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## **ORGANIZAÇÃO SOCIAL E PARENTESCO (NA ANTROPOLOGIA DO SÉC. XX)**

### **Ementa**

O primeiro objetivo deste curso é propor uma leitura dos conceitos centrais dos dois principais paradigmas teóricos que dominaram o campo dos estudos antropológicos do parentesco até a década de 1970 — a teoria britânica da descendência e a teoria lévi-straussiana da aliança — evidenciando suas implicações em uma concepção do parentesco culturalmente específica, que articula de um modo particular certas noções de propriedade, gênero, pessoa, natureza/cultura, sociedade/indivíduo, evidentemente centrais na própria constituição da disciplina antropológica. O segundo objetivo é explorar como a concepção do parentesco enquanto "sistema", (comum a ambas as "teorias") foi sendo colocada em questão e vem hoje dando lugar a novas linguagens descritivas e analíticas que procuram responder, de um lado, a desenvolvimentos críticos na história da disciplina e, de outro, às transformações correntes nas concepções e práticas do parentesco contemporâneo, em toda parte.

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