

28315 - Spanish Geography: Land Structure and Organisation

Syllabus Information

Academic Year: 2019/20

Subject: 28315 - Spanish Geography: Land Structure and Organisation

Faculty / School: 103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras

Degree: 419 - Degree in Geography and Land Management

ECTS: 6.0

Year: 2

Semester: Second semester

Subject Type: Basic Education

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 achievement of the learning objectives. A wide range of teaching and learning tasks are implemented, such as lectures, practical exercises, individual and group tasks, guided tasks, autonomous work and study.

Students are expected to participate actively in the class throughout the semester.

Classroom materials will be available via Moodle. These include a repository of the lecture notes used in class, the course syllabus, as well as other course-specific learning materials.

4.2.Learning tasks

The course includes the following learning tasks:

- Lectures (25 hours)
- Individual and/or group tasks (20 hours)
- Field work (20 hours)
- Autonomous work and study (72 hours)
- Assessment tasks (4 hours)

4.3.Syllabus

The course will address the following topics:

1. Introduction.
2. The physical environment: Relief, climate, vegetation. The natural-protected areas.
3. Population, the settlement system and the urbanization process.
4. The economic activities: Agriculture, Energy, Industry, Transport and services.
5. The regional organisation of Spain.
6. Spain in the European and global context.

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 website (<https://fyl.unizar.es/horario-de-clases#overlay-context=horario-de-clases>)

4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources

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