Sociology Degree – WSU Global Campus

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JOSEPH KREMER: We would definitely call sociology the systematic and scientific study of human behavior, but more generally, we might just talk about the study of society, and how it affects us, and we affect it, and how that has happened historically and contemporarily. It is one of the broadest fields that I'm aware of, and one of the most exciting, because you can really study anything that has something to do with humans. And that's pretty much everything.

So by having that, then you will be able to analyze quantitative claims of evidence, and assess evidence in all varieties of ways. So to be able to use those data analysis skills, let alone the communication in both oral and written form, so yeah, you're kind of getting a set of toolbox skills and a way of thinking that together, combined, can be a positive trait for really any job.

Well, what do you want to do? What's your passion? What do you like? And then we will talk about how sociology can connect you to that, and how you can use sociology. We have a number of students going into criminal justice, law, policy, human resources. They go into things like peace corps, obviously graduate school, to then go on to be teachers or researchers themselves, and then even a lot of just in non-profit organizations doing research or data analysis work to help those groups that are doing amazing work anywhere and help achieve their goals.

Aside from the way to get the whole major online now, and our dedicated set of teachers, getting students involved in seeing sociology in their own lives, you do the coursework, but really, you're learning about yourself at the same time, and so to be able to do that anywhere across the world and share that experience with people across the world, that seems to be the great thing that, as I say, will leave your head spinning and wanting you to come back for more, and to figure out more about this complex social world that we are all a part of.

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