Sundhedsstudier i relation til en specifik tematik: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices

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Semester	E2022
Master programme in	Sundhedsfremme / Tværvidenskabelige Sundhedsstudier
Type of activity	
Teaching language	English
Study regulation	Læs mere om uddannelsen og find din studieordning på ruc.dk

REGISTRATION AND STUDY ADMINISTRATIVE

Registration	Du skal tilmelde dig på stads i tilmeldingsperioden, som du kan se på intra Når du tilmelder dig studieaktiviteter, skal du være opmærksom på, om undervisning og eksamen i de forskellige studieaktiviteter er på samme tidspunkt. RUC planlægger studieaktiviteter sådan at der ikke er overlap, hvis du følger dit anbefalede studieforløb. I forhold til valgfrie elementer og studieplaner, som afviger fra det anbefalede studieforløb, kan der dog forekomme overlap, alt efter hvilke kurser du vælger.
Number of participants	There must be at least 15 students registered for this course
ECTS	5
Responsible for the activity	
Head of study	Nicole Thualagant (nicole@ruc.dk)
Teachers	
Study administration	IMT Studieadministration (imt-studieadministration@ruc.dk)
Exam code(s)	U60463

ACADEMIC CONTENT

Overall objective	

Detailed description of content	Global Health is constituted through practices, research, and teaching that typically focus on the biological, socioeconomic, environmental, and cultural aspects of disease and well-being. Within this paradigm, health becomes much more than a medical matter. Rather, as we will explore in this course, it is an important issue affected by borders, class, gender, ethnicity, culture, and communication. Although most societies have recognized that the supporting good health of citizens is a state responsibility, and have established health systems that attempt to prevent and treat disease and promote health, major challenges to promoting health globally still exist. These include power differentials, cultural dynamics, and differing understandings of the methods to achieve a healthy society. Contemporary interventions undertaken in the name of promoting global health represent both new trends and enduring challnges relating to international efforts to improve living conditions in poorer populations. The predicaments and paradoxes that characterize global health interventions therefore also reflect important insights about the dilemmas of international development aid today. This 5 ECTS course proposes to introduce some of the key issues in health promotion work in an increasingly interdependent globalized world. The course exemplifies current paradoxes, dilemmas, and approaches by taking a point of departure in recent research studies on health policies, health promotion, and development. The course will focus on key concepts, methods, structures, policies, and practices along with attention to the health promoter's own position, as well as frictions and dilemmas in the field. This interdisciplinary, interactive course provides students with the intellectual skills, empirical knowledge, and research techniques required to think critically and independently about these issues. Case studies are presented and discussed with students. The aim of the course is to support and further develop the students' theoretical knowledge, practical and empirical experience about global health and contribute to their career opportunities in a growing health promotion sector. Internationally recognized experts from the World Health Organization and technical areas will be providing input to some of the course themes. Interdisciplinary Studies in Health Promotion and Health Strategies organize the course. The course will be conducted in English, and also the group essay as a part of the examination will be in English. Please note that some changes in the sequence of the following ten sessions during the five-course days and in reading may occur before the start of the course.
Course material and Reading list	Information regarding syllabus will be announced at moodle before study start.
Overall plan and expected work effort	5 ECTS course, 5 ECTS = 135 hours. Teaching time: 20 hours Preparation course: 80 hours Course assignment: 35 hours

Total: 135 hours

Læringsaktiviteter

Lectures with group work, case work, student presentations, plenary discussions, field visit and beyond.

Format

Evaluation and feedback

Evaluation of the course takes place continuously in a dialogue between the students and the teacher as well as at the end of the course (optionally supplemented by a written summary, which is sent to the head of studies).

In addition, there is a written evaluation of the course, which is completed at least every 3 years. The written evaluation is send to the activity responsible, the head of studies and the study board for the purpose of quality and development of the education. See more about the evaluations on the study board's page on the intranet.

