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# SUMMARY

Energy Management is an optional subject of 3.0 ECTS that is taught in the first semester of the second year of the Master of Environmental Engineering. It aims to serve as an introduction to the knowledge and use of energy management instruments and renewable energy techniques available, analyzing it from an industrial point of view, especially in relation to the optimization of resource consumption, which is necessary to minimize the impact environmental of industrial production processes. This subject serves, together with other subjects of the degree, to complete the necessary training in relation to the reduction of polluting emissions and consumption of non-renewable resources that the professional of the area requires.



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# **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 restrictions.

## OUTCOMES

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- Students should apply acquired knowledge to solve problems in unfamiliar contexts within their field of study, including multidisciplinary scenarios.
- Students should be able to integrate knowledge and address the complexity of making informed judgments based on incomplete or limited information, including reflections on the social and ethical responsibilities associated with the application of their knowledge and judgments.
- Students should communicate conclusions and underlying knowledge clearly and unambiguously to both specialized and non-specialized audiences.
- Students should demonstrate self-directed learning skills for continued academic growth.
- Students should possess and understand foundational knowledge that enables original thinking and research in the field.
- Identify and apply technologies, tools and techniques in the field of environmental engineering.
- Assume with responsibility and ethics the Environmental Engineer role in a professional context.
- Promote and apply the principles of sustainability.
- Adapt to changes, being able to apply the principles of Environmental Engineering to unknown cases and use new and advanced technologies and other relevant developments, with initiative and entrepreneurial spirit.
- Design and calculate engineering solutions to environmental problems, comparing and selecting technical alternatives and identifying emerging technologies.
- Design and manage wastewater treatment and treatment systems for atmospheric emissions.
- Design and manage wastewater treatment systems.
- Design and operate systems for waste management and treatment.
- Design and manage treatment systems for contaminated soils.



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# LEARNING OUTCOMES

1 Understanding and critical analysis of the current situation of energy, and its impact on the industry.

- 2 Understand what is and what an energy audit consists of.
- 3 Be able to perform energy audits for simple cases
- 4 Know the energy saving techniques and determine their possible applicability.
- 5 Perform calculations of energy savings, including economic evaluation.

6 Know the characteristics of the different renewable energies: applications, environmental and economic aspects, their current situation and perspectives.

7 Know the technological and economic aspects associated with cogeneration

# **DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS**

#### 1. Energy, Industry, Management and Environment

- 1.1 Current and energy perspectives. Consumption and energy costs.
- 1.2 Energy management and policies
- 1.3 Energy management tools and techniques.

#### 2. Energy Audit

- 2.1 The role of the energy audit.
- 2.2 Energy data of the company: production process, consumption, costs, etc.
- 2.3 Comparative analysis: indicators, specific consumption of the sector, use of good practices, etc. Analysis of improvement opportunities.
- 2.4 Economic calculations: estimation of benefits.

#### 3. Energy efficiency

3.1 Concept of energy saving.

3.2 Energy saving techniques: recycling, insulation, process analysis. More efficient electrical and thermal systems.

3.3 Process integration. Pinch Technology

#### 4. Cogeneration

- 4.1 Concept. Benefits.
- 4.2 Types of systems: Gas turbine. Steam turbine. Alternative engine. Combined cycle.
- 4.3 Measurement of efficiency. Economic perspectives.



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#### 5. Renewable Energy Technologies

- 5.1 Concept and types.
- 5.2 Solar: thermal, thermoelectric, photovoltaic.
- 5.3 Wind.
- 5.4 Fuel cells.
- 5.5 Minihydraulics. Geothermal. Tides

#### 6. Biomass and biofuel

- 6.1 Methods of converting Biomass into energy
- 6.2 Thermal processes (combustion, pyrolysis),
- 6.3 Biological Processes (alcoholic and methane fermentation: Biogas).
- 6.4 Biofuels: types.

