



# THE INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK PRESENTS

## Community Social Work

The International Summer School is organized in English language by the Faculty of Health and Social Sciences, University of South Bohemia in České Budějovice, Czech Republic

## 5<sup>th</sup> July – 16<sup>th</sup> July 2021

### Location:

Faculty of Health and Social Sciences, University of South Bohemia in České Budějovice, J. Boreckého 1167/27, 370 11 České Budějovice, Czech Republic

### Aim of the Summer School of Social Work:

Our International Summer School offers you a wonderful opportunity to study in the beautiful Southern Bohemia region of the Czech Republic. Experts dealing with community social work in cooperation with experienced academics and educators have prepared lectures, seminars, workshops, and excursions to enrich your knowledge and improve your skills in community care.

Community social work is an important approach that requires cooperation, including coordination. Community social worker is a key person in practice, who provides the necessary counseling and services in the home environment of the client and his/her surroundings (community). It is evident that there is a high level of community social work abroad (especially the USA – the cradle of community work, England, Finland /Environmental Social Work/, etc.). Its coordination leads on one hand to significant prevention of social exclusion of various groups of the population (minorities, elderly, mothers on parental leave, etc.) and on the other hand to a significant systemic economic benefit.

The summer school program also provides an excellent occasion to meet students from other countries and share information and experiences as well as discuss community care on an international level.

In addition to the professional program, our International Summer School also offers a great social-cultural program, which gives students a chance to experience Czech culture and engage in informal discussions with colleagues from around the world.

### Keynote speakers:

- **Prof. Kathleen L. Valentine, Ph.D.** – Clemson University, South Carolina, USA
- **Prof. Mark A. Small, Ph.D., Dr.h.c.** – Clemson University, South Carolina, USA
- **Assoc. Prof. Katalin Papp, Ph.D.** – Debrecen University, Hungary
- **Éva Huszti, Ph.D.** – Debrecen University, Hungary

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