

# Course Guide 36784 Introduction economics II

## **COURSE DATA**

Data Subject	
Code	36784
Name	Introduction economics II
Cycle	Grade
ECTS Credits	6.0
Academic year	2022 - 2023

Study (s)		
Degree	Center	Acad. Period year
1933 - D.D. in Law-Economics 2022	Doubles Studies Faculty of Law - Faculty of Economics	1 Second term
Subject-matter		
Degree	Subject-matter	Character

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1933 - D.D. in Law-Economics 2022	1 - Asignaturas de primer curso	Obligatory

#### Coordination

Name	Department
BOSCA MARES, JOSE EMILIO	10 - Economic Analysis

#### SUMMARY

This subject has a basic training character, and is part of the subject Economics which, in addition to Introduction to Economics (II) taught in the second semester of the first year, includes the subject Introduction to Economics (I) taught in the first semester. The course load of this subject is 6 ECTS credits.

The subject Introduction to Economics (II) is directly related to the subjects of the subject Macroeconomics: Macroeconomics I (Compulsory, 6 ECTS) 2nd year, 1st semester; Macroeconomics II (Compulsory, 6 ECTS) 2nd year, 2nd semester; Dynamic Macroeconomics (Compulsory, 6ECTS) 3rd year, 1st semester; International Macroeconomics (Optional, 6 ECTS) 4th year; Monetary and Banking Economics (Optional, 6 ECTS) 4th year. It is also closely related to the subjects of Microeconomics. This subject aims to introduce the student to the principles of economic analysis, providing an introduction to the macroeconomic knowledge necessary to analyse and interpret the national and international reality from an economic perspective. This subject will allow the student to understand the set of interactions that take place between the different agents of an economic system, to analyse current and relevant issues, and to understand the effects of public intervention in the economic reality. The basic contents of this subject are: basic macroeconomic concepts; aggregate supply: production and growth; aggregate demand: consumption, investment, public spending and net exports; the monetary



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system.

The general objective of this subject is for the student to know the keys to the functioning of the market economy and to understand the functioning of the economy at an aggregate level and the effect that different economic policies have on it. The student will be introduced to the knowledge and understanding of the determinants of long-term growth of an economy, as well as the effects of stabilisation policies.

The aim is to familiarise students with the economists' 'way of thinking' about reality, using the terminology and methodology of economic analysis.

## PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE

#### Relationship to other subjects of the same degree

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

#### Other requirements

Se asumen los conocimientos previos que corresponden a primero y segundo de bachillerato en la rama de humanidades y ciencias sociales. En concreto, para afrontar con éxito esta asignatura, es conveniente que el estudiante cuente con un nivel de matemáticas básico (resolver ecuaciones con una/dos incógnitas y derivadas parciales básicas) así como una mínima familiarización con el análisis gráfico y con la consulta de información en la red.

#### **OUTCOMES**

### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

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### **WORKLOAD**

ACTIVITY	Hours	% To be attended
Theoretical and practical classes	60,00	100
Development of group work	5,00	0
Study and independent work	55,00	0
Preparing lectures	15,00	0
Preparation of practical classes and problem	15,00	0
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## **TEACHING METHODOLOGY**

English version is not available

## **EVALUATION**

English version is not available

## **REFERENCES**

#### **Basic**

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#### Additional

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  - Economía: Teoría y Práctica, Blanco, J.M., 2014, 6ª edición, McGraw Hill
  - Principios de Economía, Mankiw, 2018, 7ª edición. Ed. Cengage Learning
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