

COURSE OUTLINE

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

LECTURER	ARIS TSANTIROPOULOS		
SEMESTER (fall/spring)	FALL		
SCHOOL	PHILOSOPHY		
DEPARTMENT	PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIAL STUDIES		
LEVEL	UNDERGRADUATE		
COURSE CODE	KKA102	SEMESTER OF STUDIES	1-8 (1-8)
COURSE TITLE	CONTEMPORARY ANTHROPOLOGICAL THEORY		
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES		WEEKLY LECTURE HOURS	ECTS CREDITS
		3	5
COURSE CLASSIFICATION	Course		
COURSE TYPE	Scientific area		
TEACHING COMPETENCE COURSE	No		
PREREQUISITES	No		
TEACHING AND EXAMINATION LANGUAGE	Greek		
AVAILABLE FOR ERASMUS STUDENTS	Yes		
COURSE URL			

2. LEARNING OUTCOMES

To obtain a picture of the main theories created from the middle of 20th century up to the present time on the concepts of culture and cultural diversity and differentiation.
To understand basic concepts of the anthropological theory which have been created for researching the interconnections between culture and society.

To compare and contrast the ways different theorists use the same or similar concepts

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Inquiry, analysis and synthesis of information using the necessary technologies
- Adaptation in new circumstances
- Autonomous essay.
- Exercise of criticism and self-criticism
- Creative and inductive way of thinking

3. COURSE CONTENT

The course focuses on main anthropological theories developed since the mid-20th century up to the present time. Specifically, it will concentrate on considerations of the interrelations between individual, social structure and culture as they have been explored by structuralism, the versions of Marxism in France, the political economy, the symbolic and interpretative anthropology, the theory of social action and the main views of constructivism and the deconstruction of fieldwork research.

With references to the above theories and also to ethnographic examples, the lectures will be concentrate on the following issues:

- a) The defining of the content of crucial anthropological concepts such as "culture", "society", "meaning", "structure" "social action", "text"
- b) The field of religion-ritual, politics, economy, gender, ethnic groups in an anthropological perspective
- c) Issues which have been raised because of post-colonialism and globalization.

4. TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT METHODS

TEACHING METHOD	Face to face																				
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES	Power point and video, Use of class web and e-learn for information and communication with students																				
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ASSESSMENT METHOD	A three-hour written exam, including questions concerning comprehension, development of theories/stances, comparative presentation of theories. Critical addressing of issues
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5. RECOMMENDED READING

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- Γκέφου-Μαδιανού Δ. (επιμ.) *Ανθρωπολογική θεωρία και εθνογραφία*, *Σύγχρονες τάσεις*, εκδ. Ελληνικά γράμματα, Αθήνα, 1998.
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