Ethnography and Visualisation

About the course

subject	Geografi / Plan by og proces / Spatial Designs and Society / By og Plan
activitytype	master course
Teaching language	English
Registration	Sign up for study activities at STADS Online Student Service within the announced registration period, as you can see on the Study administration homepage. When signing up for study activities, please be aware of potential conflicts between study activities or exam dates. The planning of activities at Roskilde University is based on the recommended study programs which do not overlap. However, if you choose optional courses and/or study plans that goes beyond the recommended study programs, an overlap of lectures or exam dates may occur depending on which courses you choose.
Detailed description of content	The course is organized around the use of photography, observations and GIS in applied ethnography. The course consists of lectures and student exercises in photography, map-making and visualization at Roskilde University and self-organised fieldwork. The fieldwork is based upon a commercial case brief by Rødovre Municipality. Lectures, workshops and presentations (subject to change): 1) Intro, consultancy work/ visualization/writing (Jonas Larsen 2 hours) 2) Visit to Rødovre Municipality and presentation of brief by head of planning Jesper Pagh (Jonas and Esbern 2 hours) 3) Visual ethnography and photography theories, approaches and tips (Jonas 2 hours) 4) Photography workshop based on own produced photographs from the fieldwork in Rødovre (Jonas 3 hours) 5) Ethnographic mapping (Esbern 4 hours) 6) Ethnographic mapping workshop (4 hours) based on own fieldwork (Esbern 4 hours) 7) Consultancy writing, presentation and visualization (lecture and workshop based on own writing (Jonas and Esbern 4 hours) 8) Student presentations at Rødovre Municipality (Esbern and Jonas 2 hours) Prior to the course, students will have the possibility to take two course sessions in In-Design and Photoshop, if relevant for the student.
Expected work effort (ECTS-declaration)	Lectures: 21 Presentations in Rødovre: 4 Fieldwork: 19 Preparation and processing of fieldwork: 18 Preparation of power-point: 8 Exam: 27 hours (72 hours) Reading: 36 hours (6 hours for each of the 6 lectures) All together: 135 hours.
Course material and Reading list	More to be added Pink, S. (2007). Doing visual ethnography. London: Sage. Chapter (3) Photography in Ethnographic Research Ladner, S. (2016). Practical ethnography: A guide to doing ethnography in the private sector. Routledge. Brennan-Horley, C., & Gibson, C. (2009). Where is creativity in the city? Integrating qualitative and GIS methods. Environment and Planning A, 41(11), 2595-2614. http://epn.sagepub.com/content/41/11/2595.abstract (Remember to open via RUC or VPN) Boschmann, E. E., & Cubbon, E. (2014). Sketch maps and qualitative GIS: using cartographies of individual spatial narratives in geographic research. The Professional Geographer, 66(2), 236-248. http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/00330124.2013.781490 (Remember to open via RUC or VPN) Kirk, A., Timms, S., Rininsland, ?., & Teller, S. (2016). Data Visualization: Representing Information on Modern Web. Packt Publishing Ltd. Chapter 5 Krygier, J., & Wood, D. (2016). Making maps: a visual guide to map design for GIS. Guilford Publications. Chapter 2 and 6.
Evaluation- and feedback forms	the course will be evaluted at the end and students will receive oral feedback on their exam product

Administration of exams	IMT Studieadministration (imt-studieadministration@ruc.dk)
Responsible for the activity	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk) Jeremy Hektor Payne-Frank (jhpf@ruc.dk)
ECTS	5
Learning outcomes and assessment criteria	- Knowledge and understanding: - Comprehensive knowledge and understanding of course methods - Skills: - Advanced use of ethnography, spatial analysis and visualisation - Able to assess and choose among the methods in a specific context - Able to reflect on data production - Proficiency in producing advanced visual presentations, graphics and communication - Competences: - Competence to organise, carry out and visualise own field studies at a high level based on a presentation from a company or organisation
Overall content	Ethnography and visualisation are progressions of the Ethnography and Special Analysis course in module 1. It provides advanced knowledge and understanding of and competences in representing and visualising various kinds of fieldwork through GIS-based maps and illustrations. Students learn consultancy work and to carry out fieldwork for companies or organisations.
Prerequisites for participation in the exam	Active, satisfactory and regular attendance. Active, satisfactory and regular attendance means Attendance in at least 80% of lectures. Participation in fieldwork. Participation in the teaching, which involves practical exercises, cannot be replaced by an exam. Accordingly, the above cannot be replaced by a re-examination.
Teaching and working methods	Lectures, group work, exercises, student presentations and essay feedback.
Type of activity	Mandatory
Form of examination (p1)	Individual written take-home assignment given by the lecturer. The assignment must contain minimum 5 and maximum 15 self-produced visual presentations. The character limit of the assignment is: 4,800-9,600 characters, including spaces. The character limit includes the cover, table of contents, bibliography, figures and other illustrations, but exclude any appendices. The duration of the take-home assignment is 3 days and may include weekends and public holidays. Assessment: 7-point grading scale.
Form of Re-examination (p1)	Samme som ordinær eksamen
Exam code(s)	Exam code(s) : U26752

Course days:

Hold: 1

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	09-09-2022 08:15 til 09-09-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	04.2-025 - teorirum (40)
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	16-09-2022 08:15 til 16-09-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	Se moodle / See moodle
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	23-09-2022 08:15 til 23-09-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	06.2-007 - teorirum 06.2 (98)
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	30-09-2022 14:15 til 30-09-2022 18:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	02.1-031 - geofagsal 02 (60)
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	14-10-2022 08:15 til 14-10-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt

| location | 05.2-032 - teorirum (65) |
| Teacher | Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk) |

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	21-10-2022 08:15 til 21-10-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	04.2-025 - teorirum (40)
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	28-10-2022 08:15 til 28-10-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	04.2-025 - teorirum (40)
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	04-11-2022 08:15 til 04-11-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	Se moodle / See moodle
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and visualisation (SDS)

time	11-11-2022 08:15 til 11-11-2022 12:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	04.2-025 - teorirum (40)
Teacher	Jonas Larsen (jonaslar@ruc.dk)

Ethnography and Visualisation - Written examination (SDS)

| time | 14-11-2022 10:00 til 17-11-2022 10:00 |
| forberedelsesnorm | ikke valgt |

Ethnography and Visualisation - Written reexamination (SDS)

time	07-02-2023 10:00 til 10-02-2023 10:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt

Ethnography and Visualisation - Written reexamination (SDS)