
(Bc) Programme: Social Sciences (BP_SOSCI)

Programme B0314A250014: Social Sciences - bachelor, full-time

Academic year 2021/2022

Social Sciences is a interdisciplinary programme aiming to develop students' analytical skills in social sciences. Primarily, the program is focused on current transdisciplinary issues such as complexity management, governance, mediatisation of social relations or interdependence of society, technology and the natural environment. Secondly, social research methodology is stressed as a prerequisite for the development of students' analytical skills and for finding practical solutions to complex issues. Both analytical and interpretative approaches are employed. The attention is particularly paid to the preparation of the bachelor's thesis as a way to develop soft skills and to conduct project-oriented research.

Graduates have an overview of the main issues of contemporary societies addressed by the social sciences and know selected analytical approaches used in the social research. They are competent in the use of basic methods of social research, including its ethical reflection. Graduates can independently perform specific analyses of particular social problems from an interdisciplinary perspective. Graduates are prepared to practice many practical professions in basic or applied research, media and communications, public relations, government, non-profit, or private companies. Graduates are also adequately prepared for further pursuit of studies in Social Sciences whether it be in the Czech Republic or abroad.

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Course Structure and Study Requirements

Total Credits:	180 ECTS
Compulsory courses:	129 ECTS
Elective courses:	min. 33 ECTS
Optional courses:	max. 18 ECTS

Bachelor state examination

(JBAK01) Bachelor's thesis defence

(JSZ647) Data analysis exam

(JSZ648) Proposal for analysis of a social issue

Compulsory courses

Group **J#0950**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JSB720	Complex Societies: A Sociological Analysis	Balon	WS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB721	Globalizing Societies: A Social Anthropological Perspective	Uherek	WS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB722	Research Methods in	Hájek	WS	1/1	Examination	7

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JSB723	Statistics for Social Sciences	Soukup Petrušek	WS/SS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB724	Governing Societies 1: A Public Policy Perspective	Nekola	SS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB725	Governing Societies 2: Political Analysis of Democratic Political System	Novotný	WS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB726	Digitalised Societies: A Socio-Technical Analysis	Průchová Hružová	SS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB727	Values and Life Styles in Societies: Analysis of Social Change	Soukup	SS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB728	Financialised Societies: An Economic Perspective	Kotherová	WS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB729	Sustainable Societies: How social science helps to solve environmental problems	Urban	WS	0/2	Examination	7
JSB731	Post-Secular Societies. An Interdisciplinary Perspective	Spalová	SS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB732	Seminar in Quantitative Research Methods	Remr	SS	0/2	Course credit	5
JSB734	Seminar in Qualitative Research Methods	Hájek	SS	0/2	Course credit	5
JSB735	Seminar in Policy Analysis Methods	Jusić	WS	0/2	Course credit	5
JSB736	Research Project Defence	Hájek	SS	0/0	Course credit	5
JSB737	Bachelor's Thesis Preparation 1	Grygar	WS	0/4	Course credit	10

JSB738	Bachelor's Thesis Preparation 2	Balon	SS	0/4	Course credit	10
JSB739	Thesis Progress Presentation	Klířová	WS	0/0	Course credit	5
JSB740	Mediated Societies: Changes of Media Environment	Průchová Hřůzová	SS	1/1	Examination	7

Total ETCS: 129

Prerequisites, co-requisites, interchangeable and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JSB726	Digitalised Societies: Socio-Technical Analysis A				JSB532
JSB732	Seminar in Quantitative Research Methods	JSB722 JSB723			
JSB734	Seminar in Qualitative Research Methods	JSB722			
JSB735	Seminar in Policy Analysis Methods	JSB722			
JSB737	Bachelor's Thesis Preparation 1	JSB736			
JSB738	Bachelor's Thesis Preparation 2	JSB737			
JSB739	Thesis Progress Presentation	JSB736			

Elective courses 1

Group J#095121

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JEB050	International Finance	Semerák	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JEB101	Principles of Economics I	Janský	WS	2/2	Examination	6
JEB133	Economic History	Doležalová	SS	2/1	Examination	6
JJB165	Contexts of Television	Štoll	SS	1/1	Examination	4
JJB180	Science and media	Kasík	SS	1/1	macc	3
JKB106	Introduction to Photojournalism	Lábová	WS/SS	1/1	Course credit	4

