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Lifelong Learning Programme



Master's Programme on Comparative Social Policy and Welfare

TIMETABLES OF THE COURSES

	Courses	IP Vilnius (07-19/09/2008) date	IP Vilnius: lectures+seminars (academic hours)	ECTS
1 st semester: 9/2008-12/12/08				
T1	Comparative European Welfare Regimes and Comparative Social Policy Theories of welfare states: basic module	10-11/09/2008	15 h	5
SP1	Comparative European social policy: basic module	15-16/09/2008	15 h	5
NS1a	National Systems of Work and Social Security Case studies: East European model: Lithuanian system of work and social security	16-17/09/2008	8 h	3
NS4	Working Europe (European employment systems) Introduction into distance learning	09/09/2008	5 h	6
M1	Empirical studies on European systems: Work, welfare and social security**** Approaches to comparative social policy studies	11-12/09/2008	12 h	4
NS5	Social inequality and exclusion	17-18/09/2008	10 h	4
			65 h	27
2 nd semester: 2/2009-15/5/2009				
		IP Tampere (02-13/02/2009): date	IP Tampere: lectures+seminars (academic hours)	
T2	Comparative European Welfare Regimes and Comparative Social Policy Theories of welfare states: extension module	10-11/02/2009	12 h	5
SP2	Comparative European social policy: extension module	12-13/02/2009	12 h	5
NS3	Gender and the welfare state	09/02/2009	9 h (1 day)	6
M2	Empirical studies on European systems: Work, welfare and social security Quantitative research methods	04-05/02/2009	12 h	5
M3	Qualitative research methods	02-03/02/2009	12 h	5
M4	European social science data archive	06/02/2009	6 h	4
			81	33
3 rd semester: 9/2009-12/2009				
		IP Linz (07-18/09/2009): date	IP Linz: lectures+seminars (academic hours)	
	Comparative European Welfare Regimes and Comparative			

	Courses	IP Vilnius (07- 19/09/2008) date	IP Vilnius: lectures+seminars (academic hours)	ECTS
TS1	Social Policy Comparative European Welfare Regimes and Comparative Social Policy: synthesis		12 h	5
NS1b	National Systems of Work and Social Security Case studies: Continental model: Austrian system of work and social security		8 h	3
NS1c	National Systems of Work and Social Security Case studies: Nordic model: Finish system of work and social security		8 h	3
NS2	Synthesis: comparison of system of work and social security in three countries: Lithuania, Austria, Finland		16 h	6
MTC	Master's thesis course**		3 days	7
PR	Field studies and practicum in EU-Institutions (1 to 3 months)			6
				27
4 th semester: 2/2010 – 15/5/2010				
MT	Master's thesis			30
MAP	Master's thesis examination			3
				33
	Sum			120***

** For students of University of Tampere Master thesis course makes up 20 ECTS, according to the requirements of the University of Tampere

*** For students of Mykolas Romeris university ECTS credits are converted into to the national system of credits - 1 Lithuanian credit is equivalent 1.5 ECTS credit.

****For students of Mykolas Romeris University the course *Empirical studies on European systems: Work, welfare and social security* is aggregated in the 2nd semester considering the requirements of national regulations (5 courses per semester).

Free electives

Free electives are classes that complement the compulsory classes. MRU students instead of obligatory courses could choose other courses, this should be approved by steering committee. Instead of following courses students of JKU could choose other courses, which are worth 14 ECTS credits in total.

NS3	Gender and the welfare state	6 ECTS
NS4	Working Europe (European employment systems)	6 ECTS
NS5	Social inequality and exclusion	4 ECTS

Remedial Modules

Mykolas Romeris university students complete their studies with Master in Sociology academic degree. Therefore the obligatory requirement for MRU students is to have credits of these basic courses of a first degree programme: „Introduction to Sociology“ (≥3 Lirtuanian credits), „Methods of sociological research“ (≥3 Lirtuanian credits credits), „Social policy“ (≥3 Lirtuanian credits credits). If the students applying for the joint Master's degree programme will not have background in mentioned complementary subjects, the courses will be provided for them by the academic staff of the department of Social policy.

