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# 60861 - Master's Dissertation

## **Syllabus Information**

Academic year: 2023/24

Subject: 60861 - Master's Dissertation

Faculty / School: 229 - Facultad de Ciencias de la Salud y del Deporte

Degree: 107 - Mobility for Degree

266 -

549 - Master's in Evaluation and Physical Training for Health

ECTS: 18.0 Year:

**Semester:** Second semester **Subject type:** Master Final Project

Module:

### 1. General information

The master's final project (MFP) is both a compendium of all or part of the knowledge and skills acquired during the master and evidences the student's ability to apply them to specific situations. Therefore, the main objective of the MFP is to confirm that the student has acquired the targeted competences and is able to apply them with scientific-technical rigour and satisfactory results, while demonstrating their ability to communicate the results of their MFP with terminological precision, quality and expository coherence.

These approaches and objectives are aligned with the following Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of the United Nations 2030 Agenda ( <a href="https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/es/">https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/es/</a>), in such a way that the acquisition of the learning results provides training and competence to contribute to some extent to their achievement. Specifically, to the achievement of Objectives 4.3, 4.4 and 4.7 of Goal 4 and transversally to Goal 12.

## 2. Learning results

The student, in order to pass this subject, must demonstrate the following results:

- 1. To plan, develop, write and present an MFP in accordance with the requirements of the regulations of June 16, 2020, for the writing of the degree's final project and master's final project in the Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences.
- 2. To apply the principles of ethics, excellence and quality to research practice.
- 3. To justify the use of a research methodology.
- 4. To know the structure of a research report.
- 5. To make a presentation using means and procedures (ICTs) that facilitate its understanding.
- 6. To be able to answer questions in a relevant way.

### 3. Syllabus

The master's final project is a subject of the Master's Degree in Evaluation and Physical Training for Health, taught in the second semester, within the module VI "Master's Final Project" with a curricular load of 18 ECTS.

The Master's degree culminates in the MFP, where students must fully and rigorously follow one of the modalities mentioned in article 2 of the regulations of 16 June 2020 for the writing of the degree and master's final project at the Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences, following the advice of the faculty.

## 4. Academic activities

- 1. The program offered to the student to help them achieve the expected results includes the following activities:
- 2. Reading of PRC-002 "Procedure for the writing, assessment and management of final projects" and of the regulations for the writing of the degree and master's final project at the Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences as well as Annex VII Supplementary regulations for the MFP of the University Master's Degree in Evaluation and Physical Training for Health.
- 3. Contact with the master's faculty to assess the lines of work and to choose a director.
- 4. Meeting with the degree coordination for the appointment of the MFP tutor.
- 5. Submission of Annex I "Final Project Proposal" via REGTEL (see REGTEL Manual in Moodle).
- 6. Approval by the research ethics committee if required.
- 7. Completion of the MFP under the supervision of the faculty.
- 8. Delivery of Annex II and III "Authorization and deposit of the final project".
- 9. Deposit of the report.
- 10. Oral defence.

### 5. Assessment system

The student must demonstrate achievement of the intended learning results through the following assessment activities:

Both in the first and in the second call, the evaluation of the MFP is based on two activities (written report and oral defence in public session). The final grade will be the result of the sum of the two activities, provided that each of them has been passed:

Assessment of the written report (80% of the final grade).

### Assessment criteria:

- Overall evaluation of the work.
- · Theoretical basis and justification.
- Research methodology.
- Formal aspects.

The composition of each of these assessment criteria can be found in Document M1: Assessment instrument of the MFP report, part C. Guidelines for the writing and presentation of the master's final project report included in the supplementary regulations for the MFP of the University Master's Degree in Evaluation and Physical Training for Health. These guidelines and supplementary regulations are part of the regulations of 16 June 2020 for the writing of the degree and master's final project at the Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences.

• Evaluation of the oral defence in public session before a board of examiners (20% of the final grade).

#### Assessment criteria:

- · Clarity of exposition and ability to transmit results.
- · Assessments on complex issues
- Use of didactic resources and ICTs in the presentation.
- Adequacy to the time available and selection of the aspects presented.
- · Coherence, relevance and completeness of the answers given to the questions posed.

The composition of each of these evaluation criteria can be found in Document M2: Assessment instrument of the MFP defence, part C. Guidelines for the writing and presentation of the master's final project report included in the supplementary regulations for the MFP of the University Master's Degree in Evaluation and Physical Training for Health. These guidelines and supplementary regulations are part of the regulations of 16 June 2020 for the writing of the degree and master's final project at the Faculty of Health and Sport Sciences.

Fraud or total or partial plagiarism in any of the assessment tests will result in not passing the subject and achieving the minimum grade, in addition to the disciplinary sanctions that the Quality Assurance Committee decides for these cases. For more detailed information on plagiarism and its consequences please consult: https://biblioteca.unizar.es/propiedad-intelectual/propiedad-intelectual-plagio