

Understanding social inequalities and social problems in health!

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Description

Public health research and practice continue to be challenged by people's unequal chances of living full and healthy lives and by other social problems, like communication problems, that negatively affect people's health and healthcare, or public health efforts. Key social sciences concepts, including social status, social interactions and capital, can help elucidate various public health problems from the social determinants of health to health care team and health-provider/patient communication. In this course, we examine these concepts, drawing on founding texts from the social sciences and seeing how they have been applied in the fields of public health and health services.

Objectives

- Understand the origin and meaning of the concepts of social status, social interactions and capital
- Evaluate their application in the study of health and health services.
- Develop applications for original public health research

Dates

11 - 13 April 2022

Eligibility

SSPH+ PhD students, other students and external participants (subject to availability)

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| Course Structure | Presentations, guided discussions, group work and group presentations. | | | | | | | | |
| Assessment | Preparatory work, active participation during course days, and group presentations | | | | | | | | |
| Credits | 1 ECTS Preparation Work: 10h, Contact: 18h (1 ECTS corresponds to appr. 25-30 hours' workload) | | | | | | | | |
| Location | ISPM, University Bern, Mittelstrasse 43, room tba | | | | | | | | |
| Course Fees | <table border="0"> <tr> <td>SSPH+ PhD Students</td> <td>30.- CHF</td> </tr> <tr> <td>External MD/PhD Students</td> <td>300.- CHF</td> </tr> <tr> <td>External Academics</td> <td>850.- CHF</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Other Participants</td> <td>1250.- CHF</td> </tr> </table> | SSPH+ PhD Students | 30.- CHF | External MD/PhD Students | 300.- CHF | External Academics | 850.- CHF | Other Participants | 1250.- CHF |
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| Registration | https://www.confTool.com/ssph-phd-courses2022 | | | | | | | | |
| Deadline for Registration | 04 March 2022 | | | | | | | | |