

Subject				
Sociology				
ECTS code	Semester	Faculty: Finance		
	5	Major: Finance and Accounting		
		Corporate Finance and Accounting		
Faculty:				
Lecture: prof. A. Karwińska / dr M. Jelonek				
Classes: -				
System of studies:				
full time, first degree				
Subject status	Pass requirement	Number of contact hours		ECTS points
		Lectures	Classes	
Elective course	Written exam	30	-	3
Teaching language				
English				
Subject provisions and objectives (including the expected can-do of students on completion of the course)				
<p>This course is an introduction to sociology as a field of study that explains social, political, and economic phenomena in terms of social structures, social forces, and group relations. Student will leave this course with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ An understanding of the main sociological perspectives;✓ An understanding of several important sociological theories;✓ An awareness of the range and limitations of sociological theory and research;✓ An understanding of sociological methods;✓ The ability to apply these perspectives and theories to contemporary social problems;✓ An excellent foundation for further study				
Teaching curriculum (in case of prescribed subjects, compliance with the standards, maximum 15 topics)				
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Science and society. Sociology as science - the sociological perspective2. Evolution of sociology. Sociological Theory3. Social science methodology4. Culture and Society5. Micro, mezzo and macro perspective6. Social structure, stratification and inequalities7. Poverty and unemployment8. Education and society9. Sociology of media and Internet10. Family: from tradition to diversity11. Work: from certainty to flexibility12. The globalizing of culture, economy and social life13. Living with risk – environmental, economic, technological and social crises14. Social change and social movement in modern society				
Class topics (maximum 15 topics)				
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Introductory topics
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Teaching methods
The course will primarily consist of lectures addressing various social questions and issues. There will also be class discussions and, occasionally, films.
Basic literature and Rother sources
Giddens, A. (1998), Sociology, Polity Press. (selected excerpts) Barnard A., Burgess T. and Kirby M. (2004), AS and A Level Sociology, Cambridge University Press. (selected excerpts) Stolley, K. (2005), The basics of sociology, Greenwood Press: London. (selected excerpts)
Pass requirements for signature/examination
The final exam will be a multiple choice, short answer exam. The final exam is a comprehensive exam covering all the lectures, and required readings
Examples of questions for tests and examinations
Which of the following pairs are correctly matched? 1. Erving Goffman : Social Structure 2. Redcliffe Brown : Structural Functionalism 3. Talcott Parsons : Social Action 4. Max Weber : Structuralism