

## 61258 - Ideology and power in the Imperial Rome

### Syllabus Information

**Academic Year:** 2019/20

**Subject:** 61258 - Ideology and power in the Imperial Rome

**Faculty / School:** 103 -

**Degree:** 553 - Master's in the Ancient World and Archaeological Heritage

**ECTS:** 4.0

**Year:** 1

**Semester:** Second semester

**Subject Type:** Optional

**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 the achievement of the learning objectives.
- Students are expected to participate actively in the class throughout the semester.
- Further information regarding the course will be provided on the first day of class.

#### 4.2.Learning tasks

- Theoretical lectures.
- Practical lectures.
- Individual work.
- Personal study.
- Assessment activities.

### 4.3.Syllabus

The course will address the following topics:

Topic 1. Introduction: The consolidation of the imperial system (1st to 3rd centuries A. D.). From unitary Empire to its desintegration. Institutional and ideological aspects.

Topic 2. The institutional, political, and religious transformations of the 3rd and 4th Centuries A. D.).

### 4.4.Course planning and calendar

Further information concerning the timetable, classroom, office hours, assessment dates and other details regarding this course will be provided on the first day of class or please refer to the Facultad de Filosofía y Letras.

See the academic calendar of the University of Zaragoza (<http://academico.unizar.es/calendario-academico/calendario>) 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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### 4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources

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