

SO 384 : Data Collection and Analysis

This course begins with a brief review of the basic assumptions, designs and ethics of quantitative social research. We will make an in-depth examination of both qualitative and approaches to data collection and explore effective ways to analyze data collected from each of these methodological approaches. Students will collect and analyze data from their own original research projects and develop a comprehensive research paper integrating all components of research design. This course serves as the capstone experience in the Sociology Department.

Credits 4.0

Prerequisites

[SO 101](#) or [CJ 160](#) and [SO 286](#)