



Faculty of Social Sciences

SANM13, Social Anthropology: Master's (One Year) Thesis, 15 credits

*Socialantropologi: Examensarbete för magisterexamen, 15
högskolepoäng*

Second Cycle / Avancerad nivå

Details of approval

The syllabus is an old version, approved by Faculty Board of Social Sciences on 2011-11-17 and was last revised on 2011-11-17 by the board of the Department of Sociology. The revised syllabus applied from 2012-01-19, autumn semester 2016.

General Information

Course is given as a freestanding course at second cycle level and constitute degree project for Degree of Master (60 credits) in social anthropology.

Language of instruction: Swedish and English

Main field of studies

Social Anthropology

Depth of study relative to the degree requirements

A1E, Second cycle, contains degree project for Master of Arts/Master of Science (60 credits)

Learning outcomes

On completion of the course the student should independently be able to

- show knowledge in socio-anthropological theories with special specialisation in a delimited research field
- show advanced knowledge of methods in the socio-anthropological research's fields
- identify integrate critically review and analyse complex phenomena issues and phenomena
- plan and with appropriate methods carry out qualified assignments within given time frames

- communicate result of learning and research processes both in writing and orally in dialogue with different groups
- demonstrate such proficiency that are required to participate in research and development or in other qualified activities
- make assessments in the socio-anthropological field considering relevant scientific social and ethical aspects in both research and development as other relevant activities
- account for science's possibilities and limitations its role in society and people's responsibility for how it is used
- identify own need of additional knowledge to take responsibility for his knowledge development
- account for scientific communication and independently be able to supervise knowledge development in subject area

Course content

Course aim to give advanced theoretical and subject knowledge in social anthropology through independent specialisation on an optional cultural field and with this connected socio-anthropological issues, methods and theories. Degree project should constitute an independent contribution to discussion of a socio-anthropological issue.

Course aim to give advanced theoretical and methodological knowledge in social anthropology through independent specialisation in an optional research domain. Degree project should constitute an independent contribution to the scientific discussion of a socio-anthropological issue.

Course implies an independent writing of a degree project. Subject is chosen in consultation with supervisor.

Course design

Teaching is given through supervision, individual or in groups.

Assessment

Examination of degree project is arranged in connection with thesis seminar and is assessed by examiner. Also passed critical review of other degree project should be carried out.

Degree project should publish in an open access database on a server belonging to Lund's university. Each student determines their own level of publication

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

Grades

Marking scale: Fail, E, D, C, B, A.

The highest grade is denoted with A and the lowest grade for a Pass with E. The grade for a no pass is Fail.

The student's performance is assessed with reference to the learning outcomes of the course. For the grade of E the student must show acceptable results. For the grade of D the student must show satisfactory results. For the grade of C the student must show good results. For the grade of B the student must show very good results. For the grade of A the student must show excellent results. For the grade of Fail the student must have shown unacceptable results.

Entry requirements

For admission to course is required Degree of Bachelor in social anthropology or the equivalent, 15 credits subject studies in social anthropology or the equivalent at second cycle level, as well as 15 credits method at second cycle level.

Further information

This course replaces SANM11 Social Anthropology: Degree Project for Degree of Master (60 credits), 15 credits.

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Subcourses in SANM13, Social Anthropology: Master's (One Year) Thesis

Applies from V12

- 1101 Social Anthropology: Master Thesis, 15,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, E, D, C, B, A
- 1102 Discussant, 0,0 hp
Grading scale: Fail, Pass