Course description

Cross-sectoral Social Partnership

1. Course name, ECTS, quarter/semester, contact hours

Cross-sectoral Social Partnership, 3 quarter

ECTS: 4

Contact hours: 10 lectures (20 hours) & 10 discussion groups (20 hours)

2. Author of the course:

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3. Outline: This course elaborated in order to provide new scientific knowledge on the following issues: policy and ideological basis for society and governments cooperation on all levels; different models of welfare state and state-business-society relations, such as trade-unionism and tripartism systems; approached and normative for public-private partnership; social corporate responsibility and sustainable development in local communities; mechanisms of social entrepreneurship; social investments and innovations. During practically-oriented micro-research project work, students also to be provided possibilities for new skills and competences developing, such as fund-raising, project management, social marketing and technologies, applied analysis of social policy.

4. Structure and content:

Introduction to the course (1 lecture)

Public policy and ideological basis for society and government interactions (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Welfare state models and state-business relation (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Welfare state models and state-NGOs relations (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Trade-unions role in the social policy implementations (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Public-private partnership (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Social and corporate responsibility (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Sustainable development in local communities (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Mechanism of social entrepreneurship, social investments and innovations (1 lecture, 1 seminar)

Review of intersectoral social partnership models in Russian regions (1 seminar)

5. Prerequisites

None

6. Assessment

Analytical essay with review of intersectoral social partnership model in one region of Russia up to 3000 words (50%)

Oral presentation (10%).

Coursework (40%)