

## 61337 - Industrial Economy

### Syllabus Information

**Academic Year:** 2019/20

**Subject:** 61337 - Industrial Economy

**Faculty / School:** 109 -

**Degree:** 525 - Master's in Economics

**ECTS:** 3.0

**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

Students are expected to show their competence in planning, writing and defending a research work. This process is mainly based on the student's autonomous work but his/her progress will be supervised in tutorials throughout the academic year.

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

Attendance theoretical sessions where students are expected to participate actively in the class.

For the different sessions, the student must prepare lectures, problems or works proposed by the teacher.

In the learning process it is necessary the study and individual effort of the student.

#### 4.2.Learning tasks

The program is designed in order to achieve the expected results and includes the following activities:

- Theory class attendance
- Homework and autonomous study (use of the library, reviewing the literature, writing the draft of the dissertation)

- Presentation and defense of the dissertation.

### 4.3.Syllabus

Market economy and firm theory: some approaches.

Monopoly theory.

Oligopoly theory.

Product differentiation.

Vertical constrains.

Advertising and technological competition.

### 4.4.Course planning and calendar

Schedule of basic activities under the supervisor's guidance:

<b>Training activity</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>% Class Attendance</b>
Attendance theoretical class	20	100%
Homework and autonomous study	45	-----
Presentation and defense of the dissertation	10	100%

### 4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources

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