

SVF-3023: Project Seminar

Orientation meeting: Friday, 11 January, 2008, 10:15, room U-06
Teaching: 6 hours (+ 4 hours workshop)
Project Proposal: Maximum of 10 pages (ca. 4000 words) must be submitted by 30 April and approved by 15 May.
Course Coordinator: Ingvild Flaskerud
Contact person: Hildegunn Bruland
Readings: Appr. 750 pages

Course Texts. Marked with * T *

Articles in 'compendium' marked with a * C *. Note that this compendium is the one for SVF-3025 Methods in Social Research an Interdisciplinary Approach.

Individual Handouts Marked with an *O*

Electronic Version of Journal Articles *E*

Week	Date	Theme	
4	Wed 23 Jan 09:15 – 11:00 Room U-06	Workshop: Getting Started: How to develop your ideas	Ingvild Flaskerud
5	Wed 30 Jan 12:15 – 14:00 Room U-06	Principles of Social Research <i>Required readings:</i> Black, Thomas, 1999, <i>Doing Quantitative Research in the Social Sciences</i> , London: Sage Publications Chapter 1: 'The Nature of Enquiry', p. 3-26 (23 p.) <u>*C*</u> Bryman, Alan, 2006, 'Paradigm Peace and the Implications for Quality', <i>International Journal of Social Research Methodology</i> , 9 (2), April, p. 111-126 (25 p.) <u>*E*</u> Silverman, David, 2005, <i>Doing Qualitative Research</i> , London: Sage Publications (312 p.) <u>*T*</u>	Percy Oware

	Thu 31 Jan 12:15 – 14:00 Room U-06	Designing Research Projects <i>Required Readings:</i> Black, Thomas, 1999, <i>Doing Quantitative Research in the Social Sciences</i> , London: Sage Publications Chapter 2: ‘Beginning the Design Process’, p. 27-58 (31 p.) *C* Silverman, David, 2005, <i>Doing Qualitative Research</i> , London: Sage Publications (312 p.) *T*	Percy Oware
7	Thurs 14 Feb 12:15 – 14:00 Room U-06	Ethics, Safety and Fieldwork <i>Required Readings:</i> Desai, Vandana, Potter, Rob, (eds.), 2006, <i>Doing Development Research</i> , London: Sage Publications Chapter 8: Bøås, Morten, Jennings, Kathleen, Shaw, Timothy ‘Dealing with Conflicts and Emergency Situations’, p. 70-79 (9 p.) *C* Feenan, Dermot, 2002, ‘Researching Paramilitary Violence in Northern Ireland’, <i>International Journal of Social Research Methodology</i> , 5 (2), p. 147-163 (16 p.) *E* Gokah, Theophilus, 2006, ‘The Naïve Research: Doing Social Research in Africa’, <i>International Journal of Social Research Methodology</i> , 9 (1), p. 61-73 (12 p.) *E* Meyer, Scott, 2007, ‘Security in the Field’, <i>Irimi</i> 1, p. 70 – 80 (10 p.) *O*	Scott Meyer
17	Wed 23 April 11:00 – 13:00 Room U-06	Workshop: Getting Finished: Completing your project proposal	Ingvild Flaskerud