

COURSE SYLLABUS

Social Work, Participation and Inclusion, 7.5 credits

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Course Code:	HDEN16	Education Cycle:	First-cycle level
Confirmed:	Mar 07, 2016	Disciplinary domain:	Social sciences
Valid From:	Aug 24, 2026	Subject group:	Social Work and Social Welfare
		Specialised in:	G2F First cycle, has at least 60 credits in first-cycle course/s as entry requirements
		Main field of study:	Social Work

Intended Learning Outcomes (ILO)

On completion of the course the student will be able to:

Knowledge and Understanding

- understand concepts like social policy, welfare, participation and citizenship in relation to welfare societies in transition
- understand various perspectives on disability, ageing and ethnicity in relation to social work practice.

Skills and Abilities

- discuss the interplay between societal processes on structural level and individual living conditions
- discuss participation in relation to social support.

Judgement and Approach

- reflect on the social workers' professional approach in relation to participation and citizenship.

Content

- participation, inclusion, integration, citizenship and societal processes in welfare societies
- perspectives on disability, ageing and ethnicity
- empowerment and social mobilization
- voluntary activities and social networks
- users' involvement in assessment processes and problem solving

Type of Instruction

The course is given in the form of lectures and seminars.

Language of instruction is English.

Entry Requirements

General entry requirements and passing grades in courses of 60 credits in the main subject of Social Work or equivalent..

Examination and Grades

The course is graded A, B, C, D, E, FX or F.

The examination will be conducted in the form of an individual paper.

The course examiner is a senior lecturer.

Registration of examination:

Name of the Test	Value	Grading
Examination	7.5 credits	A/B/C/D/E/FX/F

Other Information

Attendance requirements

Attendance is compulsory in seminars.

Course Literature

Please note that the course literature may be revised up to eight weeks before the start of the course.

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Scientific articles.