

## Degree Requirements: Social Science Education MS (Non-Certification Track)

The Master’s Degree in Curriculum and Instruction with a major in Social Science Education requires **30 graduate level** credit hours. The curriculum is flexible, and a detailed Program of Studies based on student interests is planned in the first semester with the advisor. All students completing the C&I master’s degree must complete either the comprehensive exam or a thesis research project.

**Please note:** This degree does not lead to a teaching certification.

COURSE CATEGORY	HOURS	RECOMMENDED COURSES
<b>Major and Related Fields of Study</b>	Variable credit hours (consult with advisor)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- SSE 5386: Goals and Methods of Teaching History</li> <li>- SSE 5720: Shaping Social Studies Teaching and Learning through Technology</li> <li>- SSE 5195: Developing a Global Perspective</li> <li>- EDG 5709: Culturally Responsive Teaching</li> <li>- EDF 5517: History of Education in the US</li> <li>- EDF 5548: Philosophy of Teaching &amp; Learning</li> <li>- EDF 5853: Comparative Education</li> <li>- EDF 5887: Multicultural Education</li> <li>- EDP 5216: Theories of Learning and Cognition in Instruction</li> <li>- EDP 5285: Group Processes in Instruction</li> </ul>
<b>Major Electives</b>	0-12 credit hours	May include a focused track in TESOL, reading, online education, disciplinary foundations, research methods, or other. Consult with advisor.
<b>Comprehensive Exam</b>	0 credit hours	- SSE 8966: Masters Comprehensive Exams