# WORKLOAD

ACTIVITY	Hours	% To be attended
Theory classes	17,00	100
Classroom practices	10,00	100
Theoretical and practical classes	3,00	100
Development of individual work	10,00	0
Study and independent work	15,00	0
Readings supplementary material	5,00	0
Preparation of evaluation activities	5,00	0
Preparing lectures	5,00	0
Preparation of practical classes and problem	5,00	0
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# **TEACHING METHODOLOGY**

The training activities will be developed according to the following distribution:

• Theoretical activities.

Description: In the theoretical classes the topics will be developed providing a global and integrating vision, analyzing in greater detail the key aspects and of greater complexity, promoting, at all times, the participation of the student.

• Practical activities.

Description: They complement the theoretical activities with the aim of applying the basic concepts and expanding them with the knowledge and experience that they have, acquiring during the realization of the



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proposed works. They comprise the following types of face-to-face activities:

- Classes of problems and questions in the classroom
- Discussion and problem solving sessions and exercises previously worked by the students
- Oral presentations
- Programmed tutoring (individualized or in groups)
- Work Personal work of the student.

Description: Realization (outside the classroom) of monographic works, directed bibliographic search, issues and problems, as well as the preparation of classes and exams (study). This task will be carried out individually and tries to promote autonomous work.

• Evaluation.

Description: Realization of individual evaluation questionnaires in the classroom with the presence of the teacher.

The e-learning platform (Virtual Classroom of the Universitat de València and / or PoliformaT of the Polytechnic University of Valencia) will be used as a communication support with the students. Through it you will have access to the didactic material used in class, as well as the problems and exercises to solve.

# **EVALUATION**

70% of the overall mark will be obtained from the evaluation of the acquired knowledge, by means of the realization of a final exam. An additional 30% will be obtained through the completion and presentation of the proposed works.

In any case, the evaluation system will be governed by the provisions of the Regulation of Appraisal and Qualification of the Universitat de València per a títols de Grau i Màster (http://links.uv.es/7S40pjF).

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# **ADDENDUM COVID-19**

This addendum will only be activated if the health situation requires so and with the prior agreement of the Governing Council

#### Contents

The contents initially included in the teaching guide are maintained.

#### Volume of work and temporary planning of teaching

Regarding the work, the different activities described in the Teaching Guide are maintained with the planned dedication.

Regarding the temporary planning of teaching, the material for the follow-up of the theory/practical lessons allows to continue with the teaching schedule both in days and hours (synchronous teaching).

#### **Teaching methodology**



Theory and practical lessons will tend to the maximum possible attendance, always respecting the sanitary restrictions. Depending on the capacity of the classroom and the number of students enrolled, it may be necessary to distribute the students into two groups. In this case, the subject will be taught in classrooms with streaming teaching capacity, and there may be students attending online and in class.

A rotation system will be established once the enrollment data is known, guaranteeing, in any case, that the attendance percentage of all the students enrolled in the subject is the same.

Once the enrollment data is available and the availability of spaces is known, the Academic Committee of the Degree will approve the Teaching Model of the Degree and its adaptation to each subject, establishing the specific conditions in which it will be taught.

If there is a closure of the facilities for health reasons that totally or partially affects the classes of the subject, these will be replaced online sessions following the schedules established by synchronous video conferencing, or, if not possible, asynchronous.

#### Evaluation

The evaluation system described in the Teaching Guide of the subject in which the different evaluable activities have been specified as well as their contribution to the final mark of the subject is maintained.

If there is a closure of the facilities for health reasons that affect the development of any face-to-face evaluable activity of the subject, it will be replaced by a test of a similar nature that will be carried out in virtual mode using the computer tools licensed by the University of Valencia. The contribution of each evaluable activity to the final mark of the subject will remain unchanged, as established in this guide.

#### **Bibliography**

The bibliography recommended in the Teaching Guide is kept as it is accessible.