

28152 - Economic History of the Modern World

Información del Plan Docente

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| Academic Year | 2016/17 |
| Academic center | 103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras |
| Degree | 418 - Degree in History |
| ECTS | 5.0 |
| Course | 4 |
| Period | Half-yearly |
| Subject Type | Optional |
| Module | --- |

1.Basic info

1.1.Recommendations to take this course

1.2.Activities and key dates for the course

2.Initiation

2.1.Learning outcomes that define the subject

2.2.Introduction

3.Context and competences

3.1.Goals

3.2.Context and meaning of the subject in the degree

3.3.Competences

3.4.Importance of learning outcomes

4.Evaluation

5.Activities and resources

5.1.General methodological presentation

See "Learning activities " and "Syllabus".

More information will be provided on the first day of class.

5.2.Learning activities

- Theoretical lectures.
- Practical lectures.
- Individual work.

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- Personal study.
- Assessment activities.

5.3.Program

Lesson I. Introduction. Some Concepts

Description and explanation of the basics concepts to understand the content of the subject: from the basics elements that define the market, to the basis of the monetary policy

Lesson II. The Industrialization (Industrial revolution in England)

Be about the beginning of the Industrial Revolution in England, the economic thought that causes and study in a comparative way the different models of industrialization

Lesson III. The expansion of the economic liberalism 1834-1914

The progress of the economy of free market in the 20th century, economic theory that supports it and the political and theoretical reactions.

Lesson IV. System Crisis (Recession) 1914-1945

It's about the 30's depression and the alternatives to the classic system that Keynes, the URSS and nazism suppose

Lesson V. Golden age of (economic) growth 1946 - 1973.

Theoretical basis and of economic politics, historical facts that made possible the called "Golden age" of capitalism. Also the crisis that ended this period. The different interpretations of the global economy

Lesson VI. The backtracking 1973-2012

The success of the monetarist politics of the period, his theoretical basis and the great recession that began (started) in 2007

Lesson VII. The incorporation of Spain to the international market

The historical breakdown that the Stabilization Plan of 1959 means for Spain

5.4.Planning and scheduling

See the academic calendar of the University of Zaragoza (<http://academico.unizar.es/calendario-academico/calendario>)

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and the website of the Faculty of Philosophy and Arts (*Schedule of classes* :

<https://fyl.unizar.es/horario-de-clases#overlay-context=horario-de-clases>; Examination schedule:

<https://fyl.unizar.es/calendario-de-examenes#overlay-context=>)

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5.5. Bibliography and recommended resources

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