

28325 - Urban Areas: Processes and territorial organization

Información del Plan Docente

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Subject	28325 - Urban Areas: Processes and territorial organization
Faculty / School	103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras
Degree	419 - Degree in Geography and Land Management
ECTS	6.0
Year	3
Semester	Second semester
Subject Type	Compulsory
Module	---

1.General information

1.1.Aims of the course

1.2.Context and importance of this course in the degree

1.3.Recommendations to take this course

2.Learning goals

2.1.Competences

2.2.Learning goals

2.3.Importance of learning goals

3.Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

3.1.Assessment tasks (description of tasks, marking system and assessment criteria)

4.Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

4.1.Methodological overview

The methodology followed in this course is oriented towards achievement of the learning objectives. A wide range of teaching and learning tasks are implemented, such as lectures, practical exercises, individual and group tasks, field work, which are arranged in a logical sequence in order to maintain an integrated view of urbanization and the growth of cities.

This approach allows a coherent presentation of the implications, morphology and problems of cities in developed areas and in other developing countries.

Students are expected to participate actively in the class throughout the semester.

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Classroom materials will be available via Moodle. These include a repository of the lecture notes used in class, the course syllabus, as well as other course-specific learning materials.

4.2. Learning tasks

The course includes the following learning tasks:

- Lectures (32.5 hours)
- Individual and/or group tasks (10 hours)
- Guided tasks (30 hours)
- Field work (12 hours)
- Autonomous work and study (75 hours)
- Assessment tasks (5 hours)

4.3. Syllabus

The course will address the following topics:

1. The historical and complex nature of cities and their study by the Urban Geography.
2. Sources for the geographical study of cities and urbanization.
3. Towards a world of cities: factors, stages and forms of urbanization.
4. A world of cities: *megacities*, world cities and urban systems.
5. Urban form, spatial and functional organization of the urban land uses .
6. Urban Community, experience, perception and representation of the city.
7. Challenges, governance and planning of cities.

4.4. Course planning and calendar

The course is divided into 2 main sections. The first section includes the following topics: 1, 2, 3 and 4; it runs during the first 2 months of the semester (February and March). The second section includes the topics 5, 6 and 7; it runs during the following two months (April-May).

Further information concerning the timetable, classroom, office hours, assessment dates and other details regarding this course will be provided on the first day of class or please refer to the "Facultad de Filosofía y Letras" website (<https://fyl.unizar.es/horario-de-clases#overlay-context=horario-de-clases>) and Moodle.

4.5. Bibliography and recommended resources

1. Basics text

- Clark, D. (1973): *Urban geography. An introductory guide*, Londres y Canberra, Croom Helm.
- Cadwallader, M. T. (1996): *Urban geography: an analytical approach*, Upper Saddle River (New Jersey), Prentice Hall.
- Carter, H. (1987): *El estudio de la geografía urbana*, Madrid, Instituto de Administración Local.
- Hall, T. y Barrett, H. (2012): *Urban Geography*, Abingdon y Nueva York, Routledge. (366 páginas)
- Hartshorn, T. A. (1980): *Interpreting the city: an urban geography*, New York; Chichester, Wiley.
- Johnson, J. H. (1987): *Geografía urbana*, Vilassar de Mar, Barcelona Oikos-Tau.
- Knox, P. L. y McCarthy, L. (2011): *Urbanization: an introduction to urban geography*, Upper Saddle River, N.J., Prentice Hall. (459 páginas).
- Knox, P. L., y Pinch, S. (2010): *Urban social geography: an introduction*. Harlow: Pearson Prentice Hall (373 páginas).
- Pacione, M. (2009): *Urban Geography: A Global Perspective*, London and New York, Routledge. (736 páginas, 1ª edición: 2001)

