

# 67920 - Techniques for Reading and Understanding History. Vestiges of the Past

## Syllabus Information

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**Academic Year:** 2019/20

**Subject:** 67920 - Techniques for Reading and Understanding History. Vestiges of the Past

**Faculty / School:** 103 -

**Degree:** 528 - Master's in Research and Advanced Studies in History

**ECTS:** 6.0

**Year:** 1

**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

See "Learning activities" and "Syllabus".

More information 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. Public service of the History. Professional deontology of the historian and archaeologist.

Topic 2. Choice of the topic of research. Search of bibliography and drawing up of state of matter. Writing of research work. Quotations. Presentation.

Topic 3. Search and selection of sources, storage of information: database in historical research. Prosopographical method.

Topic 4. The graphic representation of the historical events: graphics, tables, family trees, etc. Historical cartography.

Topic 5. Texts and antique objects: two parallel and complementary sources. Is Archaeology at the service of History?

Topic 6. The landscape as a historical source. Archaeological traces in the territory. The construction of the current landscape.

Topic 7. Objects in the religious and everyday life as a historical source: Evaluation and use as ideological tools.

Topic 8. Other historical sources. Impact of social crises on the objects, cultural and economic life, as well as daily activities.

#### 4.4.Course planning and calendar

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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