Master of Arts in Social Data Science
Modality: Campus
Catalog Year: Fall 2024
Total Credit Hours: 30
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Required Core (18 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
SDS 501: Theories of Data and Society	3		
SDS 510: Data Wrangling	3		
SDS 527: Ethics and Policies of Social Data	3		
SDS 537: Technologies of Community	3		
SDS 550: Computational Social Methods I	3		
SDS 551: Computational Social Methods II	3		
Electives (6-9 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
Elective	3		
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Elective (Applied Project Students only)	3		
Culminating Experience (3-6 credit hours)			
Option A:		Option B:	
SDS 570: Social Data Projects – 3 credit hours		SDS 599: Thesis – 6 credit hours Written & Oral Thesis Defense	

General Guidelines

Faculty approval required for:
- All coursework in the iPOS. Mere enrollment in a course does not entitle a student to count it toward a graduate degree.

Academic progress:
- Students are required to meet New College Satisfactory Academic Progress Standards and maintain continuous enrollment as defined by the ASU Graduate College Policy Manual.
- The culminating experience is completed in a student's final year of study. To be eligible for registration consult the program handbook.
- For information regarding the minimum passing grade for the SDS 570 or SDS 599 culminating experience, please go to New College Satisfactory Academic Progress Standards.

Policies:
- Core courses can never be transferred from other universities.
- All work toward a master's degree must be completed within six consecutive years. For more information review the ASU Graduate College Policy Manual.