

Health and Urban (In)equality

Study programme	YUFE Joint Bachelor in Urban Sustainability Studies
Academic year	2026/2027
Curriculum component	Minor: Urban Inequality
Year and semester	2 winter semester
Course type	Minor - compulsory
ECTS credits	3
Contact hours (L+S+E)	20 (7+13+0)
Language of instruction	English

Contact

Course coordinator

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Prerequisites

No requirements.

Course objectives

The course will provide an overview of the impact of urban inequality on health, with a particular focus on selected, potentially vulnerable groups: linguistic minorities, religious minorities, and sexual and gender minorities.

Learning outcomes

- describe and assess the urban health inequalities (PILO 4) analyse access to healthcare for specific vulnerable groups: linguistic minorities, religious minorities, and sexual and gender minorities (PILO5)

Course content

- Introduction to health (in)equality
- Availability of health care for minority groups
- Migrants, refugees and access to health care
- Sexual and gender minorities (LGBTIQ+) in urban healthcare
- Religious communities and health infrastructure
- Ethics and cultural competence in healthcare

Teaching and learning methods

lectures, seminars and workshops and practical classes.

Assessment and grading

During the semester, there will be seminar presentation. During the seminar presentation, the research plan (10% of the grade points), oral presentation (25% of the grade points) and discussion (15% of the grade points) are assessed. Students have met course requirements if they have acquired at least 50% of each assessed learning outcome within all assessment forms and acquired at least 50% on the final exam. Students are expected to actively participate in class.

Grading scale

Grade	Percentage
5 (A)	90-100%
4 (B)	75-89.9%
3 (C)	60-74.9%
2 (D)	50-59.9%
1 (F)	0-49.9%