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- Paulet, J. P. (2005): *Géographie urbaine*, París, Armand Colin.
- Phillips, E. B. (1996): *City lights: urban-suburban life in the global society*, New York; Oxford, Oxford University Press (698 páginas).
- Lois, R. C (Coord.) (2012): *Los espacios urbanos. El estudio geográfico de la ciudad y la urbanización*, Madrid, Grupo editorial s. XXI, (456 páginas).
- Zárate, A. (2012): *Geografía urbana: Dinámicas locales, procesos globales*, Madrid, Editorial Universitaria Ramón Areces, UNED (352 páginas)

2. Complementary texts

- Capel, H. (1983): *Capitalismo y morfología urbana en España*, Barcelona, Los libros de la Frontera. Se puede descargar en: <http://www.ub.edu/geocrit/LibrosElec/Capel-Capitalismo.htm>
- Capel, H. (2002): *La morfología de las ciudades: Sociedad, cultura y paisaje urbano*, Barcelona, Ediciones del Serbal.
- Estébanez, J. (1989): *Las ciudades: morfología y estructura*, Madrid, Síntesis.
- Gottdiener, M. y Budd, L. (2005): *Key Concepts in Urban Studies*, Londres, Sage.
- Hubbard, P. (2006): *City*, Abingdon, RU, Routledge.
- Latham, A., McCormack, D., McNamara, K., et al. (2009): *Key Concepts in Urban Geography*, Londres, Sage.
- Vinuesa, J. y Vidal, M. J. (1991): *Los procesos de urbanización*, Madrid, Síntesis.
- Zárate, A. (2003): *El espacio interior de la ciudad*, Madrid, Editorial Síntesis.

3. Other general texts

- Ascher, F. (2004): *Los nuevos principios del urbanismo. El fin de las ciudades no está a la orden del día*, Madrid, Alianza Editorial.
- Heywood, I., y Cornelius, S. y Carver, S. (2002): *An introduction to geographical information systems*, Prentice Hall, Harlow.
- Castells, M. (1974): *La cuestión urbana*, Madrid, Siglo XXI Editores.
- Castells, M. (1989): *La ciudad informacional. Tecnologías de la información, reestructuración económica y el proceso urbano-regional*, Madrid, Alianza Editorial.
- Garreau, J. (1991): *Edge city: life on the new frontier*, Nueva York, Doubleday.
- Hall, P. (1996): *Ciudades del mañana. Historia del urbanismo en el siglo XX*, Barcelona, Ediciones del Serbal.
- Harvey, D. (1977): *Urbanismo y desigualdad social*, Madrid, Siglo XXI Editores.
- Kling, R., Olin, S. C. y Poster, M., (Eds.) (1991): *Postsuburban California: the transformation of Orange County since World War II*. Berkeley, University of California Press.
- Lefebvre, H. (1974): *La producción de l'espace*, París, Anthropos.
- Monclús, J., (Ed.) (1998): *La ciudad dispersa. Suburbanización y nuevas periferias*. Barcelona, Centre de Cultura Contemporània de Barcelona.
- Morris, A. E. J. (1998): *Historia de la forma urbana. Desde sus orígenes hasta la Revolución Industrial*, Barcelona, Gustavo Gili.
- Moya, L. (1994): *La práctica del planeamiento urbanístico*, Madrid, Síntesis.
- Taylor, P. J. (2004): *World City Network: A Global Urban Analysis*, Londres y Nueva York, Routledge.
- Sassen, S. (1991): *The Global City: New York, London, Tokyo*, Princeton, Princeton University Press (traducción española: *La ciudad global: Nueva York, Londres, Tokio*, Buenos Aires, Eudeba, 1999).
- UN-HABITAT (2008): *State of the world's cities 2010/2011. Bridging the urban divide*, Londres, Earthscan, 244 páginas.

4. Dictionaries and glossaries

- Glosario de Geografía Social Urbana (inglés). This link contains terms that are defined in the glossary of the 4th edition of the book: *Urban Social Geography, An Introduction*, de Paul Knox y Steven Pinch publicado por Pearson Education ©2000: http://www.thebicyclingguitarist.net/studies/geog_glossary.htm
- Dictionary of Geography: <http://www.tuition.com.hk/geography/>
- DMOZ Open Dictionary Project: : http://www.dmoz.org/Science/Social_Sciences/
- Glossary. *Atributos Urbanos*. A project from the Andalusia Center for Contemporary Art: <http://www.atributosurbanos.es/en/glossary/>
- Zoido, F., Vega, S. de la, Morales, G., et al. (2000): *Diccionario de geografía urbana, urbanismo y ordenación del territorio*, Barcelona, Ariel.

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5. Journals

- *Boletín de la Asociación de Geógrafos Españoles (BAGE)*: <http://www.boletinage.com/>
- *Cities*: <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/cities/>
- *Ciudad y territorio. Estudios territoriales*: http://www.fomento.gob.es/MFOM/LANG_CASTELLANO/DIRECCIONES_GENERALES/ARQ_VIVIENDA/SUELO_Y_POL
- *Ciudades*: <http://www3.uva.es/iuu/revistas.htm>
- *EURE. Revista Latinoamericana de estudios urbanos y regionales*: http://www.scielo.cl/scielo.php?script=sci_serial&pid=0250-7161&lng=es&nrm=iso
- *Journal Landscape*: <http://lj.uwpress.org/site/subscriptions/sample.xhtml>
- *Scripta Nova. Revista electrónica de Geografía y Ciencias Sociales*: <http://www.ub.edu/geocrit/nova.htm>
- *Urban Studies Research*: <http://www.hindawi.com/journals/usr/>
- *Urban Studies*: <http://usj.sagepub.com/>
- *Urban*: <http://www.aq.upm.es/Departamentos/Urbanismo/publicaciones/urban.html>

6. Data, maps and graphical materials

- The World Bank: <http://datos.bancomundial.org/>
- Gapminder: <http://www.gapminder.org/>
- Geohive: <http://www.geohive.com/default.aspx>
- Globalization: <http://www.sociology.emory.edu/globalization/>
- Globalization and World Cities Research Network (GaWC): <http://www.lboro.ac.uk/gawc/>
- Instituto Geográfico Nacional (IGN). Centro Nacional de Información Geográfica: <http://www.ign.es/ign/main/index.do>
- Instituto Nacional de Estadística (INE): <http://www.ine.es/welcome.shtml>. : http://www.ine.es/censos2011_datos/cen11_datos_resultados_seccen.htm
- Ministerio de Fomento. Portal de suelo y políticas urbanas. : http://siu.vivienda.es/portal/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=53&Itemid=73&lang=es
- *Sistema de información urbana*: http://www.fomento.gob.es/MFOM/LANG_CASTELLANO/ESPECIALES/SIU/SIU2/
- *Observatorio de la Vulnerabilidad Urbana*: http://www.fomento.gob.es/MFOM/LANG_CASTELLANO/ESPECIALES/SIU/OBSERVATORIO/
- Nordpil. <http://nordpil.com/go/resources/world-database-of-large-cities/>
- Open Street Map (OSM): <https://www.openstreetmap.org/#map=5/51.500/-0.100>
- UN-Department of Economic and Social Affairs. Population division, Population Estimates and Projection Section.: <http://esa.un.org/unpd/wup/index.html>
- UN-HABITAT: <http://www.unhabitat.org/stats/Default.aspx>

7. Urban planning and cadastral data

- Spain: <http://www.sedecatastro.gob.es/>
- Sistema de información urbanística de Aragón: <http://sitar.aragon.es/SIUa/>

8. Proceedings and Reports

- *Grupo de Geografía Urbana de la Asociación de Geógrafos Españoles (AGE)*: <http://www.ggu2015.com/>
- *Infomes de la colección "Estudios Sociales" de la obra social "La Caixa"*: https://obrasocial.lacaixa.es/ambitos/estudiossociales/hemeroteca01_es.html

9. Other resources

- Google Earth and Google Maps: <http://www.google.com/earth/index.html>
- Bing Maps/Earth: <http://www.bing.com/maps/>
- SymCity; Micropolis