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## Ethnographic methods

In view of the health context linked to the spread of the coronavirus, the methods of organisation and evaluation of the learning units could be adapted in different situations; these possible new methods have been - or will be - communicated by the teachers to the students.

5 credits	15.0 h	Q2

Teacher(s)	Laurent Pierre-Joseph ;				
Language :	French				
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve				
Main themes	Trough a deep examination of the methodology considerations and the linked epistemological questions, this seminary is about mastering investigation tools. It emphasize on how to organise a field study and on the production of data. This seminary is organised in a way that the students get a collective feedback on their field study. Subjects part of the course:				
	<ul> <li>Data production from participant, observation and semi-structured interview;</li> <li>Other investigation techniques when needed;</li> <li>Planning and organisation of a field study;</li> <li>Analysis and interpretation of ethnographical data;</li> <li>Building of an ethnological research subject and question.</li> </ul>				
Aims	<ol> <li>run a complete ethnological field-study.</li> <li>give, at least once, a presentation of his research to teachers and students of the program.</li> </ol>				
	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".				
Content	Contents: 1. Production and data status 2. The ethnologist as an actor in situation 3. Discussion on researcher's reflexiveness during ethnographic production 4. Field study approach (how to observe and interview, how to implement archives researchs) Methods: Seminary is organised with previous article readings, lectures and discussions about the students' fieldwork. Students will have to prepare the fieldwork about which they'll write their thesis.				
Other infos	Students' work will be appraised according to the jury system (cf. Master in Anthropology) This course is given during days, half days and sessions of training				
Faculty or entity in charge	PSAD				

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims		
Master [60] in Sociology and Anthropology	SOCA2M1	5		•		
Master [120] in Information and Communication Science and Technology	STIC2M	5		•		
Master [120] in Political Sciences: General	SPOL2M	5		•		
Master [120] in Anthropology	ANTR2M	5		•		