

## 28328 - Geography and Environment

### Syllabus Information

**Academic Year:** 2019/20

**Subject:** 28328 - Geography and Environment

**Faculty / School:** 103 - Facultad de Filosofía y Letras

**Degree:** 419 - Degree in Geography and Land Management

**ECTS:** 6.0

**Year:** 4

**Semester:** First semester

**Subject Type:** Compulsory

**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, field work, 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
- Practice sessions
- Tutorials
- Assessment tasks

#### 4.3.Syllabus

The course will address the following topics:

1. Introduction to *Geography and Environment*.
2. The human and nature relationship.
3. The environmental degradation processes. Environmental risks. Environmental awareness and the culture of sustainability.
4. The protection and conservation of the environment. Environmental management systems, legislation, education and environmental policy.

#### **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**

- BALLESTEROS, J. y PÉREZ, J. (2007). *Sociedad y medio ambiente*. Ed. Trotta.
- LÓPEZ BONILLO, D. (1994). *El medio ambiente*. Ed. Cátedra.
- PNUMA (2010). *Perspectivas del medio ambiente mundial*. Ed. Naciones Unidas.
- REQUES VELASCO, P. (2001). *Población, recursos y medio ambiente*. Publicaciones Universidad de Cantabria.
- WORLDWATCH INSTITUTE (2015). *Medio ambiente y desarrollo. La situación del mundo*, Emecé editores y CIP/FUHEM.