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Identity and sense as a basis of a new citizenship participation

LA IDENTIDAD Y EL SENTIDO COMO BASE DE LA PARTICIPACIÓN DE LA NUEVA CIUDADANÍA

La historia de las sociedades contemporáneas puede considerarse como una historia de movimientos sociales. Desde las ciencias sociales son numerosos los autores que señalan cómo a cada generación de derechos ciudadanos le acompaña una serie de movimientos sociales articulados en asociaciones y organizaciones conformadas a su vez por ciudadanos/as que reivindican lo que consideran un derecho. En el artículo, a través del análisis de una asociación de vecinos se verá un ejemplo de movilizaciones ciudadanas en defensa de la calidad de vida, del territorio y del patrimonio.

PALABRAS CLAVE: CIUDADANÍA, ASOCIACIONISMO, MOVIMIENTOS SOCIALES

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De la Gestió de la Qualitat al Turisme Rural. Reorganització i diversificació de la indústria turística a Catalunya

ABOUT THE RURAL TOURISM QUALITY. REORGANISING AND DIVERSIFYING THE TOURISM INDUSTRY IN CATALONIA.

This article analyses the rearrangement and diversification processes of the touristic industry. The research is focused in two paradigmatic cases in the managerial, political and academic debate: 1) quality management in the hotel industry and, 2) the creation of a new rural tourism supply. We narrow our analysis focusing in the characteristics of work organization in the touristic industry implied by these forms of rearrangement and diversification.

KEYWORDS: RURAL TOURISM, HOTEL INDUSTRY, QUALITY MANAGEMENT

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La realitat de la tasca dels agents de desenvolupament local en l'aplicació de les polítiques d'ocupació: conclusions de l'estudi del cas de la Ribera Alta

THE REALITY OF THE WORK OF LOCAL DEVELOPMENT AGENTS IN IMPLEMENTING THE POLICIES OF OCCUPATION: FINDINGS OF A CASE STUDY OF LA RIBERA ALTA

This article focuses on the activity of Local Development Agents (LDAs), as active factors in the application of public employment policies, and offers an overview on the real situation they might find while working. In the next lines, some conclusions will be drawn on the basis of a particular study on LDAs of La Ribera Alta (València) where the working environment they must face and live within is analysed.

KEYWORDS: LOCAL DEVELOPMENT, LDA, LOCAL EMPLOYMENT

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El sistema de protección social en la comunidad valenciana: algunos indicadores sociales
THE SOCIAL PROTECTION IN THE COMUNIDAD VALENCIANA: SOME SOCIAL INDICATORS

Basic characteristics of social protection system are contained in this article, as a part of Welfare State, just as it is developed in *Comunidad Valenciana* (a Spanish region), although using as references the rest of regions and the whole State. It contains also an analysis of its evolution during the last decade. It is a summary of a more extensive work elaborated with the design and development of a social protection indicators system. The object of the article is double: the analysis of Social Security system (pensions and benefits) and the Social Services system (both general and specific services). The results of the analysis draw that our protection level is generally under the average of Spain, although in several cases, a few of them, improve the national average.

KEYWORDS: PROTECTION, INEQUALITY, SOCIAL INDICATOR

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Crítica de l'(evolucionisme com a) animalització de l'home

CRITISIZING THE EVOLUCIONISM AS ANIMALISATION OF THE HUMAN BEING

Following a recent book, this paper shows that the evolutionism (Vs. old and new creationism), before Darwin, is built up on a non historical and non symbolic conception of human actions. In a second time, this article analyses how and why sociology, not just through organicism but in general, have incorporated human beings in the animal species. This leads us to explain the difficulties arising for a sociological view of ecological problems which would be structured by “bioanthropological” premises: the negation of human sciences and the impossibility to understand the social and political causes of environment degradations.

KEYWORDS: EVOLUCIONISM, ANIMALISATION (OF MAN), ORGANICISM

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La sociedad del conocimiento: una revisión teórica de un modelo de desarrollo posible para América latina

THE “KNOWLEDGE SOCIETY”: A THEORETICAL REVIEW OF A POSSIBLE MODEL DEVELOPMENT FOR LATIN AMERICAN

The aim of this paper is to show some of the theories about the “Knowledge Society” and to discuss its pertinence for Latin American reality. In particular, I am interested in showing that the transformation of an explanatory theory into a model of development, has been taking place through the selection of the less problematic features of the theoretical corpus. Conflicts that derive from the private appropriation of knowledge and their effects on social inequality –mostly among countries and regions, but also among individuals in societies- are often dismissed. While evaluating as positive the accumulation of abstract knowledge itself, this is an attempt to show some of the negative aspects of its dynamics, in order to prevent their worst effects on human development in Latin American countries.

KEYWORDS: KNOWLEDGE SOCIETY, DEVELOPMENT, LATIN AMERICA

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Tejiendo disidencias: Una aproximación a las transformaciones de género en el campo del voluntariado

WEAVING DISSIDENTS: A FOCUS ON THE GENDER TRANSFORMATIONS IN THE VOLUNTARY FIELD

This article is placed within the discussion concerning citizenship participation and voluntary from a gender point of view. The available data show that among the voluntary organizations, women work on those less prestigious tasks or with a lower social visibility. Besides, the unequal co-operation in the managing

positions of these entities, according to men and women is conditioned on the social gender adscriptions, the varied use of time and the unequal distribution of home jobs - unpaid family jobs. The findings that we show point out a first approach to the discursive representations related to the gender, which are related to these questions, worked on discussions groups in Valencian entities of social voluntarism.

KEYWORDS: GENDER, VOLUNTARY, THIRD SECTOR

