

69763 - Policy and governance in Circular Economy

Syllabus Information

Academic year: 2023/24

Subject: 69763 - Policy and governance in Circular Economy

Faculty / School: 100 - Facultad de Ciencias

Degree: 627 - Master's Degree in Circular Economy

ECTS: 6.0

Year: 01

Semester: Second semester

Subject type: Optional

Module:

1. General information

The *Circular Economy Policy and Governance* subject is designed to understand and apply the legal requirements governing the transition from linear to circular economy. It is designed for students who have social sciences and law degrees and is taught at the University of La Rioja.

It is aligned with Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) No. 12 (Responsible Production and Consumption) of the United Nations 2030 Agenda (<https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/es/>), so that the acquisition of its learning results provides training and competence to contribute to some extent to the achievement of the Goal.

2. Learning results

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4. Academic activities

Master classes: 16 hours

Sessions of 50 minutes each for the entire group. Teachers explain the theoretical contents and solve representative applied problems. Teaching materials are available in Moodle.

Problem solving and case studies: 44 hours of student work, including 8 face-to-face hours.

Students must prepare problem solving and case studies.

Study: 84 hours

Students must study theory, read supplementary readings and prepare for the final test.

Assessment tests: 6 hours.

Students must take a final test.

5. Assessment system

The subject is assessed using two evaluation methods: continuous and global. For this purpose, the grades obtained in the following tests will be used:

- Active participation (A). The grade for this concept takes into account the regularity of the attendance and the

interventions of each student both in the theoretical and practical classes.

- Problem solving and case studies (P). The solving of these exercises is an individual or group work of the students. Students will be required to submit a report at the end of each session following the guidelines and presentation format that will be established.
- Final test (graded F).

The grades obtained by each student in the above assessment activities are weighted according to the following formulas:

Formula 1:

Final grade: $0.2 \times A + 0.3 \times P + 0.5 \times F$

Formula 2:

Final grade: F

It is not necessary to achieve minimum grades in the assessment tests for the application of the above formulas. The final grade will be the best grade obtained in each case after the application of formula 1 and 2.