

Gender Equality

Academic Year: (2022 / 2023)

Review date: 30-05-2022

Department assigned to the subject: Mathematics Department

Coordinating teacher: LIPARI , FRANCESCA

Type: Compulsory ECTS Credits : 3.0

Year : 1 Semester : 2

OBJECTIVES

- Knowledge of the main concepts of gender theory.
- Understanding of the relationship between the results of the labor market with gender perspective and other issues related to sustainable development like poverty, inequality, race discrimination, educational levels and health outcomes.
- Ability to use the main available information tools for diagnosis of gender norms and gender discrimination.
- Understanding and ability to use the concepts of gender analysis, gender statistics and gender data
- Ability to analyze situations of gender discrimination as a violation of fundamental rights and its consequences on perspectives of sustainable development.
- Ability to analyze policy application in gender perspectives while recognizing the main advantages and shortcomings of the alternative methods.
- Ability to synthesize perspectives and ideas in light of empirical reality

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

1. Gender, race, ethnicity and sexuality.
2. Gender, family and private property. Gender equality and human rights, social progress and inclusive and sustainable growth.
3. Empowerment, social norms and mental models. Political participation.
4. Gender violence: concepts and policies.
5. Sexual division of labor, gender gap and labor markets. Informal sector and unpaid work.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

- Theoretical class.
- Theoretical-practical classes.
- Tutorials.
- Team work.
- Individual student work.
- Midterm and final exams.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

- Class participation
- Individual or group presentations
- Individual or group work done during the course
- Discussions
- Final report

% end-of-term-examination:	40
% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...):	60

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Blau, Francine D. and Anne E. Winkler The Economics of Women, Men, and Work, Oxford University Press, 2020
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BASIC ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

- EIGE . gender statistics and indicator : <https://eige.europa.eu/gender-mainstreaming/methods-tools/gender-statistics-indicators>
- EIGE . gender statistics and indicator: <https://eige.europa.eu/gender-statistics/dgs>
- EIGE . gender statistics indicator: <https://eige.europa.eu/gender-equality-index/game/IT/W>
- European Commission . Gender statistics: https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/statistics-explained/index.php?title=Gender_statistics#:~:text=Gender%20statistics%20constitute%20an%20area,Tool%2C%20UNECE%2C%202010
- World Economic Forum . the global gender gap report (2018): <https://www.weforum.org/reports/the-global-gender-gap-report-2018>