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Faculties of Humanities and Theology

ETNB07, Ethnology: Violence, Gender and Culture, 15 credits

Etnologi: Våld, genus och kultur, 15 högskolepoäng
First Cycle / Grundnivå

Details of approval

The syllabus was approved by The pro-dean for First-Cycle Studies at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology on 2015-07-06 to be valid from 2015-07-06, autumn semester 2015.

General Information

Subject: Ethnology

The course is offered as a freestanding course. It can normally be included in a first or second cycle degree.

Language of instruction: Swedish

Main field of studies

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Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

G1N, First cycle, has only upper-secondary level entry requirements

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the students shall be able to

Knowledge and understanding

- account for gender-related violence in present-day Sweden
- account for the lack of consensus in society's view of gender-related violence and describe the historical, cultural and political background of different explanatory models
- account for the links between gender and violence from the perspectives of gender and culture

Competence and skills

- apply perspectives of gender and culture to a description and reexamination of gender-related violence in speech and writing
- take a critically analytical position to different interpretations and views in debates and news reports about gender-related violence
- account for, compare and take a critical position to research results and academic texts about gender-related violence

Judgement and approach

- reflect on the creation, maintenance and change of knowledge about violence in a historical and cultural context
- reflect on the significance of different explanatory models for society's handling of gender-related violence
- provide perspectives on their own values and attitudes with regard to gender-related violence

Course content

The course deals with gender-related violence in present-day Swedish including historical and international perspectives. The course provides students with a broad empirical insight into forms of violence such as rape, honour-related violence, sexual abuse of children, assault and prostitution. The aim is to illustrate and problematise the links between gender and violence, how gender-related violence is construed and explained in different research traditions, public policy and media debates, and the implications of these constructions and explanations for society's handling of gender-related violence.

The course consists of the following modules:

1. Gendered Violence 3 credits,
2. Life with Violence 5 credits
3. Sexuality and Violence 3 credits,
4. Violence and the Other 4 credits

Course design

The teaching consists of lectures, seminars and workshops. Attendance at seminars and workshops is compulsory.

Assessment

The course is assessed on the basis of:

Module 1: A written assignment

Module 2: A written assignment

Module 3: An oral assignment

Module 4: A written assignment

Subcourses that are part of this course can be found in an appendix at the end of this document.

Grades

Marking scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction.

For a grade of Pass on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on all modules. For a grade of Pass with Distinction on the whole course, the student must have been awarded this grade on at least three of the modules.

Entry requirements

General requirements for university studies in Sweden

Further information

1. The course is offered at the Division of Ethnology, Department of Arts and Cultural Sciences, Lund University
2. The course replaces Ethnology: Violence, Gender and Culture ETNB02
3. Module titles in Swedish: 1/Våldets kön 2/Leva med våld 3/Sexualitet och våld 4/Våld och den Andre.
4. The credits allocated for course content that in whole or in part is commensurate with another course can only be credited once for a degree.
5. For further details see the current registration information and other relevant documentation.

Subcourses in ETNB07, Ethnology: Violence, Gender and Culture

Applies from H15

- 1501 Gendered violence, 3,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1502 Life with violence, 5,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1503 Sexuality and violence, 3,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction
- 1504 Violence and the Other, 4,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass, Pass with distinction