

Lehrveranstaltung		LV-Kurzbezeichnung
3.01.3 Poverty and Inequality		
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Lehrform		
Seminar		

Studiensemester gemäß Studienplan	Lehrumfang [SWS oder UE]	Lehrsprache	Arbeitsaufwand [ECTS-Credits]
ab 5	2 SWS	englisch	3

Zeitaufwand:

Präsenzstudium	Eigenstudium
30 h	60 h

Studien- und Prüfungsleistung
Referat m.E.

Inhalte
<p>Reflections about poverty and inequality within a society are as old as social science itself. Definitions of poverty and inequality are, however, very context-specific and individual experience across time and space will differ. While during Adam Smith' times a linen shirt may have been sufficient to be considered non-poor, this is certainly not enough in modern-day Europe.</p> <p>The seminar aims at introducing different concepts poverty and inequality to the students. We will discuss seminal literature on aspects of poverty and inequality and want to raise the question: Inequality / Poverty of what?</p>
Literatur
<p>Piketty, Thomas (2014), Capital in the Twenty-First Century, Harvard University Press. Sen, Amartya (1999), Commodities and Capabilities, Oxford University Press. Atkinson, Anthony B. (1970), On the measurement of Inequality, Journal of Economic Theory, 2, pp. 244 – 263. Atkinson, Anthony B. (1987), On the measurement of poverty, Econometrica, 5, pp. 749 – 764. World Bank (2018), Poverty and Shared Prosperity 2018: Piecing Together the Poverty Puzzle, Washington, DC: World Bank</p> <p>Weitere Literatur wird in der Veranstaltung bekannt gegeben.</p>