

Academic Year/course: 2021/22

31217 - Psychology of Memory

Syllabus Information

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Subject: 31217 - Psychology of Memory

Faculty / School: 301 - Facultad de Ciencias Sociales y Humanas

Degree: 613 - Degree in Psychology

ECTS: 6.0

Year: 2

Semester: Second semester

Subject Type: Compulsory

Module:

1. General information

2. Learning goals

3. Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

4. Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

4.1. Methodological overview

The practical part will be carried out in the classrooms and laboratories available for this purpose, to apply the theoretical part in practical exercises expressed in individual work, teamwork, discussion, debates and laboratory activities. Activities will be carried out that enable the acquisition and development of the main competencies of the subject, as well as critical thinking, the possibility of working in a team, learning to debate, and preparing individual or group reports in which both the reflections and concepts learned such as the skills, abilities and attitudes developed during the course, all of which are essential for facing the following subjects of the degree and especially important for the adequate acquisition of the professional competences of the future psychologist.

4.2. Learning tasks

- 1.- Masterclasses (maximum 30 hours, 3 ECTS credits)
- 2.- Group practical sessions (minimum 20 hours, 2 ECTS credits)
- 3.- Other Activities throughout the course: (maximum 10 hours, 1 ECTS credit)

They will consist of scientific or academic activities, carrying out or participating in research projects, reviews, portfolios, conferences, discussion groups, attendance at seminars and conferences, etc.

The function of the activities is to promote knowledge of the subject and the acquisition of the subject's competencies. They can be used to improve the qualification obtained in theory and practice.

4.3. Syllabus

Unit 1. Introduction to the study of human memory and conceptual framework

Unit 2. Memory structures and processes

Unit 3. Work memory

Unit 4. Episodic memory

Unit 5. Semantic memory

Unit 6. Autobiographical memory, the memory of witnesses and false memories

Unit 7. Implicit memory and explicit memory

Unit 8. Prospective memory

Unit 9. Memory and amnesia

Unit 10. Memory systems and brain

Unit 11. Memory and ageing

Unit 12. Memory training

4.4. Course planning and calendar

It will be indicated by the teaching staff according to the teaching schedule and the official calendar of each academic year.

There will be two hours of face-to-face theoretical classes per week where the intervention and discussion of the theory by the students will be promoted, which may be supported by audiovisual resources. Concerning the practical part of the subject, there will be two hours of face-to-face practical classes each week (in various groups of 20-25 students) supported by various materials and resources depending on the specific practice. The practices may have delivery dates throughout the semester. At the end of the first semester (January-February) a global test will be carried out (in the first call) and in June a corresponding analogous test of the second call will be carried out.

The class and tutoring schedules can be consulted on the website of the Faculty of Social and Human Sciences the former (<http://fcsb.unizar.es/>) and in the UZ directory the latter (<https://manages.unizar.es/agenda/>)

4.5. Bibliography and recommended resources

<http://psfunizar10.unizar.es/br13/egAsignaturas.php?codigo=31217>