

Syllabus

Kursbeschreibung

Titel der Lehrveranstaltung	Sozialpolitik und Sozialwesen
Code der Lehrveranstaltung	64227
Zusätzlicher Titel der Lehrveranstaltung	
Wissenschaftlich-disziplinärer Bereich	NN
Sprache	Englisch; Italienisch
Studiengang	Bachelor in Sozialpädagogik
Andere Studiengänge (gem. Lehrveranstaltung)	
Dozenten/Dozentinnen	Prof. Kolis Summerer, kolis.summerer@unibz.it https://www.unibz.it/en/faculties/education/academic-staff/person/27181 dr. Alessandra Piccoli, Alessandra.Piccoli@unibz.it https://www.unibz.it/en/home/research/competence-centre-management-cooperatives/team/person//38540
Wissensch. Mitarbeiter/Mitarbeiterin	
Semester	Erstes Semester
Studienjahr/e	2
KP	8
Vorlesungsstunden	48
Laboratoriumsstunden	0
Stunden für individuelles Studium	152
Vorgesehene Sprechzeiten	24
Inhaltsangabe	The course examines welfare systems, the actors and processes that shape social policy, and the organisation of social services, while providing an overview of the legal framework governing the

	protection of children and families. Particular attention is paid to the interaction between public institutions, social services, and the judicial system in promoting rights, protection, and social inclusion.
Themen der Lehrveranstaltung	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evolution and models of welfare systems - Actors, governance, and processes in social policy - Organisation, design, and evaluation of social services - Innovation, social inclusion, and transformations of welfare systems - Legal framework governing children and families - Children's rights and family relationships - The role of social services and judicial authorities in child protection - Foster care, adoption, and child protection measures - Civil and criminal protection of children - The juvenile justice system
Stichwörter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welfare - Social policy - Social services - Governance - Child protection - Children's rights - Family - Juvenile justice
Empfohlene Voraussetzungen	
Propädeutische Lehrveranstaltungen	
Unterrichtsform	Lectures, guided discussions, analysis of case studies and practical cases, examination of academic literature, legal sources, and policy documents, group work, and student presentations, with particular emphasis on developing critical analysis skills and the ability to apply theoretical knowledge to practical contexts.
Anwesenheitspflicht	In accordance with the regulation
Spezifische Bildungsziele und erwartete Lernergebnisse	<p>Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand the principles, evolution, and models of welfare systems and social policies; • analyse the role of the main actors involved in the design, organisation, and delivery of social services;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • demonstrate knowledge of the legal framework governing the protection of children and families, as well as the functions of the relevant institutions and social services; • understand the interactions between social policies, welfare services, and legal protection mechanisms; • apply the knowledge acquired to the analysis of practical cases, developing critical thinking and problem-solving skills.
Spezifisches Bildungsziel und erwartete Lernergebnisse (zusätzliche Informationen)	
Art der Prüfung	Oral exam
Bewertungskriterien	<p>The oral examination assesses the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the relevance and depth of the knowledge acquired; - clarity of presentation and appropriate use of terminology; - argumentative skills; - critical analysis.
Pflichtliteratur	<p>Greve, B. (Ed.). (2022). <i>The Routledge Handbook of the Welfare State</i> (2nd ed.). Routledge. (selected chapters).</p> <p>G. Magno (2019). <i>Elementi di diritto minorile</i>, Giuffrè, Milano.</p>
Weiterführende Literatur	<p>Powell, M., Yörük, E., & Bargu, A. (Eds.). (2024). <i>The Routledge International Handbook of Welfare State Systems</i>. Routledge.</p> <p>Borzaga, C., & Galera, G. (Eds.). (2023). <i>The New Frontiers of the Social Economy in Europe</i>.</p> <p>Moulaert, F., MacCallum, D., Mehmood, A., & Hamdouch, A. (2013). <i>The International Handbook on Social Innovation</i>.</p> <p>Greve, B. (2022). <i>Welfare and the Welfare State: Central Issues Now and in the Future</i>. Routledge.</p>
Weitere Informationen	
Ziele für nachhaltige Entwicklung (SDGs)	Keine Armut, Gesundheit und Wohlergehen, Frieden, Gerechtigkeit und starke Institutionen, Geschlechter-Gleichheit, Weniger Ungleichheiten, Hochwertige Bildung

