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Teacher(s) :	Rizzi Ester Lucia ; Bocquier Philippe (coordinator) ;
Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	<p>The main topics are the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - General elements of terminology (theory, explanation, causality, level of analysis, conceptual framework, etc.) - The main contemporary paradigms, from hard-line Malthusianism to anti-Malthusianism - Theories of demographic transition, from old to recent forms - The main theoretical approaches to fertility, classifications and typologies - Factors associated to nuptiality - Explanatory theories of mortality - An insight at the theoretical field in internal and international migrations " Interests, difficulties and limits of general or universal theories
Aims :	<p>Master theories and explanations in the field of social and economic demography, to develop a critical view on the related literature, ability to build hypotheses, and to interpret changes.</p> <p><i>The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".</i></p>
Other infos :	<p>Introduction to demography (SPED 1211) is recommended</p> <p>Personal or group work.</p> <p>Course text and articles or chapters of books.</p>
Cycle and year of study :	> Master [120] in Population and Development Studies
Faculty or entity in charge:	PSAD