

## **SOCI 2043 B SOCIOLOGY OF THE FAMILY**

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### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The course examines how the patterns and dynamics of family relations are shaped by economic and social structures. It discusses diverse family patterns across different historical periods and looks in depth at contemporary families, particularly in North America. The course also examines how family experiences are shaped by various intersecting identities, including gender, social class, race/ethnicity, indigenous status, and sexuality.

### **EVALUATION**

Class participation	15%
Critical reviews	35%
In-class midterm exam	25%
Final exam	25%

### **TEXT**

Required readings are available through the Carleton library website or via ARES. The reading list could be subject to minor modifications at the discretion of the instructor.