

# UNIVERSIDAD DE CASTILLA - LA MANCHA GUÍA DOCENTE

### 1. General information

 Course: GEOPOLITICS
 Code: 51408

 Type: BASIC
 ECTS credits: 6

 Degree: 396 - DEGREE IN INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
 Academic year: 2021-22

 Center: 6 - FACULTY OF LAW AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
 Group(s): 40 44 45

Year: 1 Duration: C2
Main language: Spanish Second language:

Use of additional languages:
Web site:

Bilingual: N

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#### 2. Pre-Requisites

Not established

## 3. Justification in the curriculum, relation to other subjects and to the profession

Not established

#### 4. Degree competences achieved in this course

#### Course competences

Code Description

CE04 Gaining knowledge of (i) world geopolitics; and (ii) the concept of international society.

Using the main research and analysis methods and techniques in social studies (including both quantitative and qualitative techniques)

to assess (i) international events and affairs; and (ii) current trends in global society.

CE10 Understanding how international organizations work, as well as their powers and internal structure and composition.

Researching and sorting out meaningful international information on law and economics relying on various sources (including oral,

written and online sources).

CG03 Gaining in-depth knowledge of global societies and political and economic systems, including a gender perspective.

CG04 Accessing and sorting out information and documents related to the fields of study.

CG05 Being able to critically examine and discuss international affairs and current events, including a gender perspective.

CT06 Being capable of autonomous study and self-learning.

# 5. Objectives or Learning Outcomes

# Course learning outcomes

Description

Being able to determine the power distribution and spatial allocation (i.e., mapping) of activities related to political, economic, social and cultural systems Being able to interpret from a political perspective any territorial changes affecting the international order.

Being able to assess and examine territorial conflicts.

(i) Having gained an understanding of all the possible meanings of the concept of "border;" and (ii) being able to discuss the connection between borders and conflicts, security and societies' defining features.

Having gained knowledge of various key concepts related to politics and territory.

# 6. Units / Contents

Unit 1:

Unit 1.1

Unit 1.2

Unit 1.3

Unit 1.4

Unit 2:

Unit 2.1

Unit 2.2

Unit 2.3

Unit

Unit 3:

Unit 3.1

Unit 3.2

Unit 4:

Unit 4.1

Unit 4.2

7. Activities, Units/Modules and Methodology							
Training Activity	Methodology	Related Competences (only degrees before RD 822/2021)	ECTS	Hours	As	Com	Description
Class Attendance (theory) [ON-SITE]	Lectures	CE04 CE05 CE10 CG03 CG05	1.08	27	N	-	
Class Attendance (practical) [ON-SITE]	Problem solving and exercises	CE05 CG01 CG04 CG05	0.6	15	N	-	
Final test [ON-SITE]	Assessment tests	CE04 CE10 CG03 CG04 CG05	0.12	3	Υ	Υ	
Writing of reports or projects [OFF-SITE]	Combination of methods	CE04 CG01 CG04 CT06	2	50	Υ	Υ	
Study and Exam Preparation [OFF-SITE]	Combination of methods	CE05 CG01 CG03 CG04 CG05 CT06	2.2	55	N	-	
		Total:	6	150			
	Total credits of in-class work: 1.8			Total class time hours: 45			
Total credits of out of class work: 4.2			Total hours of out of class work: 105				

As: Assessable training activity

Com: Training activity of compulsory overcoming (It will be essential to overcome both continuous and non-continuous assessment).

8. Evaluation criteria and Grading System					
Evaluation System	Continuous assessment	Non- continuous evaluation*	Description		
Theoretical exam	60.00%	60.00%			
Practicum and practical activities reports assessment	30.00%	40.00%			
Oral presentations assessment	10.00%	0.00%			
Total:	100.00%	100.00%			

According to art. 4 of the UCLM Student Evaluation Regulations, it must be provided to students who cannot regularly attend face-to-face training activities the passing of the subject, having the right (art. 12.2) to be globally graded, in 2 annual calls per subject, an ordinary and an extraordinary one (evaluating 100% of the competences).

9. Assignments, course calendar and important dates	
Not related to the syllabus/contents	<u> </u>
Hours	hours
Final test [PRESENCIAL][Assessment tests]	3
Writing of reports or projects [AUTÓNOMA][Combination of methods]	50
Study and Exam Preparation [AUTÓNOMA][Combination of methods]	55
Unit 1 (de 4):	
Activities	Hours
Class Attendance (theory) [PRESENCIAL][Lectures]	7
Class Attendance (practical) [PRESENCIAL][Problem solving and exercises]	3
Group 40:	
Initial date: 31-01-2022	End date: 21-02-2022
Group 44:	
Initial date: 31-01-2022	End date: 21-02-2022
Group 45:	
Initial date: 31-01-2022	End date: 21-02-2022
Unit 2 (de 4):	
Activities	Hours
Class Attendance (theory) [PRESENCIAL][Lectures]	8
Class Attendance (practical) [PRESENCIAL][Problem solving and exercises]	3
Group 40:	
Initial date: 23-02-2022	End date: 16-03-2022
Group 44:	
Initial date: 23-02-2022	End date: 16-03-2022
Group 45:	
Initial date: 23-02-2022	End date: 16-03-2022
Unit 3 (de 4):	
Activities	Hours
Class Attendance (theory) [PRESENCIAL][Lectures]	7
Class Attendance (practical) [PRESENCIAL][Problem solving and exercises]	3
Group 40:	
Initial date: 21-03-2022	End date: 06-04-2022
Group 44:	
Initial date: 21-03-2022	End date: 06-04-2022
Group 45:	
Initial date: 21-03-2022	End date: 06-04-2022
Unit 4 (de 4):	
Activities	Hours

Class Attendance (theory) [PRESENCIAL][Lectures]	8
Class Attendance (practical) [PRESENCIAL][Problem solving and exercises]	3
Group 40:	· ·
Initial date: 20-04-2022	End date: 11-05-2022
Group 44:	
Initial date: 20-04-2022	End date: 11-05-2022
Group 45:	
Initial date: 20-04-2022	End date: 11-05-2022
Global activity	
Activities	hours
Class Attendance (practical) [PRESENCIAL][Problem solving and exercises]	12
Class Attendance (theory) [PRESENCIAL][Lectures]	30
Writing of reports or projects [AUTÓNOMA][Combination of methods]	50
Final test [PRESENCIAL][Assessment tests]	3
Study and Exam Preparation [AUTÓNOMA][Combination of methods]	55
Study and Exam Preparation [AOTONOMA][Combination of methods]	33

10. Bibliography and Sources						
Author(s)	Title/Link	Publishing house	Citv	ISBN	Year	Description
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