

Faculty of Economic Sciences

Course title: SOCIAL POLICY

ECTS credit allocation (and other scores): 3,5

Semester: autumn

Level of study: ISCED-6 – second-cycle programmes (EQF-6)

Branch of science: Social sciences

Language: English

Number of hours per semester: 30

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Type of classes: classes

Substantive content

CLASSES:

Learning purpose: The goal of the subject is to present the social consequences of the economic policy during the period of transformation, basic transformations of the social structure from the perspective of the goals and tasks of the social policy, transformations of the social policy system serving solution and mitigation of the dominating social issues, effectiveness of the implemented social policy.

On completion of the study programme the graduate will gain:

Knowledge: Acquiring by the students of the knowledge on social policy as well as methods and tools applied for solving social issues;

Skills: The student is able to evaluate the currently implemented social policy and is also able to analyse the existing solutions of social issues;

Social Competencies: The student know how to make a choice of active and passive social policy instruments in professional situations:

Basic literature: Lavalette A. Pratt A., "Social Policy: Theories. Concepts and Issues" Sage Publications Ltd. 2005; Lister R. "Understanding Theories and Concepts in Social Policy" Policy Press 2010,

Supplementary literature: Alcock P., Haux T., May M., Wright S. (eds) "The Student's Companion to Social Policy" Wiley-Blackwell 2016

The allocated number of ECTS points consists of:

1)Contact hours with an academic teacher: 30h

2) Student's independent work: 50h