

SOCI102 (S2)

CULTURAL AND SOCIAL IDENTITIES

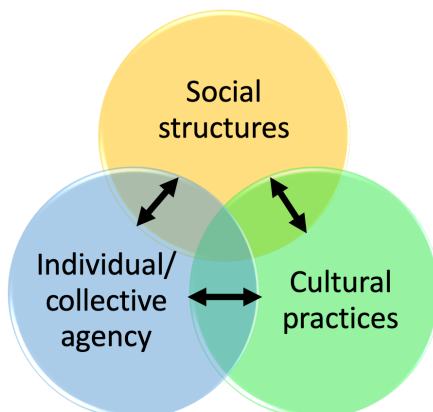
About the paper

SOCI102 hinges on three broad sociological principles, namely the sociological imagination, the social construction of reality, and the interplay between social structures and individual agency.

In order to understand these principles we will answer three questions:

- What kind of social processes are involved in human interaction and identity formation?
- How do human actions and interactions create social institutions?
- In what ways can individuals bring about social change?

Assessment comprises 60% internal assessment (which includes a short essay, a long essay, lecture participation, and tutorial discussions) and a 40% final exam.



What have former students said?

'It made me engage with the topics far more than any other paper I am taking'.

'Very engaging lecturer who is obviously passionate about sociology, which in turn makes it easier and more enjoyable to learn.'

'I genuinely enjoy going to the lectures and I am always very engaged in the topics discussed.'

'As a Health Science student, I learn & understand science. This paper was definitely different to what I am used to, however, I have loved it. It has opened my eyes to a different type of subject and I am looking forward to continuing studying sociology.'

'It has given me further insight into the world of sociology and has set me up for 200 level SOCI papers well through further knowledge of structure and agency, social identity and the idea of institutions. It has made me examine real life from a different perspective and has made me feel more confident in my sociology skills and knowledge.'

