

**Syllabus of the Doctoral seminar I. and Doctoral seminar III.
2020/2021**

Notification as of September 24, 2020

Due to Regulation No. 12/2020 issued by the Hygienic Station of the Capital City of Prague banning face-to-face teaching, until further notice the course Doctoral I. and III. will be realized solely online via Zoom platform.

The link to virtual meeting room is to be found in moodle, and will be the same for all Doctoral seminars this semester. If not explicitly stated otherwise, the meetings will take place at times indicated below in syllabus. The content of the course as well as all other aspects of the course, including requirements, remain unaffected.

1. Title and code of the course

JSD001 Doctoral seminar I.

JSD003 Doctoral seminar III.

2. Lecturers

Guarantor:

Prof. PhDr. Arnošt Veselý, Ph.D.

Lecturers:

Prof. PhDr. Arnošt Veselý, Ph.D.

Ing. PhDr. Olga Angelovská

3. Number of credits

5 credits

4. Abstract

Essential forum for PhD. students of Public and social policy to meet, interact and discuss the advancement of research, involving doctoral students, mentors, guarantors and invited guests. This semester focuses upon advanced introduction to research methodology. The students of DS I. will be introduced to advanced methodological issues related to their dissertation while students of DS III. will present development of their dissertation in terms of methodology.

Students put forward their papers, the working versions of their doctoral theses or their parts; academics from the Department of Public and Social Policy, faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University in Prague, along with external specialists present papers focusing above all on the theory, methodology, and practice of the field and critical reflection of scientific works. The seminar will discuss also topical issues of theory and methodology of public and social policy in the Czech Republic and the world at large.

5. Requirements

For recognizing semester a student must attend at least 4 doctoral seminars.

6. Venue

Without further notice, CESES Lecture Room 508, Voršilská 1, Praha 1.

7. Contact and consultations

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8. Moodle

<https://dl1.cuni.cz/course/view.php?id=4659>

9. Basic topics of DS I. a DS III.

- Research aims and questions
- Research design
- Review of literature, reference manager

10. Basic literature

Black, Thomas R. Doing Quantitative Research in the Social Sciences : An Integrated Approach to Research Design, Measurement, and Statistics. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage, 1999.

Blaikie, N. 2000. Designing social research. Oxford: Blackwell.

Blaikie, Norman. 2007. Approaches to Social Enquiry. Cambridge: Polity Press,

Gerring, J. 2001. Social Science Methodology: A Criterial Framework. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Nekola, M., Geissler, H. a Muralová, M. Současné metodologické otázky veřejné politiky. Praha: Karolinum.

Potůček, M. et al. 2017. Public Policy. Prague: Karolinum Press.

11. Tentative schedule

	Date	Time	Venue	Instructor	Topic
1.	We 30.9.	16.00-18.00	CESES	AV, OA	Introduction to doctoral study
2.	We 14.10.	16.00-18.00	CESES	AV	Research aims and questions
3.	We 4.11.	16.00-18.00	CESES	AV	Literature review
4.	We 18.11.	16.00-18.00	CESES	AV	Research design and research planning
5.	We 9.12.	16.00-18.00	CESES	AV	Internal defence (tentative)
6.	We 16.12.	16.00-18.00	CESES	AV	Internal defence (tentative)