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Social theory 756 (SOC 756)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Humanities](#)

Module content This module introduces students to key conceptual vocabularies, as well as selected theoretical paradigms and scholarly works in order to facilitate an understanding of some of the current debates, innovations and controversies in the field. A balance is struck between classic and contemporary social theory, and an emphasis is placed on questions of textuality, canonicity and interdisciplinarity in shaping conversations about social theory and its significance for research, thought and politics.

Module credits 30.00

Programmes [BSocSciHons Gender Studies](#)

[BSocSciHons Industrial Sociology and Labour Studies](#)

[BSocSciHons Sociology](#)

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 lecture per week, 1 seminar per week

Language of tuition English

Academic organisation Sociology

Period of presentation Semester 1

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