

BSc Social Sciences – DN700

Social Sciences students explore society and how people behave as individuals and in groups. With the four-year Social Sciences degree, you choose DN700 at CAO and then select your preferred option below. Your subject choices are guaranteed. There are options to change subject choices at the end of first year if you wish. You will gain a deep understanding of each subject you choose to study and develop real-world skills in research, communication and leadership. You may additionally apply for an internship, or study abroad for a year or a trimester. You will learn to analyse, criticise and challenge beliefs and assumptions – including your own. Overall, there are 525 places in DN700. The average number of students taking each option is shown on the relevant page.

Choose your course from one of the following four options below:

Computational
Social Science

Economics, Mathematics &
Statistics

Philosophy, Politics
& Economics

Two Subject Combination

Two Subject Combination (TSC)

If you choose two subject combination please note that in a Joint Major degree (e.g. Archaeology and Economics), students take an equal number of modules in both subjects. In a Major/Minor degree (e.g. Geography with English), students take substantially more modules in their Major subject (e.g. Geography).

Studying Archaeology

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Geography	Economics
Sociology	Mathematics
Philosophy	Social Justice
Statistics	
Politics & International Relations	
Information & Communication Studies	
OR with one Minor subject	
Art History	Irish Folklore
Celtic Civilisation	Chinese
Earth Sciences	Irish
Greek & Roman Civilisation	

Studying Economics

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Sociology
Geography	Mathematics
Philosophy	Social Justice
Statistics	History
Politics & International Relations	
Information & Communication Studies	
OR with one Minor subject	
Irish	German
Chinese	

Studying Geography

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Sociology
Economics	Mathematics
Social Justice	Philosophy
Statistics	
Politics & International Relations	
Information & Communication Studies	
OR with one Minor subject	
English	Linguistics
Earth Sciences	Irish
Greek & Roman Civilisation	History

Studying Information & Communication Studies

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Sociology
Economics	Mathematics
Geography	Social Justice
Philosophy	Statistics
Politics & International Relations	
OR with one Minor subject	
Music	Irish

Studying Philosophy

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Sociology
Economics	Mathematics
Geography	Social Justice
Information & Communication Studies	Statistics
Politics & International Relations	
OR with one Minor subject	
Chinese	Irish
Greek	Linguistics

Studying Politics & International Relations

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Sociology
Economics	Mathematics
Geography	Social Justice
Information & Communication Studies	Statistics
Philosophy	
OR with one Minor subject	
Linguistics	Irish
Chinese	Italian
French	Spanish
German	

Studying Sociology

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Politics & International Relations
Economics	Mathematics
Geography	Social Justice
Information & Communication Studies	Statistics
Philosophy	
OR with one Minor subject	
Art History	German
English	Irish
Linguistics	Italian

Studying Social Justice

as a Joint Major with one of the below:

Archaeology	Philosophy
Economics	Politics & International Relations
Geography	Sociology
Information & Communication Studies	