

Social status, social interactions and capital: social science applications in public health

Description

Social status, social interactions and capital are key social science concepts that public health has drawn on fruitfully to elucidate various public health problems from the social determinants of health to health care team and health-provider/patient communication. In this course, we examine these concepts, drawing on founding texts from the social sciences and seeing how they have been applied in the fields of public health and health services. Understanding the origin and meaning of these concepts will help researchers to situate and weigh the role of the social in the study of health and health services.

Objectives

To gain greater understanding of social science concepts and how they can be applied in public health research.

Dates

Monday, 30 September, 7 and 14 October, 2019

Eligibility

PhD students of SSPH+ PhD Program in Public Health

Other students and external participants (subject to availability)

Course Structure

Presentations, guided discussions, group work and small assignments during and after the course.

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Assessment	Preparatory work, active participation during course days, and wrap-up work										
Credits	<p>2 ECTS</p> <p>Preparation Work: 5h, Contact: 18h, Homework: 20h, Wrap-Up Work: 20h</p> <p>(1 ECTS corresponds to appr. 30 hours' workload)</p>										
Facilitators	<p>Kristen Jafflin, University of Basel</p> <p>Stéphane Cullati, University of Geneva</p>										
Location	ISPM, University Bern, Mittelstrasse 43, room 216										
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Registration	Please register online on our homepage
Deadline	August 30, 2019
Max. Attendance	20 (preference is given to SSPH+ PhD Students)

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