Winter School: Ethics in Social Work

Abstract
Where do Social Work values like human rights, autonomy or justice come from? The ethical orientation of Social Work has a problematic standing. While it is an essential ingredient in the profession’s self-conception, from the point of view of the discipline its foundation is problematic or even taken to be impossible. Focusing on concrete values and ethical orientations of Social Work the students will reflect and assess the status of Social Work’s ethical orientation. Two representatives from the profession and the academic discipline of Social Work are invited to debate these issues with the students from their distinctive perspective. Working on problems will also provide the opportunity to gain a deeper understanding of the relationship between the Social Work profession and its discipline and hence a deeper understanding of Social Work as such.

Further information
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ECTS-Credits:
2 ECTS

Language:
English

Dates:
12., 13., 15., & 16. February 2018 in Berne

Registration:
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Costs:
No participation fees.
Travel, accommodation, and other costs are not covered.