

# Sociology & Anthropology at Truman

DISTINCT BY DESIGN

## Degrees offered

**BA**  
**BS**  
Sociology & Anthropology

## Minors offered

Sociology,  
Anthropology

The faculty in the Sociology/Anthropology program particularly **value the personal connections** they make with their students through teaching, advising student organizations, and mentoring individual students.



of majors are engaged in research.

**60**

approximate number of students in the major

**44**

approximate number of students in these minors

**5**

full-time faculty members

**100%**

of faculty hold a terminal degree

## Recent internships completed by SOAN students include

- Adair County Historical Society
- Adair County Prosecuting Attorney's Office
- City of Kirksville
- Community Action Partnership of Northeast Missouri
- Food for Kids
- Great Circle
- Kirksville High School Counseling Office
- Lewelling Quaker Museum
- Missouri Department of Social Services, Children's Division
- Rural Community Workers' Alliance
- Twin Pines Adult Care Center
- Public Defenders Office
- Hospice NEMO

**92%**

placement rate of graduates in the workforce or graduate school within 6 months of graduation

## Notable graduate schools include...

- Arizona State University
- University of Missouri
- University of Glasgow
- Washington University in St. Louis
- St. Louis University
- William and Mary University
- Southern Illinois University
- University of California – Davis
- University of Wyoming
- University College Dublin
- University of Michigan
- London School of Economics
- University of New Mexico



## Notable employers include...

- AmeriCorps
- BJC Behavioral Health
- Census Bureau
- City Year
- Drury Hotels
- Missouri Botanical Garden
- Missouri College Advising Corps
- Missouri State Archives
- Operation Breakthrough
- Peace Corps
- Proctor & Gamble
- Republic Airlines
- Susan G. Komen Foundation
- Teach for America
- Walt Disney World



“ The Anthropology/Sociology major offers dual perspectives in the realm of social science. Our department specializes in trying to understand what makes us human while encouraging students to become advocates for social change. It is easy to get to know the faculty and other students in the department because of the small class sizes. You will spend your days reading about structured inequalities, cultural traditions, and/or ancient remains. SOAN coaches you in developing your own research project through Research Design courses. It teaches you about all of the difficulties of research and allows you to explore your interests with help from the faculty. ”

– **LAURA SCOVILLE**, Class of 2021

Academic Interests: Anthropology major with a Biology minor

Student Involvement: Anthropology Club, Cultural and Societal Honors Society, KTRM

Hometown: Columbia, Missouri

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