DAILY PLAN IP IN SEPTEMBER IN VILNIUS 2008

Day	The programme of lectures and other activities
Sun, 7 September	Arrival day for students
Mon, 8 September	<p>9.30-11.00 Meeting of the students with the staff of MRU Directorate for International Relations and Studies (organizational issues) – room I-407 Excursion: MRU (library, etc.)</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>14.00-17.00 Sightseeing: Vilnius (excursion for students)</p>
Tue, 9 September	<p>9.00–11.00 Meeting of the students and teaching staff Introduction to the studies: Presentation of curriculum; Explanation of the IPs work. Short presentation of students and teachers to introduce themselves</p> <p>11.00-12.00 Opening ceremony</p> <p>12.00-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Theories of welfare states: basic module, Josef Weidenholzer</p> <p>15.30–15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45–17.45 Theories of welfare states: basic module, Josef Weidenholzer</p>
Wed, 10 September	<p>9.30-12.30 Theories of welfare states: basic module, Josef Weidenholzer</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Theories of welfare states: basic module, Josef Weidenholzer</p> <p>15.30-15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45–17.45 Theories of welfare states: basic module, Josef Weidenholzer</p>
Thu, 11 September	<p>10.30-12.30 Introduction into distance learning Pertti Kostinen</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Introduction into Working Europe – online studies Pertti Kostinen</p> <p>15.30–15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45–17.45 Approaches to comparative social policy studies, Anneli Anttonen</p>
Fri, 12 September	<p>9.30-12.30 Approaches to comparative social policy studies, Anneli Anttonen</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Approaches to comparative social policy studies, Anneli Anttonen</p> <p>15.30–15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45–17.45 Approaches to comparative social policy studies, Anneli Anttonen</p>
Sat, 13 September	
Sun, 14 September	
Mon, 15 September	<p>9.30-12.30 Comparative European social policy: basic module, Dainius Bernotas</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Comparative European social policy: basic module, Dainius Bernotas</p> <p>15.30–15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45-17.45 Comparative European social policy: basic module, Dainius Bernotas</p>
Tue, 16 September	<p>9.30-12.30 Comparative European social policy: basic module, Dainius Bernotas</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Comparative European social policy: basic module, Dainius Bernotas</p> <p>15.30–15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45-17.45 National Systems of Work and Social Security: East European model, Raimonda Bikmanienė</p>
Wed, 17 September	<p>9.30-12.30 National Systems of Work and Social Security: East European model, Raimonda Bikmaniene</p>

	<p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 National Systems of Work and Social Security: East European model, Raimonda Bikmaniene</p> <p>15.30-15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45-17.45 Social inequality and exclusion, Ruta Braziene</p>
Thu, 18 September	<p>9.30-12.30 Social inequality and exclusion, Ruta Braziene</p> <p>12.30-13.30 lunch break (lunch at MRU canteen)</p> <p>13.30-15.30 Social inequality and exclusion, Ruta Braziene</p> <p>15.30-15.45 coffee break</p> <p>15.45-17.45 Evaluation/Feedback. Closing of IP</p> <p>18.00-18.30 Supper (at café in “Student house”)</p>
Fri, 19 September	<p>departure day</p>



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Daily schedule for the Intensive Programme in Tampere, 1 - 14 February, 2009

Sunday, 1 February

arrival day for students, signing in to the Hostel Sofia

Monday, 2 February

- 9.00 Guided tour of Tampere (a bus will pick up the students from the hostel)
Introduction to the University of Tampere and its services
- 12.00 – 13.00 Lunch at the university (Sodexho restaurant, Linna building, 1st floor),
- 13.00 – 17.30 Theories of Welfare States – Extension module (Dirk Jarre),
lecture room 6017

Tuesday, 3 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Gender and the Welfare State (Bettina Leibetseder), lecture room 6017
- 12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
- 13.00 – 17.30 Theories of Welfare States – Extension module (Dirk Jarre), lecture room 5026
- 19.00 – Get-together at Telakka restaurant (address: Tullikamarin aukio 3)

Wednesday, 4 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Theories of Welfare States – Extension module (Dirk Jarre),
lecture room 6017
- 12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
- 13.00 – 16.00 Gender and the Welfare State (Bettina Leibetseder), lecture room 6017

Thursday, 5 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Comparative Data Archives (Helena Laaksonen, Arja Kuula & Sami Borg), lectures,
lecture room 5026
- 12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
- 13.00 – 16.00 Comparative Data Archives (Satu Ojala & Katri Siponen), exercises, computer
classroom ML51

Friday, 6 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Quantitative Research Methods (Tero Mamia), lecture room 5026
- 12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
- 13.00 – 16.00 Quantitative Research Methods (Tero Mamia), lecture room 5026

Saturday, 7 February

- 10.07 Departure from Tampere - 11.52 arrival in Helsinki by train
- 13.00 Lunch at Cable Factory (<http://www.kaapelitehdas.fi/index.html?menuid=3>)
- 14.00-16.00 Performance lecture III
(http://www.sivuaskel.fi/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=25&Itemid=42)
- Departure from Helsinki to be agreed.

