

Syllabus

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| Title of Course | European Social Security Systems |
| Lecturer | Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Mazal (Information attached) Deputy Head of Department of Labor Law and Social security at University of Vienna Director of Austrian Institute for Family Studies at University of Vienna |
| Main Goals | The lecture will provide an overview of the history and the actual status of social security systems in Europe. Lecture will show different European approaches to social security and discuss the three types of the European social Model (Nordic, Middle-European, Mediterranean). Focus will be held on social insurance (pensions, health-care, occupational accident, unemployment), but means tested benefits, students allowances and family allowances as well. Lecture will cover EC-regulations as well as national regulations of selected Member States. |
| Duration | 6 block, 3x50 minutes each |
| Contents | Block 1: General introduction, History, Philosophical Aspects Block 2: Legal and economic aspects, Different approaches: Scandinavian, Middle-European, Mediterranean Block 3: Health care, Occupational accident insurance Block 4: Unemployment, Pension schemes Block 5: European Legislation and Coordination Block 6: Family policies, Relations between Generations |
| Language | Lecture will be held in English |