

**COURSE DATA****Data Subject**

Code	35102
Name	Contemporary world history
Cycle	Grade
ECTS Credits	6.0
Academic year	2023 - 2024

Study (s)

Degree	Center	Acad. year	Period
1317 - Degree in Tourism	Faculty of Economics	1	First term
1926 - Double Degree Program Tourism and BMA	Faculty of Economics	1	Second term

Subject-matter

Degree	Subject-matter	Character
1317 - Degree in Tourism	7 - History	Basic Training
1926 - Double Degree Program Tourism and BMA	2 - Asignaturas de Formación Básica de primer curso (Optativas)	Optional

Coordination

Name	Department
FUSTER GARCIA, FRANCISCO	362 - Early Modern History

SUMMARY

The subject “History of the Contemporary World” belongs to the compulsory subjects of the Degree in Tourism and to the optative subjects of the Double Degree in Tourism and Business Administration.

Its principal aim is give a guidelines to the students about the political, social, economic and cultural evolution of the 20th century. We will focus on the dynamics related directly with nowadays problems within the regions of especial interest to future professionals connected with international tourism.



PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE

Relationship to other subjects of the same degree

There are no specified enrollment restrictions with other subjects of the curriculum.

Other requirements

No previous grade of knowledge is required.

For foreign students from non-Spanish speaking background it is required to complete the subject the accreditation of a Diploma of Spanish as a Foreign Language in at least level B2 or "Certificat de Coneiximents de Valencià" level B2 ("Intermedi").

COMPETENCES (RD 1393/2007) // LEARNING OUTCOMES (RD 822/2021)

1317 - Degree in Tourism

- Understand the principles of tourism: its spatial, social, cultural, political, labour and economic dimensions.

LEARNING OUTCOMES (RD 1393/2007) // NO CONTENT (RD 822/2021)

A general knowledge of the historical reality of the possible countries that could be an object of professional preference by the students in their future career.

- Assume sympathy and open mind towards the problems and conflicts of other countries.
- Act with moral and intellectual autonomy towards the analysis of facts and social problems.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS

1. A changing world: Europe in the early 20th century

2. World War I: causes, development and consequences

3. The interwar period



4. The Europe of totalitarianisms

5. World War II: causes, development and consequences

6. The Cold War

7. Decolonization and New World Order

8. The consolidation of a Global World: causes and consequences

WORKLOAD

ACTIVITY	Hours	% To be attended
Theory classes	45,00	100
Classroom practices	15,00	100
Development of individual work	30,00	0
Study and independent work	30,00	0
Readings supplementary material	30,00	0
TOTAL	150,00	

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

Teaching classes: in these classes, the teacher will explain the contents of the syllabus using aiding materials and sources. They will be open and interactive classes.

Practical classes: practical classes will consist of the exhibition, by the students, of topics raised by the teacher.

EVALUATION

ASSESSMENT:

1. Exam: 60% of the final mark and it is necessary pass the exam.



2. Individual work: 40% of the final mark and it will consist in a short-essay required by the teacher.

In case of copy, there will be a sanction.

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