



# Sociology Subject Guide

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## Reference Books

### "REF" = REFERENCE COLLECTION, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

*International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences (online)*  
<http://find.galegroup.com/gvrl/start.do?prodId=GVRL&userGroupName=usi>

*Encyclopedia of human relationships* REF HM1106 .E53 2009

*Encyclopedia of social psychology* REF HM1007 .E53 2007

*The American Midwest: An interpretive encyclopedia*  
REF F351 .A534 2007

*Encyclopedia of multicultural psychology*  
REF GN502 .E63 2006

*Social issues in America: An encyclopedia (8 vols.)*  
REF HN57 .S624 2006

*International encyclopedia of social policy*  
REF HN18.3 .I58 2006 (3 vols.)

*New Encyclopedia of Southern culture*  
REF F209 .N47 2006

*Encyclopedia of social theory* REF HM425 .E47 2005

*New dictionary of the history of ideas (5 vols.)*  
REF CB9 .N49 2005

*Dictionary of sociology* REF HM425 .D5735 2005

*The Sage encyclopedia of social science research (3 vols.)*  
REF H62 .S34 2004

*Social change in America: The historical handbook*  
REF HA203 .S746 2003

*Dictionary of the social sciences* REF H41 .D53 2002

*International encyclopedia of women (4 vols.)*  
REF HQ1115 .R69 2000

*Encyclopedia of sociology (5 vols.)* REF HM425 .E5 2000

*Social science reference sources: A practical guide*  
REF H61 .L5 2000

*Handbook of qualitative research* REF H62 .H2455 2000

*Dictionary of statistics & methodology: A nontechnical guide for the social sciences* REF HA17 .V64 1999

*A nation of peoples: A sourcebook on America's multicultural heritage* REF E184 .A1 N2866 1999

*Encyclopedia of modern American social issues*  
REF HN57 .K73 1997

## Statistics, Demographics, and Public Opinion

*A nation of peoples: A sourcebook on America's multicultural heritage* REF E184 .A1 N2866 1999

*American time use: Who spends how long at what*  
REF HD69 .T54 A46 2007

*American generations: Who they are, how they live, what they think* REF HC110.C6 M545 2003

*American attitudes: Who thinks what about the issues that shape our lives* REF HN90.P8 M58 2000

*The baby boom: Americans aged 35 to 54*  
REF HN60 .R87 1999

*A statistical portrait of the United States: Social conditions and trends (2 vols.)* REF HA203 .S746 1998

## Topics in Sociology – Selected Titles

*Girl culture: An encyclopedia* REF HQ798 .G523 2008

*Rich and poor in America: A reference handbook*  
REF HC110 .I5 G55 2008

*Poverty in America: An encyclopedia*  
REF HC110 .P6 L375 2008

*Praeger handbook on contemporary issues in Native America*  
REF E98 .S67 J65 2007

*Contemporary youth culture: An international encyclopedia (2 vols.)* REF HQ796 .C8154 2006

*Redefining culture: Perspectives across disciplines*  
REF HM621 .R425 2006

*Encyclopedia of war & American society (3 vols.)*  
REF E181 .E634 2006

*Encyclopedia of social welfare history in North America*  
REF HV12 .E497 2005

*American attitudes: What Americans think about the issues that shape their lives* REF HN90.P8 A527 2005

*Youth, education, and sexualities: An international encyclopedia* (2 vols.) REF LC192.6 .Y68 2005

*International encyclopedia of marriage and family* (4vols.) REF HQ9 .E52 2003

*Encyclopedia of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender history in America* (3 vols.) REF HQ76.3.U5 E53 2003

*Education and sociology* REF LC189.95 .E38 2002

*Drugs, alcohol and addictive behavior* (4 vols.) REF HV5804 .E53 2001

*Encyclopedia of women and gender: Sex similarities and differences and the impact of society...* REF HQ1115 .E52 2001

### Research Methods: Handbooks

*Youth, education, and sexualities: An international encyclopedia Handbook of research design & social measurement* REF H62 .M44 2002

*Youth, education, and sexualities: An international encyclopedia*

*Racial and ethnic relations in America* (3 vols.) REF E49 .R33 2000

*Domestic violence and child abuse sourcebook* REF HV6626.2 .D66 2000

*Social issues in science and technology: An encyclopedia* REF Q175.5 .N49 1999

### DVDs and Videos, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

#### Selected titles

*Generation M: Misogyny in media and culture* (DVD, 2008) 305.42 .G466

*Maquilapolis = City of factories* (DVD, 2006) 338.4767 .M37

*Coming of age: Ethnographic profiles from a global perspective* (DVD, 2005) 392.15 .C66

*America's immigration debate* (DVD, 2005) 304.89 .A44

*Sexual stereotypes in media: Superman and the bride* (DVD, 2003) 302.23 .S49

*Popular culture rage, rights, and responsibility* (DVD, 2003) 302.23 .P672

*Matters of race* (DVD, 2003) 305.8 .M37

*People like us: Social class in America* (VHS, 2001) 305.5 .P4

*He said, she said: Gender, language & communication* (VHS, 2000) 305.3 .H4

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USI's Social Research and Statistical Links (USI) <http://www.usi.edu/libarts/socio/stats.htm>

USI's Sociology Department: Web Links (USI) <http://www.usi.edu/libarts/socio/weblinks.htm>

INTUTE: Social Sciences <http://www.intute.ac.uk/socialsciences/sociology/>

A sociological tour through cyberspace <http://www.trinity.edu/~mkearl/index.html>

A sociology timeline from 1600 <http://www.ac.wvu.edu/~stephan/timeline.html>

SocioWeb <http://www.socioweb.com/~markbl/socioweb/>

Internet Resources for Sociology, University of Delaware Library <http://www2.lib.udel.edu/subj/soc/internet.htm>

### Suggested Databases

- SocINDEX
- Social Theory
- Academic Search Premier
- PsycINFO
- ProQuest Research Library
- America History and Life

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- The **Database Login** page will appear
- Enter your **MyUSI username** and **password**
- Click **Login**

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