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Title	Central Themes of European Social Dialogue
New program / renewal? (please underline)	New program Renewal: <u>2nd year</u> <u>3rd year</u>
Subject area code	315; 313; 227
Description	<p>The objectives of this IP are to address and analyze the question how social dialogue in Europe can help to guarantee a decent job for everyone, while overcoming social differences and strengthening social cohesion, become the social dialogue areas is not yet addressed in social work and social policy study programmes. In particular, discussion is to cover the following trends:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -the increase in precarious jobs; - the changing workplace and the growing demands being made or employees with regard to their computing and language skills; - new forms of work; - new work cultures, such as trust-based working time, therefore project contributes to the innovative curriculum development for the European study programmes in social policy and social work. <p>The IP presents the key topic in the social policy study programme module "Main trends of the European Social Dialogue" and also offers an opportunity for an in-depth reflection on the current issues of social dialogue.</p> <p>Target groups: the undergraduate, postgraduate, full and part time students of the social work and social policy programmes; teachers, researchers in EU as a set of measures for cohesion and solidarity, in the internal dimensions of the policies which in recent years EU has progressively developed in fields of justice and security, trade-unionists; study programmes directors.</p> <p>Subjects to be taught during the IP:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Main trends in the European social dialogue, - The EU as a set of measures for cohesion and solidarity, - Structural cohesion and embeddedness: a hierarchical concept of social groups, - Social justice and common good, - The nature and evolution of poverty, - Europe of innovation and knowledge: employment, economic reforms and social cohesion, - Socio-political situation, security systems and work force mobility and migration, - Working conditions, precarious jobs, new work cultures.
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