

## 27422 - Economic Policy I

### Syllabus Information

**Academic year:** 2023/24

**Subject:** 27422 - Economic Policy I

**Faculty / School:** 109 - Facultad de Economía y Empresa

**Degree:** 417 - Degree in Economics

**ECTS:** 6.0

**Year:** 3

**Semester:** First semester

**Subject type:** Compulsory

**Module:**

### 1. General information

This subject aims to provide the student with the conceptual and analytical apparatus that will enable them to understand the economic policies that states and economic institutions can apply to achieve short term macroeconomic objectives.

These approaches and objectives are aligned with the next Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) of the United Nations Agenda 2030 (<https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/es/>), in such a way that the acquisition of the subject's learning results provides training and competence to contribute to some extent to the achievement of Objective 4.3 of Goal 4, Quality Education.

### 2. Learning results

- To be able to adequately interpret the economic information that appears in the different economic reports published by the most relevant national and international economic institutions.
- To know and understand the objectives, instruments and strategies of monetary policy.
- To know and understand the objectives, instruments and strategies of fiscal policy.
- To understand the relationship between fiscal and monetary policy.

### 3. Syllabus

Unit 1: Analysis of the economic situation

Unit 2: Monetary policy

Unit 3: The fiscal policy

### 4. Academic activities

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Lectures: 30 hours

Practical classes: 30 hours

Personal Study: 86 hours

Assessment tests. 4h

In principle, the teaching methodology and its evaluation is planned to be based on face-to-face classes . However, if circumstances so require, they may be carried out online.

### 5. Assessment system

The subject will be evaluated by means of a global evaluation in its two calls, being possible to choose one of the following two modalities:

#### Evaluation with class participation:

A 15% of the grade will correspond to the resolution of the cases presented in the classes of the subject. The submission of work outside of class time will not be accepted.

A 25% of the grade will correspond to a midterm multiple-choice test. The exam will include questions related to both theory and practice.

A 60% of the grade will be obtained in the final exam of open-ended questions.

In order to choose this option it will be necessary to obtain, at least, a 4 out of 10 in the final exam.

#### Final Exam

A final exam of the entire content of the subject. The exam will consist of open questions related to the content of the theoretical and practical classes ; it will assess the approach, development, results and interpretation of the solutions to the proposed problems.

The grade for this exam in this option will be 100% of the grade.

Knowing the result of the two evaluation possibilities described above (1 with class participation and 2 with final exam), the most advantageous option for the student will be applied. In both options, in order to pass the subject, the final grade must be equal or higher than 5.