FALL 2026

SOC480 PRACTICUM IN SOCIAL RESEARCH

CURIOUS HOW IT FEELS TO BE DOING HANDS-ON RESEARCH IN THE FIELD?

Well, look no further than SOC480!

In this course, you will be directly involved in all facets of a sociological research study headed by Dr. Okinaka that focuses on assisting women exiting prison and re-entering our community! You'll gain hands-on experience collecting data, analyzing it, and sharing it with the public– experience that is highly sought after in the job market.

Please note that this course only may be counted once towards Sociology Major requirements, but can be repeated once for upper division

Questions about the research project or what this class entails?
Don't hesitate to contact Dr. Alton Okinaka at alton@hawaii.edu

No textbook!

Credits: 3
Attributes: DS, GAHP, HPP

Pre reqs: SOC280 and SOC380, or Instructor's consent. Just email Dr. O!

HELD IN-PERSON
TUESDAYS 6-8:45PM

MAY REQUIRE HOURS SPENT OUTSIDE OF SCHEDULED CLASS