

Academic Year/course: 2024/25

69204 - Master's Dissertation

Syllabus Information

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Subject: 69204 - Master's Dissertation

Faculty / School: 110 - Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura

Degree: 519 - Master's in Architecture

ECTS: 30.0 **Year**: 1

Semester: Second semester Subject type: Master Final Project

Module:

1. General information

The master's final project (MFP) is a 30 ECTS subject.

The objective of the MFP is to produce, present and defend an integral project of architecture, as a demonstration of the ability to synthesise all the competences acquired by the student in the subject. The student must develop an complete original exercise, under the supervision of a director, including the elaboration of the project, its presentation and public defence.

In accordance with the commitment of the 2030 Agenda, the Master's Dissertation will explicitly show its direct contribution to the SDGs of the United Nations 2030 Agenda. In section 6 of this guide, the most frequent SDGs to which the course contributes are listed.

Passing this subject entitles the student to obtain the title of Master's Degree in Architecture.

2. Learning results

The student, in order to pass this subject, must demonstrate the following results:

- · Ability to carry out a complete architectural project, including all the documents required for its execution.
- Ability to define an architectural project with the degree of definition corresponding to an execution project, including the technical regulations in force.
- Ability to integrate the contents of technical and design topics, according to what has been learned in the undergraduate and master's degree studies.
- · Ability to integrate the project and its construction, responding to efficiency and sustainability criteria.

3. Syllabus

The program of the work to be carried out as MFP, as well as the most appropriate typology for its development, is mutually agreed between the student and their director.

The MFP proposal is assessed by the academic committee of the degree, which may approve it, reject it or request additional information about it

The modifications requested with respect to an approved proposal must again have the favourable report of the academic committee of the degree program. The MFP proposal, once approved, will remain in effect as long as the student, with the approval of the director, does not expressly request its modification or cancellation.

4. Academic activities

The student must agree with their MFP Director on the training activities, which may consist of academic work, tutoring sessions, evaluation of the follow-up of the work done, depending on the proposed topic and its scope.

Regular meetings will be held to follow up on the work and solve any doubts.

5. Assessment system

The evaluation of the MFP will be based on the following aspects:

- the quality and depth of the work itself, in accordance with the scope and objectives set forth in the proposal and the deposit made by the student, and considering the workload foreseen in the degree's verification report.
- the assessment made by its director, co-directors and, if applicable, the presenter in their report
- the public exhibition of the work.

After the defence of the MFP, the members of the board of examiners must issue an individual evaluation report, from which the final grade will be assigned.

In the case of a failing evaluation of the MFP, the board of examiners must issue a report detailing the deficiencies, both

methodological and of content, that justify this grade, indicating the modifications that must be made to the work, and a new defence of the work will be carried out.

6. Sustainable Development Goals

9 - Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure11 - Sustainable Cities and Communities17 - Partnerships for the Goals