

Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition

Title	Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition
Semester	F2024
Master programme in	Social Entrepreneurship and Management
Type of activity	Course
Teaching language	English
Study regulation	Read about the Master Programme and find the Study Regulations at ruc.dk

REGISTRATION AND STUDY ADMINISTRATIVE

	You register for activities through stads selvbetjening during the announced registration period, which you can see on the Study administration homepage .
Registration	When registering for courses, please be aware of the potential conflicts and overlaps between course and exam time and dates. The planning of course activities at Roskilde University is based on the recommended study programmes, which should not overlap. However, if you choose optional courses and/or study plans that goes beyond the recommended study programmes, an overlap of lectures or exam dates may occur depending on which courses you choose.
Number of participants	
ECTS	10
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Exam code(s)	U60219

ACADEMIC CONTENT

Overall objective The objective of this course is to familiarize students with theories of social innovation processes, social change theory and sustainable transitions that takes place between multiple stakeholders including a variety of enterprises and organizations. Emphasis will also be placed on the role of management in promoting and organizing social innovation and entrepreneurship processes. During the course students will be introduced to concepts, theories and methods and learn to apply them in analysis of challenges and development of solutions in relation to social innovation and social change in real-life cases from the private, public or third sector.

Detailed description of content The course engages with social innovation theories and methods. It introduces to the field of social innovation theories and concepts and go in-depth with key themes, such as bricolage, value co-creation and co-production, social value, sustainability and the relationship between social innovation and social change. It also introduces and applies innovation process methods such as design thinking, participatory processes and collaborative learning.

Course material and Reading list

Study intensity

10 ECTS = 270 hours

Overall plan and expected work effort

- 40 hours classes
- 30 hours preparation of exercises and presentations
- 140 hours preparation (reading)
- Exam: 60 hours. The exam time includes writing a short project report (max. 5 pages) to the case organizations, doing a pitch besides the final individual exam.

Teaching and learning activities

- Seminars
- In class teaching
- Exercises
- Presentations
- Peer feedback
- Study progress report, logs
- Homework individually/in study groups

Format

The course is evaluated with an individual survey and with an oral evaluation in class of the last session of the course

The course includes the following feedback forms:

Evaluation and feedback

- The teachers of the course answers questions in connection with lectures and presentations in class
- Students collaborate on an assignment linked to the teaching and discusses it with each other and the teachers
- The teachers facilitates presentations from students and answers questions
- The teachers assesses oral and written presentations in class and at the exams
- Teachers and co-examiner gives oral grounds for an assessment

Programme

ASSESSMENT

After completing this course, students will be able to:

Overall learning outcomes

- Apply social innovation and social change theories in critical analysis of social innovation and sustainable transition processes.
- Critically assess and evaluate questions and problems involved in the process of social innovation, social change and sustainable transition applying concepts, methods and theories introduced in the course.
- Assess and analyse how social innovation processes are linked to macro and micro actors.
- Assess and reflect upon how different actors and resources can be mobilised and organized for social innovation.
- Develop and critically evaluate solutions to practical real-life challenges in case organizations in the public, private or third sector.

Group portfolio and oral exam

Form of examination

Permitted group size: 3-5 students. Examples of written products are exercise responses, talking points for presentations, written feedback, reflections, written assignments. The preparation of the products may be subject to time limits.

The character limit of the portfolio is:

For 3 students: 28,800-43,200 characters, including spaces.
 For 4 students: 31,200-43,200 characters, including spaces.
 For 5 students: 33,600-43,200 characters, including spaces.
 The character limits include the cover, table of contents, bibliography, figures and other illustrations, but exclude any appendices.

Time allowed for exam including time used for assessment is for:
 3 students: 50 minutes.
 4 students: 60 minutes.
 5 students: 70 minutes.

The assessment is individual and based on the student's individual performance.
 The assessment is an overall assessment of the written product(s) and the subsequent oral examination..

Permitted support and preparation materials at the oral exam: All.

Assessment: 7-point grading scale.
 Moderation: Internal co-assessor.

Form of Re-examination
 Type of examination in special cases

Samme som ordinær eksamen / same form as ordinary exam

Examination and assessment criteria

It will be assessed to which degree the student:

- Can identify, formulate and argue for relevant research questions • Demonstrates understanding and ability to select and apply social innovation and social change theories in specific practice based casework
- Can design and evaluate solutions to example of real life challenge in a case organization • Discuss and assess questions and problems involved in the process of social innovation, social change and sustainable transition while applying concepts, methods and theories introduces in the course

The assessment is an overall assessment of the written product(s) and the subsequent oral examination.

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Course days:

Hold: 1

Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 07-02-2024 08:15 til
07-02-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

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14-02-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

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21-02-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

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23-02-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

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28-02-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 01-03-2024 08:15 til
01-03-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 06-03-2024 08:15 til
06-03-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 12-03-2024 08:15 til
12-03-2024 12:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

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20-03-2024 12:00

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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 03-04-2024 08:15 til
03-04-2024 12:00

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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 10-04-2024 08:15 til
10-04-2024 12:00

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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

time 24-04-2024 08:15 til
24-04-2024 12:00

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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition (SEM)

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29-04-2024 12:00

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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition - Portfolio hand-in (SEM)

time 08-05-2024 10:00 til
08-05-2024 10:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition - Oral examination (SEM)

time 14-05-2024 08:15 til
16-05-2024 18:00
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Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition - Reexam - Portfolio hand-in (SEM)

time 05-08-2024 10:00 til
05-08-2024 10:00
forberedelsesnorm ikke valgt
forberedelsesnorm D-VIP ikke valgt

Social innovation, social change and sustainable transition - Oral reexamination (SEM)

time 12-08-2024 08:15 til
12-08-2024 18:00
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Teacher

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