

Course Unit	Socioanthropology		Field of study	Sociology	
Bachelor in	Gerontology		School	School of Health	
Academic Year	2023/2024	Year of study	1	Level	1-1
Type	Semestral	Semester	2	ECTS credits	4.0
Workload (hours)		108	Contact hours	T - TP 30 PL - TC - S - E - OT 10 O -	
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T - Lectures; TP - Lectures and problem-solving; PL - Problem-solving, project or laboratory; TC - Fieldwork; S - Seminar; E - Placement; OT - Tutorial; O - Other

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Learning outcomes and competences

At the end of the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:

1. Identify the study object of social sciences.
2. Recognize the plurality of social sciences and the uniqueness of social reality
3. Know the main theoretical perspectives in sociology and anthropology and its applications.
4. Know the central concepts in sociology and anthropology. .
5. Identify what are social phenomena: social organization, social stratification, social mobility.
6. Know the causes and consequences of the globalization and amodernity.
7. Recognize the social and anthropological analysis of the community.
8. Know the methods and techniques of social research.

Prerequisites

Before the course unit the learner is expected to be able to:
None

Course contents

1. Introduction to social sciences. 2. Synthesis of main concepts in sociology and anthropology. 3. Social phenomenol: social organization, social stratification, social mobility. 4. Causes and consequences of the globalization and amodernity. 5. Social and anthropological analysis of the community, family and health. 6. Methods and techniques of social research.

Course contents (extended version)

1. Study object of social sciences.
2. Plurality of social sciences and the uniqueness of social reality
3. The main theoretical perspectives in sociology and anthropology and its applications.
4. Central concepts in sociology and anthropology. .
5. Social phenomena: social organization, social stratification, social mobility.
6. Causes and consequences of the globalization and amodernity.
7. Social and anthropological analysis of the community.
8. Methods and techniques of social research.

Recommended reading

1. Giddens, A. (2002). Sociologia. Lisboa: Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian.
2. Nunes, A. S. (2001) Questões preliminares sobre as Ciências Sociais. Lisboa: Editorial Presença
3. Campenhoudt, L. V. (2012). Introdução à análise dos fenómenos sociais. Lisboa: Gradiva
4. Silva, A. S. & Pinto, J. M. (1986). Metodologia das Ciências Sociais. Porto: Edições Afrontamento
5. Sassen. S. (2011). Sociologia da Globalização. Edições ARTMED.

Teaching and learning methods

Theoretical-practical classroom classes are fundamentally based on the exposition of the themes included in the program, through multimedia resources and whiteboard. The theoretical expositions will be complemented by the presentation and debate of brief cases, generally based in real situations. Presentation of group work .

Assessment methods

1. Alternative 1 - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final, Supplementary, Special)
 - Final Written Exam - 100%
2. Alternative 2 - (Regular, Student Worker) (Final, Special)
 - Intermediate Written Test - 70%
 - Practical Work - 30%

Language of instruction

Portuguese

Electronic validation

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