
(NMGr) Programme 6703T020: Public and Social Policy (PASP)

Master's Programme 6703T020: Public and Social Policy

Academic year: 2019/2020

Public and Social Policy (PSP) is a two-year English-language Master's degree programme fully accredited by the Czech Ministry of Education, which aims to provide students with current relevant knowledge of policy-making process and cultivate their analytical skills. It is taught at Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Social Sciences by members of the Institute of Sociological Studies (ISS).

The programme is developed in accordance with almost twenty years' experience with the Czech program on Public and Social Policy. It will, however, be supplemented by experience with already existing English courses and realized international research programs. Similarly, the comparative dimension will be enhanced. The theoretical grounds of the discipline will be covered especially in courses Public Policy a Social Policy. The knowledge about concrete policy domains will be provided in courses Educational Policy, Health Policy a Civil Society in Central Europe. Methodological knowledge and skills will be developed in courses Policy Analysis, Introduction to Social Research Methodology, Statistics in SPSS, Text, Narrative & Discourse Analysis a Diploma Seminar I a II. During the program, both individual and collective students work on concrete social and policy problems will be sustained.

The graduates of the programme will have current knowledge about policy-making process and they will be able to analyse these processes creatively and independently, using both quantitative and qualitative research methodology. Graduates of this program will attain the knowledge and skills required to gain employment as professionals not only in the public sector, but also in non-profit organizations and private companies.

To complete the programme the students must collect 120 ECTS credits, defend their Master's Thesis and pass the final state examination.

Study prerequisites. The PSP programme is open only to students who have already completed a Bachelors degree (or equivalent) in a related programme of study.

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Language of Instruction: English

Course Structure and Study Requirements:

Total number of all required credits (ECTS): 120 credits

Compulsory courses: 71 credits

Elective courses: 37 credits

Optional courses: 12 credits

Final state examination:

(JDIP01) Diploma thesis defence

(JSZ615) Social Policy

(JSZ616) Public Policy

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JSM406	Introduction to Data Analysis	Soukup Petrušek	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM518	Public Policy	Potůček	WS	2/1	Examination	9
JSM519	Social Policy	Angelovská	SS	2/1	Examination	9
JSM602	Health Policy	Kotherová	SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM685	Educational Policy	Kohoutek	WS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM691	Policy Analysis	Veselý	WS	2/1	Examination	9

JSM692	Introduction to Social Research Methodology	Jeřábek Remr	WS	2/2	Examination	9
JSM694	Diploma Seminar I	Frič	WS	0/2	Course credit	5
JSM695	Diploma Seminar II	Frič	SS	0/2	Course credit	6

Compulsory Courses Total ECTS 71

WS = Winter Semester (Oct. - Feb.)

SS = Summer Semester (Feb. - June).

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JSM518	Public Policy				JSM588 JSM699
JSM519	Social Policy			JSM727	JSM727
JSM685	Educational Policy			JSM739	
JSM691	Policy Analysis				JSM726
JSM692	Introduction to Social Research Methodology				JSB015 JSB529 JSM540
JSM694	Diploma Seminar I				JSM605

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JEB020	Economic Policy	Dlouhý Janský	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB025	Public Finance	Janský Palanský	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEM101	Health Economics	Votápková	SS	2/2	Examination	6
JEM165	International Political Economy	Havránková Semerák	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JMMZ334	Current Challenges in Europe	Tomalová Mejstřík	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JMM530	European Comparative Politics and Society	Rovná	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JPM649	European Political Philosophy: Freedom, Equality, Solidarity	Salamon	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JSB157	Climate Change Challenges: Workshop Prague-Constance (Konstanz)	Novotný	SS	0/2	Examination	7

	<u>Study Days on Various Aspects of Society, Politics, and Policy in the Digital Age</u>					
JSM010	<u>Advanced Statistics</u>	<u>Soukup</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM032	<u>Applied Social Research</u>	<u>Remr</u>	WS/SS	2/1	Examination	7
JSM062	<u>Borders and International Migration</u>	<u>Grygar</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	8
JSM095	<u>Study of Political Mobilization and Social Movements</u>	<u>Císař</u>	WS	2/0	Examination	6
JSM201	<u>Regulating the world of work: Policies, institutions, and outcomes</u>	<u>Drahokoupil Grygar</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	8
JSM421	<u>Contemporary Social Theory</u>	<u>Balon</u>	WS	2/0	Examination	9
JSM437	<u>Civil Society in Central Europe</u>	<u>Frič</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	8
JSM480	<u>Evaluation Research</u>	<u>Remr</u>	WS	2/0	Examination	8
JSM579	<u>Sociological Theories of Populism</u>	<u>Dvořák</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM628	<u>European policies and practice towards ethnic minorities</u>	<u>Bernard Thompson Mikes</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	9
JSM657	<u>Policy Process, Political Parties and the Welfare</u>	<u>Novotný</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM658	<u>Policy Studies Workshop: Multiple Streams Framework</u>	<u>Novotný</u>	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JSM689	<u>International Migration</u>	<u>Jelínková</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	7
JSM693	<u>Text, Narrative & Discourse Analysis</u>	<u>Hájek</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	9
JSM701	<u>Government-business interactions</u>	<u>Witz</u>	SS	7/2	Examination	4

JSM703	Current Issues in Public Policy	<u>Veselý</u>	WS	1/0	Examination	4
JSM704	Theoretical Approaches to the Policy Process	<u>Novotný</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	8
JSM706	People-oriented public service management	<u>Kváča</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	5
JSM709	Introduction to Social Policy	<u>Esien</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	4
JSM718	Theory Construction	<u>Abdelhafez</u>	SS	2/0	macc	6
JSM728	Governance and Corruption in Developing Countries	<u>Frič</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	5
JSM733	The European Union: Integration and democratization	<u>Tudjarovska Gjorgjievska</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JSM734	The Making of EU Environmental Regulation: Processes, Actors, and Tools of Implementing the Climate Action Strategy of the European Green Deal	<u>Novotný Karlas</u>	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JSM735	Contemporary Challenges of Policy Studies: Workshop on Resilience Policy and Crises	<u>Novotný</u>	WS	0/2	Examination	6
JSM736	The functioning of the European Union: politics and policy decision-making	<u>Tudjarovska Gjorgjievska</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JSM740	Dis/advantaging the family and society: the role of the welfare state	<u>Gurín</u>	SS	1/1	Course credit	5
JSM742	Enabling State Governance	<u>Esien</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	4

	and Social Policy					
JSM790	Theories of Governance	Ndiaye	SS	2/1	Examination	6
YMN153	Performance Measurement and Evaluation		SS	0/2	macc	5

Elective Courses Total ECTS 37

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JEB020	Economic Policy	J#R048			JPB337
JEB025	Public Finance	J#R092			JSM731
JEM165	International Political Economy			JPM325	JEM212 JPM325
JSM032	Applied Social Research				JSM540
JSM062	Borders and International Migration			JSM061	JSM134
JSM706	People-oriented public service management				JSM717

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