Programme

ASSESSMENT

Overall learning outcomes

- Opnå indsigt i en specifik tematik i relation til sundhedsmæssige problemstillinger
- Indsigt i og evne til at anvende teorier om denne tematik i relation til sundhedsmæssige problemstillinger
- Kritisk kunne vurdere specifikke tematikkers konsekvenser for og bidrag til udviklingen af menneskers livskvalitet og sundhed i hverdagen
- Kunne bidrage til at udvikle sundhedsfremmende indsatser i relation til en specifik tematik
- Kunne diskutere og analysere sammenhængen mellem en specifik tematik fra forskellige sundhedsmæssige perspektiver

Form of examination

Kurset bestås gennem aktiv og tilfredsstillende deltagelse.

Ved aktiv deltagelse forstås:
- at den studerende skal deltage i de med undervisningen forbundne aktiviteter (f. eks. workshops, seminarer, felt-ekskursioner, processtudiegrupper, arbejdskonferencer, supervisionsgrupper, feedback-sessioner).

Ved tilfredsstillende deltagelse forstås:
- at den studerende skal deltage i f.eks. mundtlige oplæg (individuelt eller i gruppe), peer reviews, miniprojekter, tests, præsentationer, tilrettelæggelse af kursusgang.

Bedømmelse: bestået/ikke bestået

Form of Re-examination

Individuel skriftlig hjemmeopgave

Hjemmeopgaven skal have et omfang på 19.200-28.800 tegn inkl. mellemrum.
Omfangskravene er inklusive eventuel forside, indholdsfortegnelse, litteraturliste, figurer og andre illustrationer, men eksklusive eventuelle bilag.

	Hjemmeopgavens varighed er 5 dage inkl. evt. weekend og helligdage. Bedømmelse: bestået/ikke-bestået
Type of examination in special cases	
Examination and assessment criteria	The starting point of the assessment is that the course assignment meets all formal requirements. In the assessment of the above-mentioned course, emphasis will be placed on the extent to which the student demonstrates • Ability to explain the knowledge about the different patterns and dynamics of movement affecting health within and across borders in the globalized world with an increasingly interdependence. • Ability to explain different conditions for health promotion through a range of dominating health related structures, policies and factors impacting health and well-being. • A grasp of the multiple local, national and global conditions for health promotion in a constantly changing world. • Discussion and reflections about health promoters' own positions in the field, different functions and positions in which health promoters are engaged. • Competences based on empirical knowledge and research techniques required to think independently About various health promotional issues in global context. • Competences on discussing and communicating significant views on health promotion paradoxes, dilemmas and inequalities with involved stakeholder at local, national and international level. • Ability to formulate the above points in written as well as verbal exchange form.
Exam code(s)	Exam code(s) : U60463

Course days:

Hold: 1

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices (TVSU)

time	16-09-2022 10:15 til 16-09-2022 14:00
location	08.1-033 - teorirum (20)

Teacher	Vivian Barnekow (vivianb@ruc.dk) Rashmi Singla (rashmi@ruc.dk)

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices (TVSU)

time	23-09-2022 10:15 til 23-09-2022 14:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	08.1-033 - teorirum (20)
Teacher	Rashmi Singla (rashmi@ruc.dk) Vivian Barnekow (vivianb@ruc.dk)

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices (TVSU)

time	30-09-2022 10:15 til 30-09-2022 14:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	03.1-w01 - klyngerum 1 (30)
Teacher	Rashmi Singla (rashmi@ruc.dk) Vivian Barnekow (vivianb@ruc.dk)

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices (TVSU)

time	07-10-2022 10:15 til 07-10-2022 14:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	02.1-005 - lille teorirum (30)
Teacher	Rashmi Singla (rashmi@ruc.dk) Vivian Barnekow (vivianb@ruc.dk)

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices (TVSU)

time	14-10-2022 10:15 til 14-10-2022 14:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	07.1-021 - undervisningslokale (30)
Teacher	Rashmi Singla (rashmi@ruc.dk) Vivian Barnekow (vivianb@ruc.dk)

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices - Oral examination (TVSU)

time	20-10-2022 09:30 til 20-10-2022 16:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt
location	02.1-157 - miljødynamik-mødelokale (14)
Teacher	Vivian Barnekow (vivianb@ruc.dk) Rashmi Singla (rashmi@ruc.dk)

Valgkursus: Global Health: Promotion, Policies and Practices - Skriftlig omprøve (TVSU)

time	13-02-2023 10:00 til 18-02-2023 10:00
forberedelsesnorm	ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP	ikke valgt