

COURSE DESCRIPTION

1. GENERAL

SCHOOL	ENVIRONMENT, GEOGRAPHY AND APPLIED ECONOMICS		
DEPARTMENT	GEOGRAPHY		
LEVEL OF COURSE	Undergraduate		
COURSE CODE	GE0510	SEMESTER	6 / 8
COURSE TITLE	Inequality, Discrimination & Sociospatial Hierarchies		
STRUCTURE OF TEACHING ACTIVITIES		TEACHING HOURS PER WEEK	NUMBER OF CREDITS ALLOCATED (ECTS)
Lectures		3	5
Total		3	5
TYPE OF COURSE	Optional		
PREREQUISITES	-		
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION	GREEK		
COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS (URL)	YES (in English if required)		

2. EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning outcomes
The course aims at familiarizing students with concepts and theories in the fields of Urban Sociology, Urban Geography and Urban Studies with a focus on discrimination and inequality.
General aptitudes
Information synthesis Essay assignment Critical thinking Use of bibliography and electronic information resources

3. COURSE CONTENTS

The course offers a more elaborate and a more comprehensive view of issues already discussed in the introductory courses of social, urban, economic, cultural and political geography. The focus is on urban socio-spatial discrimination and inequality both among and within different cities. Material is used from cities across the world, with a focus on the study of Athens

4. TEACHING AND ASSESSMENT METHODS

TYPE OF LECTURES	In class lectures	
ICT USE	ICT use, Internet use and e-class Use of special software for thematic mapping	
TEACHING STRUCTURE	Activity	Hours per semester
	Lectures	36
	Weekly study	24
	Essay	35
	Preparation for final exams	30
	TOTAL	125
ASSESSMENT METHODS	Assessment Language: Greek Assessment : Semester essay	

5. RECOMMENDED READING

Allen J et al. (2004) *Housing and Welfare in Southern Europe*, Oxford, Blackwell
 Leontidou L. (1990) *The Mediterranean City in Transition*, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press
 Maloutas T. (2018) *The Social Geography of Athens. Social Groups and the Built Environment in a South European Metropolis*, Athens, Alexandria publications [in Greek]