

61950 - Master's Dissertation

Syllabus Information

Academic Year: 2020/21

Subject: 61950 - Master's Dissertation

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

Degree: 266 -

471 - Master's in Tourism Management and Planning

ECTS: 9.0

Year: 1

Semester: Indeterminado

Subject Type: Master Final Project

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 Master's Dissertation (TFM) is an autonomous project or report aimed at demonstrating the knowledge, skills, aptitudes and attitudes acquired by the student throughout the Master's degree. This dissertation should be an original work, justified and argued with the appropriate citing sources. In addition, the dissertation must be defended publicly and individually. The TFM is carried out in the last semester of the Master's, it is compulsory, and has allocated 9 ECTS.

4.2.Learning tasks

The student, in order to pass this course, should demonstrate the following results:

- 1: Be able to deepen and specialize in an area of interest.
- 2: Apply the knowledge and skills acquired during the Master's to a study area, showing proper management of terminology and sufficient knowledge of the issues raised in the disciplines related to the study of Tourism Management and Planning.
- 3: Be able to make effective use of the literature.
- 4: Familiarize with the procedures of research: documentary, collecting data, analysis and interpretation, writing of a final paper.
- 5: Be able to orally defend the arguments of the dissertation.

4.3.Syllabus

1: Attendance to the orientation seminar to prepare the dissertation.

2: Attendance to individualized tutorials at the beginning of the dissertation and during its preparation. They can be virtual too.

3: Preparing the dissertation.

4: Presentation and public defense.

4.4.Course planning and calendar

Tasks	Attendance	Description	Hours	ECTS
Seminar	In-site	Orientation seminar for the elaboration of the final assignment (dissertation)	A 2-hour seminar at the beginning of the semester	0.08
Individual supervision sessions	In-site/ Off-site	Individual supervision sessions with the students for the dissertation. This sessions can also be online during the time of the dissertation development	4 hours	0.16
Drafting of reports or dissertation	Off-site	Assessment development	218 hours	8.72
Final assessment	In-site	The dissertation is presented to an academic committee	1 hour	0.04

4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources