

29145 - Tourism: Psycho-Sociology

Información del Plan Docente

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Faculty / School 177 - Escuela Universitaria de Turismo

Degree 445 - Degree in Tourism

ECTS 3.0 **Year** 4

Semester Second semester

Subject Type Optional

Module ---

- 1.General information
- 1.1.Introduction
- 1.2. Recommendations to take this course
- 1.3. Context and importance of this course in the degree
- 1.4. Activities and key dates
- 2.Learning goals
- 2.1.Learning goals
- 2.2.Importance of learning goals
- 3. Aims of the course and competences
- 3.1.Aims of the course
- 3.2.Competences
- 4.Assessment (1st and 2nd call)
- 4.1. Assessment tasks (description of tasks, marking system and assessment criteria)
- 5.Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources
- **5.1.Methodological overview**

The learning process that is designed for this subject is based on the following:

expository and practical presentation of the agenda, which corresponds to the following points:

- Psychosociology applied to tourism



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- The economy: concept and types of tourist roles.
- Tourist destinations from the psychosocial point of view.
- The process of formation of the influencers and target-image: security. Elements involved in the choice of destination.
- The psychosocial impacts
- Other impacts: Barriers tourism and accessible tourism.
- Study of Tourism Demand: general motivations for the trip. Motivations and tendencies of different segments of demand.
The focus will be practical, seeking to implement the given class to promote learning.
5.2.Learning tasks
Working time (in hours)
Attendance to lectures: 15
Attendance to practical classes: 10
Attendance to tutorials: 5
5.3.Syllabus
Tourists, tourism and Tourist Psychology
The Social Role of the Tourist
An Approach to Tourist Motivation
Social Contact between tourists and hosts
Tourists and the eviroment.
Inside the Tourist's Perspective.



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5.4. Course planning and calendar

- Weeks 1 to 6. Lectures.
- Weeks 7. Examinations.

5.5.Bibliography and recommended resources

[BB: Bibliografía básica / BC: Bibliografía complementaria]

• [BB] Castaño, José Manuel . Psicología social de los viajes y del turismo Madrid: Thomson, D.L. 2005