



STAFF

- 52 members, including
- ▶ 22 Researchers and researcher-associates (2 UBS)
 - ▶ 14 doctoral students

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EA 3149 SOCIOLOGY STUDIES AND RESEARCH LABORATORY LABERS

Research is conducted in three areas:

▶ Healthcare and society:

Issues of healthcare in contemporary societies are viewed in terms of research focused upon health production configurations. They involve patients, their circles (family, friends), and healthcare professionals. Research is also conducted on populations with disabilities and/or ageing. Key issues involve the effects of healthcare policies, health services, and more generally public policies relating to healthcare careers and the organization of care work.

▶ Territories and mobility:

This research strand focuses upon the practices of use and social representations of territories. Locum of the tensions between mobility and migrations on the one hand, and sedentariness and anchoring on the other (of self and others), territories reveal key social issues.

▶ Culturalities:

Research focuses on cultural and social practices that may be related to specialized and dedicated institutional mechanisms (education, work commitment, sport and leisure activities) but can also be conducted outside of institutions.

These research strands are complemented by three transversal themes:

- Gender,
- Work,
- Digital.

SCIENTIFIC DOMAIN

Sociology.
Anthropology
Ethnology.
Demographics.
Social history.

APPLICATION SECTORS

Administration / public sector.
Initial and continuing training.
Healthcare / Social / Medical-social.
Nonprofit sector.
Local development.

EXPERTISE

Healthcare and society: research on healthcare professions, occupational health, ageing, disabilities.

Territories and mobility: research on innovation and shared lodging.

Culturalities: research on social and socially responsible economy, education, and youth policies.

Actions conducted:

Qualitative and comparative analysis -
Evaluation - Applied research and action
research - Scientific consultancy and support
Organization of symposiums -
workshops - seminars - conferences.

SPECIFIC EQUIPMENT

Data collection equipment (images, sound).
Data analysis and storage software.

SCIENTIFIC COLLABORATION

International: several European and international laboratories (Spain, Switzerland, Canada, Mexico and Chile).

KEYWORDS

Sociology of healthcare / Social changes
Social sciences of cities / Social
problems / Sociology of families.