

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Code: 1IFI/EPF/16**Course title:** Political Philosophy**Field of study:****Guarantor:** prof. Mgr. Vladislav Suvák, PhD.**Lectured by:** Institute of Philosophy
doc. Mgr. Sandra Zákuťná, PhD.**Semester:****Contact lessons:** Lecture, Seminar**Number of
ECTS
credits:**

WT, ST

Recommended course load (in lessons): 5**Weekly:** -**Per course:** 1,2**Course assessment and completion:** Exam**Continuous assessment:**

The course is completed by an exam. During the semester student presents at the seminar form of critical and analytical performance on chosen topic, and submits independent semestral work. During the exam period he realizes written exam.

Final assessment:

exam

Course objective:

After the course the student will be able:

- to apply practical interpreting and analytical skills by the work with philosophical texts concerning social philosophy, follow theoretical knowledge gained from Social philosophy 1
- characterise terms and principles of social philosophy with the emphasis on contemporary conceptions
- characterise and assess problems concerning the society- questions about politics, citizenship, law, responsibility, equality, justice, morality and similarly.

Course content:

Relation of social philosophy with other philosophical disciplines-political philosophy, political sociology, politology, philosophy of state, philosophy of law, philosophy of history, history of philosophy, philosophical anthropology, sociology. Theory of equality-types of equality, inequality. Theory of justice-term, role and principles of justice. Rousseau, Kant, Rawls, Popper, Dahrendorf, Huntington. Contemporary socio-ethical conceptions- liberalism, conservatism, communitarianism, socialism. Contemporary questions and problems of social philosophy.

Textbooks and references:

- BRISKORN, N., 2009. Sozialphilosophie. Stuttgart.
 BURAJ, I. a kolektív., 1998. Sociálna filozofia. Bratislava.
 FORSCHNER, M., 1989. Mensch und Gesellschaft. Grundbegriffe der Sozialphilosophie. Darmstadt.
 GAUS, G. F., 1999. Social Philosophy. New York.
 HABERMAS, J., 1971. Theorie und Praxis. Sozialphilosophische Studien. Frankfurt am Main.
 HOLZBACHOVÁ, I., 2011. Příspěvky k dějinám francouzské filozofie společnosti. Brno.

HONETH, A., 1996. Sociální filosofie a postmoderní etika. Praha.
HORSTER, D., 2005. Sozialphilosophie. Leipzig.
ORECHOV, A. M., 2011. Social'naja filosofija. Predmet, strukturnyje profily i vyzovy na rubeže XXI veka. Moskva.
RÖTGER, K., 2002. Kategorien der Sozialphilosophie. Magdeburg.
THOMAS, L., 2008. Contemporary Debates in Social Philosophy. Oxford.

Language of instruction:

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