



SOCIOLOGIE DES COMPORTEMENTS POLITIQUES

POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

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| Lecturers : 32.0 | TC : 0.0 | PW : 0.0 | Autonomy : 0.0 | Study : 0.0 | Project : 0.0 | Language : FR

Objectives

This course allows students to apply and deepen the methods and modes of reasoning of sociology apprehended in the UE SHS in semester 7, by dealing with the theme of political sociology.

The module presents the main objects, methods and theories of the political sociology. Its problematic is organized around the following questions: What are the political behaviors that are expressed in contemporary Western societies? How can they be analyzed? How is political participation linked, on the one hand, to the historical context, and on the other hand (and correlatively) to the social characteristics of individuals?

Keywords : Sociology, politics, political behaviour, political participation, collective action, social movements, violence, polls, media...

Programme

After defining the notion of political behaviour, the course studies behaviours linked to the electoral process, by presenting the main theories and analysing current issues such as voting orientation, abstention or changes in the political field. It then looks at collective action and social movements, again combining theoretical tools and analysis of topical issues. Finally, a few themes are examined in greater depth, in particular in relation to current events.

To follow this module, a good understanding of French is necessary.

Learning outcomes

- Discover the subjects of political sociology.
- Acquire theoretical methods and tools for analysing political behaviour.
- Acquire solid knowledge of current political phenomena.
- Understand and analyse social science texts.

Independent study

Objectifs : Autonomous work is carried out between sessions. It is carried out in groups and consists of a short bibliographical synthesis on a subject given by the teacher or chosen by the group. Several autonomy notes will be requested.

Méthodes : Instructions will be given by the teacher for carrying out the work independently. Feedback on the first mark should enable the students to improve the following works.

Core texts

Jean-Yves DORMAGEN et Daniel MOUCHARD, *INTRODUCTION À LA SOCIOLOGIE POLITIQUE*, De Boeck, 2019
Nonna MAYER *SOCIOLOGIE DES COMPORTEMENTS POLITIQUES*, Armand Colin, 2010
O. FILLIEULE, F. HAEGEL, C. HAMIDI et V. TIBERJ (dir.) *SOCIOLOGIE PLURIELLE DES COMPORTEMENTS POLITIQUES*, Presses de Sciences Po, 2017

Assessment

Final mark = 50% knowledge + 50% know-how
Knowledge = 100% final exam
Know-how = 100% continuous assessment