Sunday, 8 February

Free day, no organised programme

Monday, 9 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Qualitative Research Methods (Liisa Häikiö, Minna Zechner), lecture room 6017
12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
13.00 – 16.00 Comparative European social policy: extension module (Leta Dromantiene, Vida Cesnuiyte), lecture room 6017
16.00 – Planning meeting, meeting room 6019

Tuesday, 10 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Planning meeting, meeting room 6019
9.00 – 12.00 Qualitative Research Methods (Pertti Alasuutari), lecture room 5026
12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
13.00 – 17.00 Comparative European social policy: extension module (Leta Dromantiene, Vida Cesnuiyte), lecture room 5026

Wednesday, 11 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Comparative European social policy: extension module (Leta Dromantiene, Vida Cesnuiyte), lecture room 6017
12.00 – 13.00 Lunch
13.00 – 16.00 Qualitative Research Methods (Satu Rantatyökkö), lecture room 6017
18.00 – visit to Museum Centre Vapriikki <http://www.tampere.fi/english/vapriikki/index.html>

Thursday, 12 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Qualitative Research Methods (Liisa Häikiö), lecture room 5026
12.00 – 13.00 Lunch (Sodexho restaurant)
13.00 – 16.00 Quantitative Research Methods (Tero Mamia), computer classroom ML51
18.00 – Programme evaluation and get-together in Varala Sports Institute

Friday, 13 February

- 9.00 – 12.00 Quantitative Research Methods (Tero Mamia), computer classroom ML51
12.00 – 13.00 Lunch (Sodexho restaurant)
13.00 – 15.00 Final feedback session, meeting room 6019

Saturday, 14 February

Departure day

Locations of the classrooms:

meeting room 6019: Linna building, 6th floor
lecture room 6017: Linna building, 6th floor
lecture room 5026: Linna building, 5th floor
computer classroom ML51: Linna building, -1 floor

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INFORMATION GUIDE

Joint Master's Programme in Comparative Social Policy and Welfare

Intensive Programme (IP)

07.09.2009 - 18.09.2009

Linz



Programme and courses of the IP

07. – 11.09.2009	Monday 07.09.	Tuesday 08.09.	Wednesday 09.09.	Thursday 10.09.	Friday 11.09.	Saturday 12.09.
9.00 – 12.00	Opening session Guided tour of the city of Linz and the Johannes Kepler Universität	Gender and the Welfare State (Bettina Leibetseder)	National systems of work Finland (Minna Zechner)	Synthesis NS2 (Minna Zechner, Dainius Bernotas, Bettina Leibetseder)	Synthesis NS2 (Minna Zechner, Dainius Bernotas, Bettina Leibetseder)	
						Sunday 13.09.
13.00 – 17.00	National systems of work Austria (Christine Stelzer-Orthofer)	AEC festival http://www.aec.at/festival/about_en.php	National systems of work Finland (Minna Zechner)	Synthesis NS2 (Minna Zechner, Dainius Bernotas, Bettina Leibetseder)	Synthesis NS2 (Minna Zechner, Dainius Bernotas, Bettina Leibetseder)	

14. – 18.09.2009	Monday 14.09.	Tuesday 15.09.	Wednesday 16.09.	Thursday 17.09.	Friday 18.09.
9.00 – 12.00	National systems of Austria (Christine Stelzer-Orthofer)	Comparative European Welfare Regimes (Pertti Koistinen, Leta Dromantiene)	Master's thesis course (Pertti Koistinen, Vida Kanopiene, Dirk Jarre/Angela Wegscheider)	Master's thesis course (Pertti Koistinen, Vida Kanopiene, Dirk Jarre/Angela Wegscheider)	Comparative European Welfare Regimes (Pertti Koistinen, Josef Weidenholzer)
13.00 – 17.00	Excursion to exhibition "working world" http://www.museum-steyr.at	Comparative European Welfare Regimes (Pertti Koistinen, Leta Dromantiene)	Master's thesis course (Pertti Koistinen, Vida Kanopiene, Dirk Jarre/Angela Wegscheider)	Master's thesis course (Pertti Koistinen, Vida Kanopiene, Dirk Jarre/Angela Wegscheider)	Comparative European Welfare Regimes (Pertti Koistinen, Josef Weidenholzer)

Class rooms is in the basement of the Hochschulfondsgebäude HF9904; Lecturer's rooms is in the basement of the Hochschulfondsgebäude HF9905
On the campus, wireless Internet access is available. Get the access information at the Department.