

APPLICATION FOR GRADUATE STUDY IN SOCIOLOGY
UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
2010

A. Requirements for admission to the Graduate College (materials will be mailed separately):

1. Submission of the Application for admission.
<https://soonerspace.ou.edu/>
2. Submission of Official Transcripts for each college or university you have attended or are attending. Request that a supplementary transcript be sent when final grades are recorded.
3. Payment of \$40.00 application fee.

Send the above materials to:

Office of Admissions
1000 Asp Avenue, Room 127
University of Oklahoma
Norman, OK 73019-2033

B. Requirements for admission to the admission to the Sociology Department:

1. Completed Application for Graduate Study in Sociology.
2. Statement of Purpose explaining why you plan to study sociology at the graduate level by discussing your professional goals and intellectual interests.
3. Graduate Record Examination (GRE) scores.*
4. Three letters of recommendation.
5. Writing sample.
6. Curriculum vitae (only for PhD applicants)

Send the above materials by **February 1, 2010** to:

University of Oklahoma
Department of Sociology
Graduate Director
780 Van Vleet Oval
Kaufman Hall 331
Norman, OK 73019-2033

Name (Last, First, Middle, Maiden)

Social Security No.

Date of Birth

Student Mailing Address

Permanent Address (if different from mailing address)

E-Mail Address

Phone Number (with area code)

Program of Interest: _____ Master of Arts _____ Doctor of Philosophy

Do you wish to be considered for a graduate assistantship? _____ Yes _____ No

* Information may be obtained from the University Counseling Center (405) 325-2911 or Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 955-R, Princeton, New Jersey 08540. Request that the test scores be sent to the Department of Sociology, University of Oklahoma. International students must also take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL). The University of Oklahoma is an Equal Opportunity Institution.

RECOMMENDATION FORM

2010

Applicant's Name: _____

Sign the application and send to the person who will write this recommendation. Once completed, ask that the recommendation be mailed to the address listed below.

**University of Oklahoma
Sociology Department
Amy Kroska, Graduate Director
Kaufman Hall 331
Norman, OK 73019-2033**

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 opens many student records for the student's inspection. The law also permits the student to sign a waiver relinquishing his rights to inspect letters of recommendation. The applicant's signature below constitutes a waiver signifying that the recommendation will remain CONFIDENTIAL; no signature means the student will have the right to read this reference.

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Note: The person whose name appears above has applied for admission to the ___ Masters or ____ Doctoral Program in Sociology at the University of Oklahoma. The admissions committee would appreciate your assistance by answering the following questions and returning to the address listed above as soon as possible.

If you do not know the student well, please feel free to say so: such frankness will not prejudice the candidate's chance of admission.

I do not know the student well enough to give him/her a recommendation.

Date: _____ Signature: _____

How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

Please rate the applicant on the following categories.

(1) Excellent (2) Above Average (3) Average (4) Below Average (5) Poor (6) No Opportunity to Observe

Oral Communication	
Written Communication	
Motivation	
Ability to work effectively with others	
Imagination	
Sense of Responsibility	
Overall evaluation as a candidate for graduate study	
Ability to complete a doctoral/masters program	

COMMENTS: (Please use reverse side for additional remarks)

Recommender Information	
Date: _____	Official Position: _____
Institution: _____	Typed Name: _____
City and State: _____	Signature: _____

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