Titel des Bestandteils der Lehrveranstaltung	Actors and processes of welfare production
Code der Lehrveranstaltung	64227A
Wissenschaftlich-disziplinärer Bereich	GSPS-08/A
Sprache	Englisch
Dozenten/Dozentinnen	dr. Alessandra Piccoli, Alessandra.Piccoli@unibz.it https://www.unibz.it/en/home/research/competence-centre-management-cooperatives/team/person//38540
Wissensch. Mitarbeiter/Mitarbeiterin	
Semester	Erstes Semester
KP	4
Verantwortliche/r Dozent/in	
Vorlesungsstunden	24
Laboratoriumsstunden	0
Stunden für individuelles Studium	76
Vorgesehene Sprechzeiten	12
Inhaltsangabe	<p>This course provides an introduction to welfare systems, their evolution, governance, and contemporary challenges. Students explore the origins of welfare states, comparative welfare models, and key theories of social protection, citizenship, and social rights. The course examines the roles of the state, market, civil society, and social economy organisations in welfare provision, with particular attention to collaborative and multi-level governance. It analyses welfare policy design, service delivery, co-production, community-based approaches, participation, and social innovation. Contemporary transformations, including marketisation, demographic change, migration, digitalisation, and sustainability challenges, are critically discussed. Finally, students learn how to evaluate welfare systems through social impact assessment, equity, accessibility, quality, accountability, and governance frameworks, developing the analytical skills needed to understand future welfare developments.</p>

Themen der Lehrveranstaltung	<p>Module 1. Understanding Welfare Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Origins and evolution of welfare states - Main welfare regimes and comparative welfare models - Welfare state theories and contemporary challenges - Social rights, citizenship and social protection <p>Module 2. Welfare Actors and Governance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The state as welfare provider and regulator - Market actors and welfare provision - Civil society organisations and the third sector - Social economy and social enterprises in welfare systems - Multi-level and collaborative governance <p>Module 3. Welfare Processes and Service Delivery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welfare policy design and implementation - Co-production and co-design of public services - Integrated and community-based welfare - Participation, empowerment and social inclusion - Social innovation in welfare services <p>Module 4. Current Transformations of Welfare</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welfare reforms and marketisation - Demographic change and ageing societies - Migration, diversity and welfare inclusion - Digitalisation and technological innovation in welfare - Sustainability and emerging welfare challenges <p>Module 5. Evaluating Welfare Systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Social impact and outcome measurement - Equity, accessibility and service quality - Welfare governance and accountability - Future perspectives for welfare systems
Unterrichtsform	<p>Teaching methods will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Online lectures introducing key theoretical concepts and debates - Discussion of academic readings and policy documents - Case studies from national and international welfare systems - Group discussions and peer-learning activities - Student presentations on selected welfare topics - Guided analysis of welfare policies and organisational practices

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Kursmodul

Titel des Bestandteils der Lehrveranstaltung	Kinder- und Jugendrecht
Code der Lehrveranstaltung	64227B
Wissenschaftlich-disziplinärer Bereich	GIUR-14/A
Sprache	Italienisch
Dozenten/Dozentinnen	Prof. Kolis Summerer, kolis.summerer@unibz.it https://www.unibz.it/en/faculties/education/academic-staff/person/27181
Wissensch. Mitarbeiter/Mitarbeiterin	
Semester	Erstes Semester
KP	4
Verantwortliche/r Dozent/in	
Vorlesungsstunden	24
Laboratoriumsstunden	0
Stunden für individuelles Studium	76
Vorgesehene Sprechzeiten	12
Inhaltsangabe	<p>The course aims to provide an overview of the legal framework for the protection of children and the juvenile justice system.</p> <p>Following an examination of the relevant national, European, and international legal sources, the course analyses the fundamental</p>

	legal institutions that shape the child protection system in the Italian legal system, with particular attention to emerging issues and the most significant challenges arising in legal practice.
Themen der Lehrveranstaltung	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The legal framework governing children and families - Judicial authorities - The role of social services - The legal status and rights of the child - The family and family relationships - Parent–child relationships - Foster care and adoption - The juvenile justice system
Unterrichtsform	Lectures, guided classroom discussions, and analysis of practical cases.
Pfichtliteratur	G. Magno, Elementi di diritto minorile, Giuffrè, Milano, 2019 (selected chapters)
Weiterführende Literatur	