

Bachelor in Communication Sciences and Culture (L-20)

<b>Course title:</b>	Principles of Sociology
<b>Course year:</b>	1st
<b>Semester:</b>	1st
<b>Course Code:</b>	17261
<b>Scientific sector:</b>	SPS/07
<b>Lecturer:</b>	Prof. Iaria Riccioni <a href="mailto:Iaria.Riccioni@unibz.it">Iaria.Riccioni@unibz.it</a>
<b>Module:</b>	No
<b>Lecturer other module:</b>	/
<b>Credit Points:</b>	6
<b>Total lecturing hours:</b>	45
<b>Total Hours of availability for students and tutoring:</b>	18
<b>Office hours:</b>	from Monday to Friday on request
<b>Attendance:</b>	according to the regulations
<b>Teaching Language:</b>	English
<b>Propaedeutic course:</b>	This course is preparatory for "Sociologia della cultura" at the second year.
<b>Course description:</b>	<i>The course provides a general overview of the scientific content and foundations of sociology in terms of basic concepts, theories and methods of sociological knowledge. The distinction between micro-, meso- and macro-sociology and their respective theoretical frameworks will be introduced.</i>
<b>Specific educational objectives:</b>	<i>Principles and foundations of sociology sps07 general sociology, area di base</i>  <i>The aim of the course is to provide students with a general ability to understand social dynamics and their overall implications in the communication society.</i>
<b>List of topics covered:</b>	Theories, concepts and methodologies for social research
<b>Teaching format:</b>	Lectures and group work
<b>Learning outcomes:</b>	<i>The learning outcomes need to refer to the Dublin Descriptors:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge and understanding</li> <li>• Applying knowledge and understanding</li> <li>• Making judgments</li> <li>• Communication skills</li> <li>• Learning skills</li> </ul>
<b>Assessment:</b>	- <i>written exam - (open-ended questions) + oral exam to verify the elaboration of experiences and/or topics of the course</i>

	<i>+ Project work done during the course (written group projects/applied projects)</i>
<b>Evaluation criteria and criteria for awarding marks:</b>	<p><i>The final grade will be based on:</i></p> <p><i>relevant to the written exam (with questions): ability to interact with the concepts and theories and apply them to everyday situations; logical structure, ability to argue, accuracy, etc.</i></p> <p><i>For the oral exam: speaking skills, argumentation skills, critical analysis skills, ability to summarize in one's own words, reflection.</i></p>
<b>Required readings:</b>	The course books will be indicated on the first day of class.
<b>Supplementary readings:</b>	Each lecture will include suggested readings appropriate to the topic.