JKB112	<u>Crossplatform Media Workshop</u>	<u>Macková</u>	SS	1/1	Course credit	3
JLB059	<u>Sociological Cinema</u>	<u>Štěpánková</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	3
JLM001	<u>Academic English I</u>	<u>Jackson III</u>	WS/SS	0/2	Course credit	3
JLM002	<u>Academic English II</u>	<u>Jackson III</u>	SS	0/2	Course credit	3
JPB152	<u>Introduction to International Relations</u>	<u>Tesař</u>	WS	2/1	Examination	6
JPB265	<u>Geopolitical Threats in the Contemporary World</u>	<u>Riegl Doboš</u>	SS	1/1	Course credit	5
JPB553	<u>Political Theory and Practice of Neoliberalism</u>	<u>Franěk</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JPB561	<u>Topics in Geopolitics and Political Geography</u>	<u>Kofroň</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB070	<u>Theory and Practice of the Policy Process, Political Parties, and the Welfare State</u>	<u>Novotný</u>	WS	1/0	macc	4
JSB157	<u>Climate Change Challenges: Workshop Prague-Constance (Konstanz) Study Days on Various Aspects of Society, Politics, and Policy in the Digital Age</u>	<u>Novotný</u>	WS	0/2	Examination	7
JSB415	<u>Understanding Anti-Immigrant Attitudes</u>	<u>Aslan</u>	SS	2/0	Examination	8
JSB421	<u>Critical Urban Sociology</u>	<u>Orcígr</u>	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB455	<u>Economic Sociology and European Capitalism</u>	<u>Sorg Šrám</u>	WS	2/0	Examination	7
JSB516	<u>Sociology of Sport</u>	<u>Numerato</u>	SS	1/1	Examination	7

JSB534	Introduction to Visual Sociology	Wladyniak	WS	1/1	Examination	7
JSB551	Social Psychology	Hoekstra	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB553	Sociology of Love and Relationships	Mazáková Šetinová	WS	2/0	Examination	5
JSB577	East in the West: Sociology of Alterity	Bhardwaj	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB581	Anthropological approaches to the study of Roma in CEE	Grygar	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB702	International Migration	Jelínková	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB741	Civil Society in Central Europe	Frič	SS	2/0	Examination	6
JSB750	Crime in Societies: Transgression, Punishment and Restoration	Trejbalová	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JSB990	The Introduction to Sociology	Soukup	SS	2/0	Examination	5
JSM703	Current Issues in Public Policy	Veselý	WS	12/0	Course credit	4
JTB133	Introduction to International Political Economy	Fířtová	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTB220	Socio-economic Geography of the post-Soviet Area	Lídl	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTB300	Central Europe and China: Economic and Political Relations	Kopeccký	SS	1/1	Examination	6
JTB312	Cultural Studies: An Introduction	Asavei	WS	1/1	Examination	6
JTM241	American Cinema: Trends and Developments	Nowell	SS	1/1	Examination	6

Minimum ETCS: 27

Prerequisites, co-requisites, interchangeable and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JEB050	International Finance				JPB335
JEB101	Principles of Economics I			JEB003	JEB003 JPB362
JEB133	Economic History				JPB332
JKB106	Introduction to Photojournalism				JJB154
JLM001	Academic English I	<u>J#LM30</u>			
JLM002	Academic English II	JLM001			
JPB152	Introduction to International Relations				JPB197
JSB516	Sociology of Sport				JSB528 JSM009
JSB990	The Introduction to Sociology			JSB998	<u>J#SOSPR14</u> JSB998
JTB133	Introduction to International Political Economy	<u>J#R065</u>			
JTB312	Cultural Studies: An Introduction				JMMZ236
JTM241	American Cinema: Trends and Developments				JMM599 JMM630

Elective courses 2

Group **J#0952**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JLB001	<u>English for Sociology I</u>	<u>Klířová</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	3
JLB003	<u>English for Economics I</u>	<u>Poslušná Gloverová Konečná</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	3
JLB005	<u>English for Political Sciences I</u>	<u>Panešová</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	3
JLM011	<u>English for Public And Social Policy I</u>	<u>Klířová</u>	WS	0/2	Course credit	3

Minimum ETCS: 3

Prerequisites, co-requisites, interchangeable and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JLM011	English for Public And Social Policy I				JLB031 JLB053

Elective courses 3

Group **J#0953**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JLB002	English for Sociology II	Klířová	SS	0/2	Examination	3
JLB004	English for Economics II	Poslušná	SS	0/2	Examination	3
JLB006	English for Political Sciences II	Panešová	SS	0/2	Examination	3
JLM012	English for Public And Social Policy II	Klířová	SS	0/2	Examination	4

Minimum ETCS: 3

Prerequisites, co-requisites, interchangeable and incompatible courses

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Code	Course title	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	Interchangeability	Incompatibility
JLB002	English for Sociology II	JLB001			
JLB004	English for Economics II	JLB003			
JLB006	English for Political Sciences II	JLB005			
JLM012	English for Public And Social Policy II	JLM011			JLB032 JLB054

Study plan code:

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