

SOE501 Essentials of Social Entrepreneurship and Application in Singapore's Context

Level: 5

Credit Units: 5 Credit Units

Language: ENGLISH

Presentation Pattern: EVERY JAN

Synopsis:

SOE501 Essentials of Social Entrepreneurship and Application in Singapore's Context aims to immerse students in a discourse about the concept of social entrepreneurship and its relevance in current and future context of Singapore. Students will also be introduced to seven elements of social entrepreneurship to achieve organisational excellence, a model proposed by Ang (2022). An important part of this module is to introduce students to the key social issues and social policies in Singapore. The knowledge from this course will provide a good foundation for students to build on as they proceed with the rest of the social entrepreneurship programme.

Topics:

- Social and environmental issues in Singapore
- Service landscape: social service sector
- Environmental protection and sustainability sector
- Current initiatives and programmes
- Social policies in response to key social issues
- Policies in response to environmental and sustainability issues
- Challenges of current approach
- Theoretical concepts of social entrepreneurship
- Seven elements of social entrepreneurship for organizational excellence (Ang, 2022)
- Application of social entrepreneurship
- Examples of social entrepreneurship
- Process of social entrepreneurship

Learning Outcome:

- Discuss key social and environmental issues in Singapore.
- Examine existing services and initiatives in response to social and environmental issues.
- Appraise social policies in Singapore in response to key social and environmental issues.
- Deconstruct the concept of social entrepreneurship and its value.
- Distinguish social entrepreneurship as an approach to addressing social and environmental issues.
- Experiment the application of social entrepreneurship in the context of Singapore.

Assessment Strategies - Regular Semester (Evening Class):

Components	Description	Weightage Allocation (%)
Overall Continuous Assessment	TUTOR-MARKED ASSIGNMENT 1	50
Overall Examinable	ECA	50

Components	
Total	100

*The information listed is subject to review and change.