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Xenophobia (2SC2102)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Pilier principal M ScS - anthropologie	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier principal M ScS - géographie humaine	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier principal M ScS - migration et citoyenneté	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier principal M ScS - psychologie et éducation	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier principal M ScS - sociologie	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier secondaire M ScS - anthropologie	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier secondaire M ScS - géographie humaine	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
Pilier secondaire M ScS - migration et citoyenneté	Cours: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	5
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ph=période hebdomadaire, pg=période globale, j=jour, dj=demi-jour, h=heure, min=minute

Période d'enseignement:

- Semestre Printemps

Equipe enseignante

Prof. Anita Manatschal, Dr. Didier Ruedin

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The course starts with a critical reflection on the concept of xenophobia, and how it can be measured empirically. To further delineate and demarcate the concept, the seminar then scrutinizes different manifestations of xenophobia (e.g. Islamophobia) or xenophobic behavior (e.g. discrimination), and compares it with related or opposed terms like nationalism or tolerance. In a next step, we will study how xenophobic attitudes emerge, and which individual or contextual factors nurture these attitudes. The final sessions of the seminar address the political and societal implications of xenophobia in terms of right-populist party politics or anti-immigrant direct democratic votes.

Forme de l'évaluation

Évaluation interne / internal evaluation

To receive the 5 ECTS (150h) provided for this seminar, students must accomplish the following tasks:

1 ECTS: attend the seminar regularly and actively;

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2 ECTS: write a term paper of 12 to 15 pages.

Documentation

The literature for this seminar will be uploaded on MOODLE.

Pré-requis

Bachelor in human and social sciences. Knowledge in quantitative methodology is an asset.

Forme de l'enseignement

Introductory session by instructor; reading, presentation, and discussion of the seminar literature; written term paper that has to be submitted by the end of the semester. Late or non-submission of the written term paper without valid justification implies failure of the term paper.