Resource of the Summer:

Alkek Library

Texas State students can find a wide variety of different resources at the library. Search through the library's own catalog, browse online databases, or submit an interlibrary loan request for a particular book or source. Alkek Library also hosts SLAC and the Learning Commons: comfortable, technology-rich library spaces that promote active learning. Research and information services, 3D printing services, and a coffee and snack kiosk can all be found within Alkek Library. To find this and more information, check out their website: http://www.library.txstate.edu

SUMMER I

FIRST DAY OF CLASSES
June 6th
SCHEDULE CHANGES END
June 7th, 4:45pm
LAST DAY TO DROP A CLASS
WITH REFUND
June 9th, 11:59pm
LAST DAY TO DROP A CLASS
WITH A "W"
June 24th, 11:59pm
LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW TO 0 HOURS
June 30th, 5:00pm
LAST DAY OF CLASSES
July 7th
FINALS JULY 8TH

SUMMER II

FIRST DAY OF CLASSES
July 11th
SCHEDULE CHANGES END
July 12th, 4:45pm
LAST DAY TO DROP A CLASS
WITH REFUND
July 14th, 11:59pm
LAST DAY TO DROP A CLASS
WITH A "W"
July 29th, 11:59pm
LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW TO 0 HOURS
August 4th, 5:00pm
LAST DAY OF CLASSES
August 10th
FINALS AUGUST 11TH

Please call to schedule an advising appointment. We are available this summer if you have any questions about your summer or fall schedule.
Major of the Summer: **SOCILOGY**

As a social science, Sociology combines scientific and humanistic perspectives in the study of urban and rural life, family patterns and relationships, social class, technology and communications, health care and illness, community responses to disasters, social movements, and contemporary social problems. Texas State students can receive a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology or a Bachelor of Science in Applied Sociology.

The undergraduate degree in sociology prepares individuals to be competitive in a wide variety of occupations, including those in business, the public sector, and the helping professions. Because students learn how to systematically collect and manage data, they are sought by employers interested in those skills. Employers are also impressed with the sociological understanding of group dynamics that comes from the discipline.

The core of the Bachelor of Science in Applied Sociology major is its Internship Program, which has a prestigious reputation within the business and educational communities of central Texas. Rigorous and demanding in its course requirements, the program requires students to create a professional portfolio of work performed, design a web page, keep a sociological journal, make formal Power Point presentations, and work a minimum of 300 hours during the semester. Each year approximately half of their interns receive job offers as a direct result of their internships. Sample job titles include Demographer, Recruiter, Public Relations Specialist, Public Administrator, Labor Relations Specialist, Gerontologist, and Personnel Manager.

For this an more information, visit the Department of Sociology website: [http://www.soci.txstate.edu/](http://www.soci.txstate.edu/) and additional information can be found at the undergraduate catalog: [http://www.txstate.edu/curriculumservices/catalogs/undergraduate/catalogs.html](http://www.txstate.edu/curriculumservices/catalogs/undergraduate/catalogs.html)

Check out the [What Can I Do With this Major?](http://www.careerservices.txstate.edu/resources/onlinepublicationsandresourcecenter/whatcanidowiththismajor-a-z.html) page to find out more information on job titles and work settings: