Social & Behavioral Sciences LEAP

Technology and the human experience as observed through the lenses of Anthropology, Criminology, Economics, Environmental and Sustainable Studies, Family and Consumer Studies, Psychology, Sociology, and Social Work

From digital surveillance of your TikTok and Insta habits to how Google and YouTube autocomplete your searches, our lives are saturated with technology. SBS LEAP is a two-semester First Year Experience that focuses on the intersection of technology and the lived human experience. These courses fulfill **three gen ed requirements** toward graduation, and **allied hours** for most majors in the College of Social & Behavioral Science.

Fall Semester – the Social/Behavioral Science (BF) portion of SBS LEAP explores how different social science disciplines study our individual and collective lived experiences in this tech-saturated society, and will provide you tools for understanding what is r/Real in our highly manipulated, artificially individualized, technologically-enhanced lived experience.

Spring Semester – during the Humanities (HF) and Diversity (DV) portion of SBS LEAP we will discuss imaginative engagement with technology and the human experience, using the mediums of literature, film, music, and art. We deeply consider h/Humanness in the context of wildly advancing technology and our physical bodies. We start with ghosts and zombies, move to reanimated flesh, then cyborgs, robots, and artificial intelligence.

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