

Title of course: **Intercultural Communication For Inclusion and Social Justice**

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Teaching language: English

Course description: The aim of the course is to learn the specifics of intercultural communication useful in international social interactions (individual and collective) and in building inclusive work-places and classrooms. The course will explore mechanisms connected with overcoming problems in intercultural communication with reference to low and high context cultures as well as strategies for coping with culture shock, mistakes and contrasts in functioning in culturally distinct/ foreign environments. Each aspect will be opened with a short lecture, followed by a practical part and a discussion based on literature and visual materials. The exercise part of the course will consist in intercultural competences and communication training

Assessment (ZO): To pass weekly presence and active participation are required. Students may expect small weekly tasks for self-study, and a final essay or research report.