Syllabus

Course Description

Course Title	Principles of Sociology
Course Code	17261
Course Title Additional	
Scientific-Disciplinary Sector	GSPS-05/A
Language	English
Degree Course	Bachelor in Communication Sciences and Culture
Other Degree Courses (Loaned)	
Lecturers	Prof. Ilaria Riccioni, Ilaria.Riccioni@unibz.it https://www.unibz.it/en/faculties/education/academic-staff/person/14335
Teaching Assistant	
Semester	First semester
Course Year/s	1
CP	6
Teaching Hours	45
Lab Hours	0
Individual Study Hours	105
Planned Office Hours	18
Contents Summary	The course provides a general overview of the scientific content and foundations of sociology in terms of basic concepts, theories and methods of sociological knowledge. The distinction between micro-, meso- and macro-sociology and their respective theoretical frameworks will be introduced.
Course Topics	Theories, concepts and methodologies for social research.
Keywords	Sociology - everyday life - theories - methodologies - social research - social understanding.
Recommended Prerequisites	
Propaedeutic Courses	

Teaching Format	Lectures and class presentations.
Mandatory Attendance	In accordance with the regulation
Specific Educational Objectives and Learning Outcomes	Principles and foundations of sociology sps07 general sociology, area di base The aim of the course is to provide students with a general ability to understand social dynamics and their overall implications in the communication society. The learning outcomes need to refer to the Dublin Descriptors: - Knowledge and understanding - Applying knowledge and understanding - Making judegments - Communication skills - Learning skills
Specific Educational Objectives and Learning Outcomes (additional info.)	
Assessment	- written exam - (open-ended questions) + optional oral exam to verify the elaboration of experiences and/or topics of the course + Project work (written projects/applied projects/class presentation)
Evaluation Criteria	The final grade will be based on: relevant to the written exam (with questions): - ability to interact with the concepts and theories and apply them to everyday situations; - logical structure - ability to argue - accuracy For the oral exam: speaking skills, argumentation skills, critical analysis skills, ability to summarize in one's own words, reflection. Written projects or class presentations will be evaluated with a plus or a minus on the basis of: - communication skills shown

	- abilities to summarize topics - ability to argue - accuracy
Required Readings	The course books will be indicated on the first day of class.
Supplementary Readings	Each lecture will include suggested readings appropriate to the topic.
Further Information	
Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	No poverty, Quality education, Peace, justice and strong institutions, Reduced inequalities, Gender equality