

SYLLABUS

Contemporary sociological theory 7.5 credits S0022A

Modern sociologisk teori

Course syllabus admitted: Autumn 2023 Sp 1 - Present

**DECISION DATE
2023-02-15**

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First cycle, S0022A

Education level	Grade scale	Subject	Subject group (SCB)
First cycle	U G VG *	Sociologi	Sociology

Main field of study

Sociology

Entry requirements

In order to meet the general entry requirements for first cycle studies you must have successfully completed upper secondary education and documented skills in English language and completed the course Basic Theory in Sociology (S0015A) 7,5 credits, with at least a passing grade, or equivalent.

Selection

The selection is based on 1-165 credits.

Course Aim

After completing the course, the student should be able to:

- Explain modern sociological theory and modern sociological traditions;
- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a selection of modern sociologists and their theories and how these relate to modern sociological traditions;
- Critically reflect on these modern sociological theories;
- Apply modern sociological theories to specific social phenomena.

Contents

The course builds on the knowledge the student has from basic courses. The course includes; In-depth study of current sociological theory, which is related to previous courses, with a focus on society, organization, individual, punishment and monitoring and a gender perspective.

Realization

Each course occasion's language and form is stated and appear on the course page on Luleå University of Technology's website.

The teaching is mainly in the form of lectures which shall be regarded as a supplement to your textbook. The course also requires an active participation in seminars.

Examination

If there is a decision on special educational support, in accordance with the Guideline Student's rights and obligations at Luleå University of Technology, an adapted or alternative form of examination can be provided.

Assessment is through active participation in seminars and through a take-home exam.

Seminar 2,5 hp

Take-home examination 5,0 hp

Unauthorized aids during exams and assessments

If a student, by using unauthorized aids, tries to mislead during an exam or when a study performance is to be assessed, disciplinary measures may be taken. The term “unauthorized aids” refers to aids that the teacher has not previously specified as permissible aids and that may assist in solving the examination task. This means that all aids not specified as permissible are prohibited. The Swedish version has interpretative precedence in the event of a conflict.

Remarks

Students must register for the courses themselves, or contact ETKS educational administration eduetks@ltu.se, not later than three days after the quarter commences. Failure to do so can result in the place being lost. This rule also applies to students with a guaranteed place.

Transition terms

Course offered by

Department of Social Sciences, Technology and Arts

Modules

Code	Description	Grade scale	Cr	Status	From period	Title
0003	Semenars	U G#	2.5	Mandatory	A13	
0004	Take-home examination	U G VG *	5	Mandatory	A23	

Study guidance

Study guidance for the course is to be found in our learning platform Canvas before the course starts. Students applying for single subject courses get more information in the Welcome letter. You will find the learning platform via My LTU.

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Syllabus established

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