

27305 - Economic History and World Economy

Información del Plan Docente

Academic Year	2016/17
Academic center	109 - Facultad de Economía y Empresa 228 - Facultad de Empresa y Gestión Pública 301 - Facultad de Ciencias Sociales y Humanas
Degree	454 - Degree in Business Administration and Management 458 - Degree in Business Administration and Management 448 - Degree in Business Administration and Management
ECTS	6.0
Course	1
Period	Half-yearly
Subject Type	Basic Education
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

This course is designed to help students to understand present day main economic problems. The main objective of most of this course is to give students a historical perspective about them. Causes and characteristics of economic growth, spatial and personal income disparities, the nature and causes of economic crisis and the building of a global economy are the main issues to be discussed throughout the course.

5.2.Learning activities

Delivery type	Number	Length hours	Student hours
Lecture	15	2	30
Seminar	15	2	30
Private Study			190
Total contact hours			60
Total hours			250

5.3.Program

1. Economic development in the long run

Growth and development. Modern economic growth: characteristics and causes. The two waves of globalization. Income disparities. Economic growth and environment.

2. Institutional change.

Institutional change and market economies. The evolution of enterprises and the managerial business system. The evolution of the labor market.

Emergence and evolution of the modern financial system. The growth of public intervention.

3. The origins of modern economic growth.

The British industrial revolution. The spread of industrialization. The growth of the Settler Economies. The economic backwardness in the non-Western World.

4. Models of economic growth in the twentieth century.

The 1930s' economic crisis. The golden age of capitalism. The Soviet economy and the European planned economies. Economic growth of the developing countries. The 1970s' oil crisis.

5. The bases of present day economy: the working of a global economy.

The second wave of globalization. The Great Recession.

5.4.Planning and scheduling

5.5.Bibliography and recommended resources

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