

Course description

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Course name:	Social and Health Policy and A		
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Department/Unit /	KSR / SZPR			Academic Year	2023/2024
Title	Social and Health Policy and A			Type of completion	Pre-Exam Credit
Long Title	Social and Health Policy and Administration				
Accredited/Credits	Yes, 4 Cred.			Type of completion	Combined
Number of hours	Lecture 2 [Hours/Week] Seminar 2 [Hours/Week]				
Occ/max	Status A	Status B	Status C	Course credit prior to	NO
Summer semester	60 / -	0 / -	0 / -	Counted into average	NO
Winter semester	0 / -	0 / -	0 / -	Min. (B+C) students	10
Timetable	Yes			Repeated registration	NO
Language of instruction	Czech			Semester taught	Winter, Summer
Optional course	No			Internship duration	0
Evaluation scale	S N				
No. of hours of on-premise					
Auto acc. of credit	Yes in the case of a previous evaluation 4 nebo nic.				
Periodicity	K				
Substituted course	None				
Preclusive courses	KSR/SZPS				
Prerequisite courses	N/A				
Informally recommended courses	N/A				
Courses depending on this Course	N/A				

Course objectives:

The goal of the course is to make the students acquainted with the history of social and health policy and administration, with theoretical and ideological conceptions that are applied in the analysis of social policy, with methodology and instruments of social policy. Attention is paid to international context of social policy, especially, to the institutions influencing social policy in Europe and to the place of social policy in European integration processes. The students are acquainted with important social problems and their institutional background.

Requirements on student

Students elaborate a seminar paper (cca 10 pages) with an analysis of selected social policyal ebeny.
written credit

Content

The contents is separate up to five blocks

1. Social policy and its basic framework: Social problems, critical situations in the peoples life. The individual, the family, the governance and other subjects and objects of social policy. The relation to other branches of science Values and ideology: Freedom, (In)equality and social justice as the basic values from which the approach to social policy results..
Seminar: Unemployment as social event. Unemployment as social problem and individual experience Labour Market and policy of employment. European strategy of employment and the Czech Republic.
2. Genesis of European social policy: The development of ideas and development of institutions. The Czech social policy and its contribution in the period between the wars. Current social policy: Social reform after 1989. Social doctrine.
Seminar: Maternity as a social event. Family Policy in the Czech Republic. Maternity benefits, maternity protection.
3. Social policy and welfare state. Crisis of welfare states. Criticism of WS. Current problems and tendencies in the development of welfare states. Neo-conservatism and social corporatism. Social policy as practice: Main objectives, functions and principles of social policy.. Instruments of social policy. Social security as the core of social policy.
Seminar: Age and ageing as a social event.. Social aspects of ageing. Pension systems and their financing and organization. Pension systems reform. Social services and seniors

4. Health policy and administration. Genesis of European health policy. Health policy reform after 1989. Current problems and tendencies in the development of health policy and administration. International organizations and institutions influencing social and health policy in the Czech Republic. Influence of the EU.

Seminar: Illness and disability as a social event. Health insurance and invalid insurance. Society and its disabled members. Social services act.

5. Introduction to the problems of poverty. Poverty and social exclusion, causes, roots, social disintegration. Poverty in the system of social protection. Life minimum. Social assistance

Seminar: Institutional securing of social policy. Social administration

Fields of study

Guarantors and lecturers

- **Guarantors:** JUDr. Tomáš Louda, CSc. (100%)
- **Lecturer:** Ing. Bohumila Čabanová, Ph.D. (100%), Bc. et Mgr. Ilona Kostadinovová (100%), JUDr. Tomáš Louda, CSc. (100%)
- **Seminar lecturer:** Ing. Bohumila Čabanová, Ph.D. (100%), Bc. et Mgr. Ilona Kostadinovová (100%)

Literature

- **Recommended:** Matoušek, O. : *Rodina jako instituce a vztahová síť*. Praha, Sociolog. nakl., 1993.
- **Recommended:** Mareš, Petr. *Nezaměstnanost jako sociální problém*. Vyd. 3., dopl. Praha : Sociologické nakladatelství, 2002. ISBN 80-86429-08-3.
- **Recommended:** Engliš, K. *Sociální politika*. Praha, F. Topič.
- **Recommended:** Tomeš, Igor. *Sociální politika : teorie a mezinárodní zkušenost*. 2., přeprac. vyd. Praha : Socioklub, 2001. ISBN 80-86484-00-9.
- **Recommended:** Kotous, Jan. *Sociální politika v evropských zemích : sborník učebních textů*. 1.vyd. Praha : Karolinum, 1995. ISBN 80-7184-099-8.
- **Recommended:** Tomeš, Igor. *Sociální právo České republiky*. Praha : Linde Praha, 2014. ISBN 978-80-7201-938-0.
- **Recommended:** Večeřa, Miloš. *Sociální stát : Východiska a přístupy*. 1. vyd. Praha, 1993. ISBN 80-901424-6-X.
- **Recommended:** Vostatek, J. *Sociální zabezpečení, teorie a politika*. VŠE Praha, 1995.
- **Recommended:** Žižková, J. a kol. *Úvod do studia sociální politiky*. VŠE Praha.
- **Recommended:** Musil, Libor. *Vývoj sociálního státu v Evropě : čítanka z historie moderní evropské sociální politiky ; editor Libor Musil ; [z angličtiny přeložila Jana Ogrocká]*. Vyd. 1. Brno : Doplněk, 1996. ISBN 80-85765-62-4.

Time requirements

All forms of study

Activities	Time requirements for activity [h]
Preparation for comprehensive test (10-40)	32
Undergraduate study programme term essay (20-40)	20
Contact hours	52
Total:	104

assessment methods

Knowledge - knowledge achieved by taking this course are verified by the following means:

Test

Individual presentation at a seminar

prerequisite

Knowledge - students are expected to possess the following knowledge before the course commences to finish it successfully:

Not specified

teaching methods

Knowledge - the following training methods are used to achieve the required knowledge:

Lecture

Seminar

learning outcomes

Knowledge - knowledge resulting from the course:

The students are acquainted with important problems of social and health policy and administration, and their institutional background.

Course is included in study programmes:

Study Programme	Type of	Form of	Branch	Stage	St. plan v.	Year	Block	Status	R.year	R.
Legal Specialization	Bachelor	Full-time	Legal Specialisation	1	20	2023	Obligatory subjects - 2nd year	A	2	LS
Legal Specialization	Bachelor	Full-time	Public Administration	1	18	2023	Obligatory subjects - 2nd year	A	2	LS
Legal Specialization	Bachelor	Full-time	Public Administration	1	17	2023	Obligatory subjects - 2nd year	A	2	LS