

General Information	
Academic subject	Sociology
Degree course	Science of communication
Curriculum	
ECTS credits	9
Compulsory attendance	No
Language	Italian

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Class schedule	
Period	Semester I
Year	2021 - 2022
Type of class	Lecture-workshops

Time management	
Hours measured	1 h=60 minutes
In-class study hours	60
Out-of-class study hours	225

Academic calendar	
Class begins	
Class ends	

Syllabus	
Prerequisite requirements	Knowledge of Italian Language
Expected learning outcomes (according to Dublin Descriptors)	<p><i>Knowledge and understanding:</i> knowledge of mainly sociological theories and knowledge of most important processes which involve post-modern societies</p> <p><i>Applying knowledge and understanding:</i> we expect that this knowledge can be applied by the students in the interpretation of social phenomena and in the ways of their communication</p> <p><i>Making informed judgements and choices:</i> informed judgements are expected from students in respect of different sociological paradigms and of different theories which are consequents of them</p> <p><i>Communicating knowledge and understanding:</i> we expect that students are able to properly collocate authors and theories on the landscape of sociological literature and to refer to it comparing their knowledges</p> <p><i>Capacities to continue learning:</i> we expect that students are able to read sociological phenomena integrating them in their individual culture</p>
Contents	Post-industrial societies are crossed by deep changes: we

	will be facing the main sociological questions, such as globalization, deviance, race, gender, conflict, family, arguing them with a focus on public sociology through public opinion, mass media and new media. We also deal with how change happens: when a social movement becomes effective in turning the <i>status quo</i> , when normative systems and conventions on which we founded our social life are superseded by new regulatory framework and new behaviors.
Course program	
Bibliography	G. Ritzer, Introduzione alla sociologia, UTET, Torino 2018; Cass R. Sunstein, Come avviene il cambiamento, Einaudi, Torino 2021
Notes	
Teaching methods	Frontal lessons, practice exercise and power point support
Assessment methods	Written and oral exam
Further information	