

# SOCIOLOGY

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## Fields of Research

The program reflects the special expertise of the staff faculty and utilizes the unique facilities offered by the Kingston community. The program reflects the special expertise in the following areas:

- Critical Sociological Theory, including Marxism and Critical Race Theory
- Deviance and Criminology (especially among young offenders)
- Criminal Justice and Policing
- Feminist Sociology
- Social Movements
- Sociology of Cities and Urban Sociology
- Sociology of Law
- Sociology of Sport
- Cybersecurity and Surveillance
- Science and Technology Studies
- Digital Media and Culture
- Visual Culture

## Research Methods

The Graduate program is divided into three fields:

- Power, Inequalities and Social Justice;
- Criminology and Law; Media
- Information and Surveillance.

## Financial Assistance

All students will be considered for funding from a combination of Queen's Graduate Awards (QGA), teaching assistantships (TA-ships) in the department's undergraduate courses, contributions from research grants and contracts, internal scholarships and awards, and external scholarships and awards.

Award stipends are typically paid in three equal instalments throughout the year with teaching assistant and research assistant salaries paid monthly.

## Departmental Facilities

The Department of Sociology is housed on two floors of Mackintosh-Corry Hall. Our facilities include graduate student office spaces, conference room, and a lounge.