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Teach Mob – Visiting Professors ***Academic year 2015/2016***

2nd term
COURSE TITLE Group Psychology
Scientific area Social Science – Social Psychology
Department of Psychology
Language used to teach Usually Italian with slides in English
Course summary The first part of the course is aimed at examining the theoretical premises underpinning the effectiveness of the technique of group. Will be examined more recent theoretical models aimed at explaining the group as a research tool and work applied in social contexts such as health and education. They will also be the latest in-depth conceptual tools relating to group processes in reference both to the dynamics of intra-group and inter-group relations, developed from the theory of social identity, including in such close examination of the contribution in social political and cultural psychology.
Learning objectives Students in this class will be directly exposed to many of the core ideas in the field by reading many of the classic articles. The readings will provide an in-depth exploration of key empirical and theoretical developments. The acquisition of the ability to critically analyse issues and problems related to the topics addressed (planning interventions and their evaluation) putting into practice the theoretical knowledge advanced discussed in class. Will be evaluated also the advanced language skills, the ability of interpretation and synthesis in relation to the theory and practice groups.
Tutorship activities The work in this course includes active participation, leading discussion, a class presentation, and a term paper. Class assignments are designed to develop your ability to think critically and creatively, moderate discussion, present ideas and write—fundamental skills for your research career. Students are graded on their ability to understand and integrate the material.
Lab activities There will be realised also two laboratories on observation of work-group and the group in the clinical context related to the adoption.
Other activities besides the course: There will be either conferences and seminars for PhD students and School of Specialization on meritocracy, social ideologies and status discrimination.

Visiting Professor Profile

The course is designed for a Professor in social Psychology with expertise in the structural processes founding social influence (power, norms, interdependence, etc.) to the cognitive and motivational mechanisms that determine individual change.

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