme of your choice, in addition of it, you **must** have either the [DAES](#) or a certificate of successful completion of the [examination giving access to 1st cycle studies](#) when you submit your application

Access based on validation of professional experience

Admission to undergraduate studies on the basis of accreditation of knowledge and skills obtained through professional or personal experience (Accreditation of Prior Experience)

Subject to the general requirements laid down by the authorities of the higher education institution, with the aim of admission to the undergraduate programme, the examination boards accredit the knowledge and skills that students have obtained through their professional or personal experience.

This experience must correspond to at least five years of documented activity, with years spent in higher education being partially taken into account: 60 credits are deemed equivalent to one year of experience, with a maximum of two years being counted. At the end of an assessment procedure organized by the authorities of the higher education institution, the Examination Board will decide whether a student has sufficient skills and knowledge to successfully pursue undergraduate studies.

After this assessment, the Examination Board will determine the additional courses and possible exemptions constituting the supplementary requirements for the student's admission.

Special requirements to access some programmes

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in engineering: civil engineering and architect**

Pass certificate for the [special entrance examination for undergraduate studies in engineering: civil engineering and architect](https://uclouvain.be/fr/facultes/epl/examenadmission.html) (<https://uclouvain.be/fr/facultes/epl/examenadmission.html>).

Admission to these courses is always subject to students passing the special entrance examination. Contact the faculty office for the programme content and the examination arrangements.

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in veterinary medicine**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in veterinary medicine is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html) (<https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html>).

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in physiotherapy and rehabilitation**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in physiotherapy and rehabilitation is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html). (<https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html>)

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in psychology and education: speech and language therapy**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in psychology and education: speech and language therapy is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html) (<https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html>).

- Admission to **undergraduate studies in medicine and dental science**

[Admission to undergraduate studies in medicine and dental science is governed by the Decree of 16 June 2006 regulating the number of students in certain higher education undergraduate courses \(non-residents\)](https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html). (<https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html>)

Note: students wishing to enrol for a **Bachelor's degree in Medicine** or a **Bachelor's degree in dental science** must first sit an [aptitude test \(fr\)](https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html) (<https://uclouvain.be/en/study/inscriptions/etudes-contingentes.html>).

