Course offer in English in Sociology

General information:

- Sociology is located within the Department of History, Sociology, Sport Science and Empirical Educational Research in the Faculty of Humanities at the University of Konstanz.
- The Departmental section of Sociology offers the following study programmes:
  - B.A. Sociology
  - M.A. Sociology
  - M.A. Anthropology and Sociology
  - M.A. Sociology of Inequality *(taught entirely in English)*
- Exchange students in the Departmental section of Sociology (like students of any other host department) are free to choose courses across programmes, departments and even faculties as long as they fulfil the necessary prerequisites (e.g. prior knowledge (methodology) in a discipline) and the course is available.
- In the Departmental section of Sociology it is mostly introductory lectures on B.A. level for students in lower semesters that are on offer repetitively. After the fundamental introduction to their discipline, students choose from a set of elective seminars. The topics of those seminars change every semester. Therefore, we advise incoming students to look at past semester’s course catalogues in order to get a general idea what the offer usually looks like.
- On M.A. level many seminars are on offer each semester/every winter or summer semester.
- Further information about course and assessment types, as well as ECTS values in sociology can be found in the Incoming Student Guide (p. 66-70).

For **BA level** courses consult p. 1-2 of this list.
For **MA level** courses consult p. 3-4 of this list.

Courses offered in English in current/past semesters (BA level)

Winter semester 2023/24

- **Residential Segregation**, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- **Gendering Welfare State Research**, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- **Introduction to the Sociology of Education**, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- **Anthropology of infrastructures: confronting their inclusions and exclusions**, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- **Quanitfied Selves and the Society of Algorithms**, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- **Gender inequalities in the labour market**, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
**Summer semester 2023**

- Social movements and political protest, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Sociological Perspectives on Gender Studies, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Anthropology of Emotions, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Debating Ethnicity, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS

**Winter semester 2022/23**

- Climate Change Challenges: Workshop Prague-Konstanz Study Days on Various Aspects of Society, Politics, and Policy in the Digital Age, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Environmental Sociology, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Terror and the state, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Gender inequalities in paid and unpaid work: macro- and micro-level perspectives, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS

**Summer semester 2022**

- Discrimination in the labour market: gender, class, race, ethnicity, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Immigrant labor market integration in Europe (SOC), seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Anthropological Perspectives on the Political, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS

**Winter semester 2021/22**

- Labor and Livelihoods, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Anthropology of Gender and Sexuality, project seminar, 9 ECTS
- Gender and Politics, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Global South Urbanisms, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS

**Summer semester 2021**

- Introduction to Environmental Anthropology, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Discrimination on the Labour Market: Gender, Class, Race and Ethnicity, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Gender and the Welfare State, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Sociology of Migration, seminar, choice between 3 or 6 ECTS
- Bruno Latour, seminar, 6 ECTS
Courses offered in English in past semesters (MA level)

Recurring offer

**Colloquium Empirical Social Research**, colloquium, 3 ECTS *(each semester)*
**Colloquium for Exam Candidates, PhD Students and Post-Docs**, colloquium, 3 ECTS *(each semester)*
**Seminar Series in Cultural and Social Anthropology**, colloquium, 3 ECTS *(each semester)*
**Sociology of Gender Inequalities**, seminar, 6 ECTS *(winter semester only)*
**Introduction: Sociology of Inequality**, lecture, 3 ECTS *(winter semester only)*
**Measurement of Inequality**, seminar, 6 ECTS *(winter semester only)*
**Regression Analysis**, seminar, choice between 6 or 9 ECTS *(winter semester only)*

Winter semester 2023/24

**Ethnic Inequality**, seminar, choice between 3, 6 or 9 ECTS
**Climate Change, Green Transition and Sustainability, Challenges for society and politics of policy-making**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
**Social Inequality and Political Protest**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
**Possible Futures**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
**Populism in the Present: Sociological Perspectives**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS

Summer semester 2023

**Inequality and Differentiation in World Society**, seminar, choice between 6 or 9 ECTS
**Political Inequality**, seminar, choice between 6 or 9 ECTS
**Organisations, Markets and Morality**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
**Advanced Methods**, seminar, choice between 6 or 9 ECTS
**Gender inequalities in comparative perspective**, seminar, 9 ECTS
**Identity Politics**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS

Winter semester 2022/23

**The Politics of Inequality - Comparative Perspectives**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
**Critical Human Rights**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
**Ethnic and Social Inequality on Housing Markets: The roles of social status and ethnicity**, seminar, 6 ECTS
**Societies and Temporalities: the Social Shapes of Time**, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS

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Survey Experiments, seminar, 9 ECTS
Sociology of Inequality, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
Estimating Inequality, seminar, 9 ECTS
Social Mobility, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
Power and Resistance, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS

Winter semester 2021/22

Politics, Violence, and Crime, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
Gender Inequalities, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
Inequalities in the German Educational System, Part 2, project seminar, 18 ECTS
Anthropology of Emotions, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
Advanced Qualitative Research 1, seminar, 9 ECTS
Multi-level Data Analysis, seminar, 9 ECTS
Quantitative Data Analysis, seminar, 9 ECTS
Problems in Empirical Research, seminar, 9 ECTS

Summer semester 2021

Anthropological Approaches to Local Economies, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS
Problems in empirical research, seminar, 9 ECTS
Causal Analysis, seminar, 9 ECTS
What is Security? Perspectives from Social and Cultural Anthropology, seminar, choice between 3 or 9 ECTS