

Course Schedule Information

Course Code / 時間割コード	881161
Semester / 開講区分(開講学期)	Spring and Summer Term
Day and Period / 曜日・時間	Wed2
Course Name (Japanese) / 開講科目名	知識社会学
Course Name / 開講科目名(英)	Sociology of Knowledge
Capacity / 定員	0
Room / 教室	人/東館 3 1 6 講義室
Course Numbering Code / ナンバリング	88INES9U100
Required/Optional / 必修・選択	履修対象：特別聴講学生 人科G30_
Type of Class / 授業形態	Lecture Subject
Credits / 単位数	2.0
Student Year / 年次	1
Instructor / 担当教員	ETZRODT CHRISTIAN
Course of Media Class / メディア授業科目	Not Applicable

Detailed Syllabus Information

Course Subtitle / 授業サブタイトル	Sociology of Knowledge
Language of the Course / 開講言語	English
Learning Methods / 学習方法	<p>Listening and watching face-to-face/online class: Listening and watching a lecture, video, or demonstration, face-to-face or via online (e.g., attending a face-to-face lecture, watching an on-demand video)</p> <p>Reading: Reading books and academic papers (e.g., summarizing an academic paper, reading information on a website)</p> <p>Discussion: Learning through question-and-answer interactions and exchanges of opinions among students and between students and the instructor (e.g., pair/group discussion, online chat, one-on-one guidance for writing an academic paper)</p> <p>Research: Collecting information from books and academic papers; gathering and analyzing data by fieldwork (e.g., review of previous research, fieldwork)</p> <p>Presentation: Writing papers, making presentations, and creating works (e.g., report writing, oral/poster presentation, creation of works, portfolio development)</p>
Course Objectives / 授業の目的と概要	This course is designed to introduce you to major theoretical perspectives in sociology and relate theories to our everyday life. The course will cover classical sociological theories, and we will study how they can be implemented in sociological research. In particular, we will cover main concepts from classical theoretical approaches, such as Karl Marx, Emile Durkheim, Max Weber and so on. A special focus of this course is on the application of those theories to current social issues.
Learning Goals / 学習目標	<p>1</p> <p>1. Knowledge and Understanding. After studying this course you should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify key theoretical sociological perspectives and explain their significance in contemporary sociology. • Explain the ideas of classical key social thinkers; • Apply various theoretical sociological perspectives to contemporary social issues and problems and discuss how these theories are relevant nowadays. • Compare different sociological theories and evaluate their approach to various social issues. <p>2. Skills, Qualities and Attributes. After studying this course you should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate the ability to critically interpret and evaluate source material, as well as display confidence in engaging with it. • Demonstrate the ability to engage in productive group work involving people from different cultures. • Develop skills to accurately summarize key topics and present clear arguments. • Develop skills to apply social/sociological theories to our everyday life and explain it using sociological terms.
Requirements, Prerequisites / 履修条件・受講条件	Introduction to Sociology (or equivalent course in introductory sociology) would be useful, but is not required

Attendance and Student Conduct Policy / 出欠席及び受講に関するルール

Class Plan / 授業計画

1st	Title:
	Introduction
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Harrington 2005, Chapter 1.	
2nd	Title:
	Conservatism & Idealism
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Zeitlin 2001, Chapters 6 and 7.	
3rd	Title:
	Imperial Stage Theory
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Connell 2007, Chapter 1.	
4th	Title:
	Karl Marx
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Ritzer 2008, Chapter 2.	
5th	Title:
	Émile Durkheim
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Harrington 2005, Chapter 2 (p. 51-62).	
6th	Title:
	Max Weber
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Andersen/Kaspersen 1996, Chapter 6.	
7th	Title:
	Application and Discussion of Marx ' s, Durkheim ' s and Weber ' s Theories
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Preparing presentations	
8th	Title:
	Elite Theory
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Hartmann 2007, Chapter 2.	
9th	Title:
	Charlotte Gilman & Marianne Weber
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Lengermann/Niebrugge 1998, Chapters 4 (p. 105-130) and 6 (p. 193-214).	
10th	Title:
	Marxism
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Andersen/Kaspersen 1996, Chapter 9.	
11th	Title:
	Critical Theory
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Andersen/Kaspersen 1996, Chapter 10.	
12th	Title:
	Symbolic Interactionism
	Instructor:
Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Ritzer 2008, Chapter 10 (p. 347-381).	

	13th	Title:						
		Alfred Schutz						
		Instructor:						
		Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Serge 2014, Chapter 14.						
	14th	Title:						
		Simone de Beauvoir						
		Instructor:						
		Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Scott 2007 & Kruks 1992.						
	15th	Title:						
		Talcott Parsons						
		Instructor:						
		Independent Study Outside of Class:Reading: Stones 2008, Chapter 7.						
Textbooks / 教科書・指定教材		The text are taken from several sources. No textbook is used.						
Reference / 参考図書・参考教材		You will be provided with all reading materials throughout the course.						
Grading Policy / 成績評価		Evaluation Methods / 評価方法		Presentation	Report/paper	Quiz		
		Learning Goals1		○	○	○		
		Allocation of Marks / 評価割合		40%	40%	20%		
Additional Information on Grading / 成績評価に関する補足情報		Presentation of a chapter (5 minutes, 20% of the overall grade) Presentation of applications to an issue (5 minutes, 20% of the overall grade) Academic paper (5-10 pages, 40% of the overall grade) Two surprise free writing papers (each 10% of the overall grade)						
Reasonable Accommodation / 合理的配慮		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you need reasonable accommodation to participate in this class due to disability (including intractable disease and chronic condition), please contact the office for students with disabilities (e.g., Educational Affairs Section, Academic Affairs Section, Student Affairs Section) at your school/faculty or graduate school, or the Disability Advisory and Support Service Office of the Health and Counseling Center. • For more information, please visit the following website or contact the Disability Advisory and Support Service Office of the Health and Counseling Center. Website : https://acs.hacc.osaka-u.ac.jp Tel : 06-6850-6107 E-mail : campuslifekenkou-ac@office.osaka-u.ac.jp 						
Special Note / 特記事項								
Office Hours / オフィスアワー		Office hour: Friday 10:30-12:00						
Course Conducted by Instructors with Practical Experience / 実務経験のある教員による授業科目								