

Faculty of Political Science / SOCIAL POLICY AND SOCIAL WORK / Group Social Work

Course:	Group Social Work			
Course ID	Course status	Semester	ECTS credits	Lessons (Lessons+Exercises+Laboratory)
9149	Mandatory	4	5	2+2+0
Programs	SOCIAL POLICY AND SOCIAL WORK			
Prerequisites	None			
Aims	Professional education of social workers			
Learning outcomes	After the student passes this exam, he/she will be able to: - Explain the specifics of group social work in relation to the two remaining methodological complexes available to this profession; - Interprets the need for the development of group social work as a distinctive methodological complex of social work, depending on the political and social circumstances in which social work developed; - Explain the importance of group dynamics for working with groups in the field of social work; - Explain the importance of group structure for working with groups in the field of social work; - Applies basic interventions that are important for working with groups, i.e. for leading groups, as well as for group sociotherapeutic activities			
Lecturer / Teaching assistant	Doc. dr Ena Grbović, mr Buda Methadžović			
Methodology	Lectures, exercises, seminar papers, consultations			
Plan and program of work				
Preparing week	Preparation and registration of the semester			
I week lectures	History of group social work, social work in a group as part of social work			
I week exercises	Internship at the Day Center for Children and Youth with Disabilities and Developmental Difficulties - Podgorica			
II week lectures	Therapist, therapist activities			
II week exercises	Internship at the Day Center for Children and Youth with Disabilities and Developmental Difficulties - Podgorica			
III week lectures	Values, goals and principles of social work in the group			
III week exercises	Internship at the Center for Childrens Rights of Montenegro			
IV week lectures	The concept of group, group dynamics			
IV week exercises	Internship at the Center for Childrens Rights of Montenegro			
V week lectures	The group and the leader, methods of researching relationships in the group, theoretical aspects of the group			
V week exercises	A visit to the Narcotics Anonymous group			
VI week lectures	Sociotherapy, large sociotherapeutic groups			
VI week exercises	A visit to the Narcotics Anonymous group			
VII week lectures	Alcoholic Therapy Community, Types of Popular Patients			
VII week exercises	Internship at the Old Peoples Home - Podgorica			
VIII week lectures	Sociotherapeutic clubs for adolescents, group therapy of psychiatric patients			
VIII week exercises	Internship at the Old Peoples Home - Podgorica			
IX week lectures	Test			
IX week exercises	Test			
X week lectures	Psychodrama, specifics of confrontation in group therapy			
X week exercises	Familiarization workshops			
XI week lectures	The therapeutic group and its relationship to fear			
XI week exercises	Workshops for better group bonding			
XII week lectures	Group therapist (personality)			
XII week exercises	Social learning workshops			

XIII week lectures	Group therapy					
XIII week exercises	Concentration exercises					
XIV week lectures	Education of students					
XIV week exercises	Fantasy management workshops					
XV week lectures	Colloquiums					
XV week exercises	Colloquiums					
Student workload	5 credits x 40/30 = 6 hours and 40 minutes Structure: 2 hours of lectures 2 hours of exercises 2 hours and 40 minutes of individual student work (preparation for exercises, colloquiums, homework) including consultations					
Per week			Per semester			
5 credits x 40/30=6 hours and 40 minutes 2 sat(a) theoretical classes 0 sat(a) practical classes 2 excercises 2 hour(s) i 40 minuts of independent work, including consultations			Classes and final exam: 6 hour(s) i 40 minuts x 16 =106 hour(s) i 40 minuts Necessary preparation before the beginning of the semester (administration, registration, certification): 6 hour(s) i 40 minuts x 2 =13 hour(s) i 20 minuts Total workload for the subject: 5 x 30=150 hour(s) Additional work for exam preparation in the preparing exam period, including taking the remedial exam from 0 to 30 hours (remaining time from the first two items to the total load for the item) 30 hour(s) i 0 minuts Workload structure: 106 hour(s) i 40 minuts (courses), 13 hour(s) i 20 minuts (preparation), 30 hour(s) i 0 minuts (additional work)			
Student obligations			Students are required to attend classes, do a seminar paper and a test			
Consultations			Optionally			
Literature			Dr. Dušan Petrović, Dr. Tomislav Sedmak, Dr. Branko Čorić, Methods of group social work, FPN, Belgrade, 2005. Ivan Vidanović, Dušan Kolar, Mental hygiene, Belgrade, 2005. Ivan Vidanović, Therapeutic models of social work, Belgrade, 2003.			
Examination methods			Test I-30 points seminar paper - 10 points Attendance continues - 10 points final exam - 50 points			
Special remarks			No			
Comment			No			
Grade:	F	E	D	C	B	A
Number of points	less than 50 points	greater than or equal to 50 points and less than 60 points	greater than or equal to 60 points and less than 70 points	greater than or equal to 70 points and less than 80 points	greater than or equal to 80 points and less than 90 points	greater than or equal to 90 points