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Practical Training in Social Work 7.5cr

Verksamhetsförlagd utbildning i socialt arbete 7,5hp

Set by Faculty of Health and Occupational Studies

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Level	G2F
Education level	First cycle
Course identifier	SAG525
Credits	7.5cr
Main field of study	Social Work
Subject group	Social Work and Social Welfare
Disciplinary domain	Social sciences 20.0% Health care 80.0%

Learning outcomes On completion of the course students will be able to:

1. demonstrate knowledge of the roles and duties of social workers and other professional groups in the relevant practice, as well as the most important partners
2. apply theoretical knowledge and current research in practical social work
3. make independent assessments and use relevant and scientifically proven methods in social work
4. problematise as well as critically and theoretically reflect on social work in relevant practice
5. reflect on their personal impact on the image of social work, as well as act in a professional manner

Course content

- the relationship between theory and practice in social work
- conditions for social work at the individual, group and societal levels
- ethical aspects of social work
- professional approach and attitudes in social work
- personal development and reflection in relation to practical experience in social work

Teaching Teaching includes supervised practical international social work as well as interactive online

assignments. The supervisor must be approved by the higher education institution.

Prerequisites

Minimum grade of E for the following courses:
Social work and social problems, 15 credits
Social policy from a national and international perspective I, 7.5 credits
Basic scientific theories and research methods in social work, 7.5 credits
Human psychosocial development and living conditions, 7.5 credits
Social work from an ethnic and intercultural perspective, 7.5 credits
Social work with marginalised groups, 7.5 credits
Social work with elderly and disabled, 7.5 credits
Field studies in social work, 7.5 credits

Examination

Learning objectives 1–5: individual written examination tasks as well as seminar with examination.

Grade

Pass and Fail

Other regulations

For information on the criteria for the different grades, please refer to the study guide.

The course is a compulsory course in the undergraduate programme in social work with a focus on international social work.

The language of instruction is English.

The examiner may interrupt a student's practical training with immediate effect if the student shows such deficiencies in knowledge, skills or attitudes that the student could physically or mentally harm another person. The student will be required to withdraw from the course and will receive a failing grade.

Sustainable environment

A minor part of the course content deals with sustainable development.

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