Syllabus

Course Description

Course Title	Principles of Sociology
Course Code	51118
Course Title Additional	
Scientific-Disciplinary Sector	GSPS-05/A
Language	Italian
Degree Course	Bachelor in Social Work
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	Second semester
Course Year/s	1
CP	6
Teaching Hours	36
Lab Hours	0
Individual Study Hours	114
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 - understanding social dynamics
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 contemporary 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) + oral exam + applied projects to be discussed during lectures/class presentation/written paper (min. 15 pp. + bibliography) to be agreed with the lecturer and submitted 20 days before the exam date.
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, etc. For the oral exam: - expressive skills and abilities, - argumentative skills, - critical analysis skills, - synthesis skills, - reflectivity For project, classroom presentation or written essay, the following will be assessed: - communication skills - ability to summarise

	- argumentation skills - relevance to the course topics
Required Readings	Textbooks will be indicated on the first day of class. They will then be available in the power point in the first lecture of the course.
Supplementary Readings	Each lecture will have a specific supplementary bibliography for any further study of the topic covered.
Further Information	
Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	No poverty, Quality education, Peace, justice and strong institutions, Sustainable cities and communities, Gender equality