



SYLLABUS		
Course:	Special education	
Subject:	Disability studies	
Department	Department of Pedagogy	
Study Level	Master degree	
Semester	Spring	
ECTS Credits	2 (15hrs)	
Teaching methods	Lecture (15hrs)	
Crading policy	<ol> <li>Lectures:         <ol> <li>Theoretical background of inclusive education. Research findings on their effectiveness.</li> <li>Perspectives on Disability: definitions, language, and models of disability Cultures of Exclusion: historical overview of social-cultural responses to body-minds that are associated with disability today.</li> <li>Cultures of Inclusion: the development of inclusive orientations toward disability, disability rights movement, independent living movement.</li> </ol> </li> <li>An Aesthetic of disability.</li> <li>Contemplating the (In)visibility of Disability</li> <li>Overview of How Schools Respond to Student Diversity: individual approach to difference, pluralism as social practice, diversity as curricular practice, and pedagogies for liberation</li> <li>Definitions of Disability in Schools, labellling</li> <li>Addressing Disability in Inclusive Practice: awareness programs.</li> </ol>	
Grading policy	The method of calculating the grade for a lecture is as follows: 80% essay, 20% active participation.	
References	<ol> <li>Adams R., Reiss B., Serlin D. (eds.) (2015) Keywords for Disability Studies, New York University Press.</li> <li>Baglieri S. (2022) Disability Studies and the Inclusive Classroom: Critical Practices for Embracing Diversity in Education (3rd ed.), Routledge.</li> <li>Gabel S. L. (2005) Disability Studies in Education: Readings in Theory and Method, Peter Lang Publishing Inc.</li> <li>Goodley D. (2016) Disability Studies: An Interdisciplinary Introduction, SAGE Publications Ltd.</li> <li>Valle J. W., Connor D.J. (2019) Rethinking Disability: A Disability Studies Approach to Inclusive Practices, Taylor &amp; Francis Ltd</li> <li>Disability Studies Quarterly (DSQ)</li> </ol>	





Prerequisites	Language: English, CEFR level B1 or higher		
	Other:		
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