

Early Social Theorists

Auguste Comte – Positivism

Statics and Dynamics

Spencer – Militant V. Industrial

Evolutionary Theory – Survival of the Fittest

Emile Durkheim

Social Facts – Nonmaterial (cohesive)

Collective sentiment (collective consciousness) – religion

Sacred objects (represent some collective consciousness)

Mechanical v. Organic societies (traits)

Repressive v. Restitutive punishment

Anomie

Suicide (4 Types)

Functionalism

Davis and Moore -

Merton – Manifest and Latent Functions

Dysfunctions

Anomie – Deviance – 5 types

Karl Marx

Alienation – Species Being

Labor theory of Value

Use value- exchange value – surplus value

Dialectic

False Consciousness

Conflict Theorists

Gramsci – Hegemony

Veblen – Conspicuous Consumption

Dahrendorf – Power and authority

Latent interests

C. Wright Mills – The Power Elite

Role of media and apathetic citizens

Sociological Imagination

Max Weber

Rationalization

Verstehen

Protestant Work Ethic and the Spirit of Capitalism

Reasons Protestantism produced capitalism

The Calling

Predestination

Idleness

Conscientious Work

Iron Cage

Herbert Mead

Define Symbolic Interactionism

Significant Gestures and Language

Intelligence – mentally test scenarios

Mind –process of internal conversation

Self – Reflexivity

Stages to develop self – imitate, play, game

Significant Other

Generalized Other

I and Me