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INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL POLICY

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compulsory (C) or selection (S) course	year	winter (W) or spring (S) semester
C	1st	W

The course introduces students to fundamental concepts, aims and processes of social policy as a field of social action and as an academic subject of interdisciplinary character. Within this framework the role of the state, the market, the third sector and the family in different types of welfare regimes are presented, in a historical perspective and from the angle of different theoretical / ideological approaches.

Reading list:

- Stassinopoulou, O., 1992. *The Welfare State: Historical Development - Contemporary Theoretical Approaches*. Athens: Gutenberg (in Greek).
- Spicker, P., 2005. *The Welfare State*. Athens: Gutenberg (translated in Greek).
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