

25520 - Social philosophy

Información del Plan Docente

Academic Year	2018/19
Subject	25520 - Social philosophy
Faculty / School	103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras
Degree	269 - Degree in Philosophy
ECTS	6.0
Year	3
Semester	First semester
Subject Type	Compulsory
Module	---

1.General information

1.1.Aims of the course

1.2.Context and importance of this course in the degree

1.3.Recommendations to take this course

2.Learning goals

2.1.Competences

2.2.Learning goals

2.3.Importance of learning goals

3.Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

3.1.Assessment tasks (description of tasks, marking system and assessment criteria)

4.Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

4.1.Methodological overview

See "Learning activities " and "Program".

More information will be provided on the first day of class.

4.2.Learning tasks

- Theoretical lectures.
- Practical lectures.
- Individual work.
- Personal study.
- Assessment activities.

4.3.Syllabus

[1] Introduction: concept of Social Philosophy. The German tradition.

[2] German Social Philosophy in 19th Century: three answers to the problems of modern society.

[3] Into the 20th Century: Max Weber's Social Philosophy.

[3.1] Social rationalisation

[3.2] Weber or Marx? Rationalisation and alienation

[4] The Frankfurt School

[4.1] Introduction to the Frankfurt School

[4.2] Max Horkheimer's and Theodor W. Adorno's *Dialectic of Enlightenment*

4.2.1. Concept of Enlightenment

4.2.2. Enlightenment and morality

4.2.3. The Culture Industry

[5] Beyond *Dialectic of Enlightenment*. Jürgen Habermas's Social Theory

[5.1] Rationality and modernity.

[5.2] Discourse Ethics.

[5.3] Deliberative Democracy.

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[5.4] The critic of Postmodernity.

[6] Some other approaches: an overview of contemporary Social Philosophy.

4.4.Course planning and calendar

See the academic calendar of the University of Zaragoza (<http://academico.unizar.es/calendario-academico/calendario>) and the website of the Faculty of Philosophy and Arts (*Schedule of classes*: <https://fyl.unizar.es/horario-de-clases#overlay-context=horario-de-clases>; Examination schedule: <https://fyl.unizar.es/calendario-de-examenes#overlay-context=>)

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4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources