

# 61943 - Economic Management of a Tourist Destination

## Syllabus Information

**Academic Year:** 2020/21

**Subject:** 61943 - Economic Management of a Tourist Destination

**Faculty / School:** 228 - Facultad de Empresa y Gestión Pública

**Degree:** 471 - Master's in Tourism Management and Planning

**ECTS:** 6.0

**Year:** 1

**Semester:** First 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 and participative tasks. The latter will promote peer interaction and teacher-student interaction to help develop the general competences.

### 4.2.Learning tasks

The course includes the following learning tasks:

- Lectures (50 hours): the fundamental concepts of the syllabus will be explained by the teacher. (Attendance: 100%).
- Practice sessions (25 hours): they allow the students to practice the knowledge acquired during lectures and their interpersonal communication skills. Sessions will be based on the analysis and discussion of economic articles, the solving of exercises and practical cases, and the discussion of readings in class. (Attendance: 80%).
- Teamwork (25 hours): students can practice their ability to work in a groups. (Attendance: 40%).
- Autonomous work (50 hours)

### **4.3.Syllabus**

The course will address the following topics:

#### **INTRODUCTION**

Topic 1. The justification of the economic nature of tourism

#### **SECTION I. CREATION AND ORGANIZATION OF A TOURIST DESTINATION**

Topic 2. What is a tourist destination?

Topic 3. The strategy of a tourist destination

Topic 4. The creation of a tourist-product destination

Topic 5. The tourist market

#### **SECTION II. THE DEVELOPMENT OF A TOURIST DESTINATION**

Topic 6. The effects of tourism on development

Topic 7. The diagnosis of a destination

Topic 8. The search for the best tourist for a destination

#### **SECTION III. THE MANAGEMENT OF A TOURIST DESTINATION**

Topic 9. The management of the information and hospitality service in a destination

### **4.4.Course planning and calendar**

Further information concerning the timetable (lectures and practice sessions), classroom, assessment dates and other details regarding this course, will be provided communicated by the teacher and through the appropriate means.

### **4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources**

[http://biblos.unizar.es/br/br\\_citas.php?codigo=61943&year=2020](http://biblos.unizar.es/br/br_citas.php?codigo=61943&year=2020)