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| **Course title** | **Code** | **Semester** | **Type of course** | **Course volume (Contact hours)** | **ECTS** |
| **Introduction to Sociology and Psychology** | **MED 2014** | **IV** | **Mandatory** | **37** | **2** |
| **Faculty, the educational program and level of education** | * School of Medicine and Health Sciences
* Higher Medical Educational Program “Medicine”
* One cycle 6-year
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| **Learning Course Content** |
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| * Syllabus & General Information; Intro. to psychological science; Psychological approaches. PPT-psychological approaches.
* Motivation theories; Self-Motivation and Self Confidence; Improving Motivation; Quiz
* Psychological approaches - Presentations
* Emotions; Stress and Health. Case discussion.
* Communication Perspectives and Principles;

Perception of Self and Others; Understanding Interpersonal Relationships; Communication Skills in Interpersonal RelationshipsSelf-knowledge and understanding* Social Psychology: The Self in a Social World

Social beliefs and judgement Behavior and attitudes Social relations: disliking others and hurting othersLiking and loving othersConflict and peace makingSocial psychology in clinic* Introduction to sociology, basic tools and methods of social analysis.

Understanding of health and illness in society, how methods from the humanities and social studies may be brought to bear on biomedicine, clinical practice, and the politics of healthcare. Experiences of health, illness, disability and healthcare, Presentation* Health policy and practice. Introduction to social networks, social network analysis How different kinds of networks relate to important sociological topics like inequality, crime, health, immigration, community, and work.
* Xenophobia and discrimination (race, gender, nationalism, citizenship and religion), Sociology of disability, Social psychology of work in medicine

Discussion. |

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| **Textbooks and Materials** |

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| * Social Psychology - David G. Myers, 2010

Philip. G. Zimbardo - Psychology and Life, 19th Edition* Psychology: Shalley E.Taylor, 2006
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