

Themes and bibliography for the admission examination at the Ph.D School Domain: Sociology. Session September 2016

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Theme Ia: Gender equality in science. Research activity within this theme will be carried out in cooperation with the European FP7 STAGES Project “Structural transformation to achieve gender equality in science”. Suggested research approaches:

- Gender, career and excellence in scientific research.
- Structural transformation in research organizations (universities and research institutes) to achieve gender equality in science.
- Gender and society. The social construction of gender.
- Gender in Responsible Research and Innovation-

Theme Ib: Responsible Research and Innovation (societal involvement; science education; gender and scientific research; open science; ethics and responsible research and innovation). **Research activity within this theme will be carried out in cooperation with COST Action CA 15212 „Citizen Science to promote creativity, scientific literacy, and innovation throughout Europe”.**

Theme II: Sociology of Law (Society and Law) Social-legal normativity and new forms of social control.

- Crime and risk. Risk management and community safety.
- Alternative measures and sanctions. Probation and community reintegration.
- Juvenile Justice in Europe. Social work programmes and services for the protection of the rights of children and young people in conflict with law (**this theme will be carried out in cooperation with the European Institute of Social Work**).
- Restorative justice, mediation and alternative dispute resolution (this theme will be carried out in cooperation with different European and international networks for promotion of the ADR practices).
- Social work and the victims' protection.
- Social control, surveillance and the new information technologies (**this theme will be carried out in cooperation with COST LiSS project/experts**).

Theme III: Social work and Human Rights: protection strategies and social programmes for vulnerable people and groups (children, women, ethnic minorities, refugees, migrants, human trafficking etc).

- Social work and children's rights protection.
- European/Global care chain and children's right protection. **This theme will be carried out in cooperation with the European research project COST Action IS1311. Intergenerational Family Solidarity across Europe**
- Children's rights, transnational family and migration. **This theme will be carried out in cooperation with the project COST Action IS1311. Intergenerational Family Solidarity across Europe**
- Children and the internet: social work and the protection of children's rights within virtual space.
- Social Justice: Social policy and equal opportunities. Social inclusion and new technologies.

Tema IV: Sociology of the European Integration and research paradigms in social sciences.

Tema V: Sociology of organization and community development. Theories, models, applications

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