

Teaching guide

IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

Degree:	University Master's Degree in Bilingual Education		
Faculty/School:	Postgraduate School and Vocational Training		
Course:	MASTER DISSERTATION		
Type:	Master's Degree Project	ECTS credits:	10
Year:	1	Code:	8371
Teaching period:	Second semester		
Area:	Master Dissertation		
Module:	Master Dissertation		
Teaching type:	Distance		
Language:	English		
Total number of student study hours:	250		

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SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

The subject of Master dissertation requires to use the knowledge and competences acquired in the Master to create and defend a research paper in the area of bilingualism and / or bilingual teaching.

GOAL

The main goal is to create a research paper in the area of bilingualism and / or bilingual teaching, using the

knowledge and competences acquired in the Master

PRIOR KNOWLEDGE

No specific theoretical requirements for this course. Good command of English is expected.

COURSE SYLLABUS

Not applicable

EDUCATION ACTIVITIES

To create and present to an examining board a research paper in the area of bilingualism and / or bilingual teaching, using the knowledge and competences acquired in the Master

DISTRIBUTION OF WORK TIME

CLASSROOM-BASED ACTIVITY	INDEPENDENT STUDY/OUT-OF-CLASSROOM ACTIVITY
5 hours	245 hours

SKILLS

Basic Skills

To endow students with learning skills to enable them to pursue their studies in a largely self-taught or

independent manner.

To possess and understand knowledge laying the foundations for or offering scope for originality in the development and/or application of ideas, often related to research.

To endow students with capacity for applying knowledge and problem-solving skills acquired in new settings or largely unknown ones as part of a broader (or multidisciplinary) context linked to their area of study.

To endow students with capacity to integrate knowledge and cope with the complexity of forming judgments based on incomplete or limited information including reflections on social and ethical responsibilities associated with the application of their knowledge and judgments.

To ensure students are able to convey their conclusions and knowledge to specialist and non-specialist audiences in a clear unambiguous manner, providing convincing reasoning backing them up.

General Skills

Assess the importance of speaking English and knowing other cultures in a global society, devising different strategies in order to transmit to the student the importance of multiplurality.

Design and develop learning spaces with special attention to equity, emotional education and values, equal rights and opportunities between men and women, citizenship education and the respect for Human Rights which facilitate life in society, the taking of decisions and the building of a sustainable future.

Specific skills

Apply the knowledge acquired in the Master's course in the development of a research project in the area of bilingual education (English-Spanish).

LEARNING RESULTS

Creates and presents to an examining board a research paper in the area of bilingualism and / or bilingual teaching, using the knowledge and competences acquired in the Master

LEARNING APPRAISAL SYSTEM

The subject of Master dissertation is made up of two parts, the preparation of the work and the defense of this before a court. The evaluation system is the same both in the ordinary call and in the extraordinary call. In order to pass the subject, it will be necessary to have obtained at least a 5 out of 10 in each part. Passing the subject of Master dissertation is contingent upon the student passes the written work and the defense.

ORDINARY CALL

EVALUATION CRITERIA OF THE TFM TUTOR: 70%

Assistance and active participation in the scheduled tutoring sessions, development and evaluation and contact with the tutor during the process (10%)

Structure/Organization (20%)

Content (30%)

Form (10%)

EVALUATION CRITERIA OF THE TFM COURT: 30%

Organization of the presentation (10%)

1.1. Adequacy of support materials (5%)

1.2. Organization of time (5%)

Presentation

2.1. Quality of oral presentation. Verbal technique (5%)

2.2. Structure and organization of the presentation (5%)

2.3. Vocabulary used (5%)

Subject knowledge. Ability to reason and answers to the questions raised by the court

3.1. Response to the questions asked and attitude to the comments received (5%)

In order to carry out the defense of the TFM, it will be necessary:

- Have passed all the subjects.
- Have the authorization of the TFM tutor.

It will be necessary to pass both parts, the written work and the defense before a court in order to pass the subject. In case both parties do not pass with at least a 5, the maximum final mark will be a 4.

EXTRAORDINARY CALL

The evaluation system will be the same as in the ordinary call.

SECOND AND FOLLOWING CALLS. For these students, the ordinary and extraordinary call system will remain the same.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION DELIVERY OF ACTIVITIES.

The student must deliver the exercises on the date and channels indicated. The student is responsible for being aware of the Virtual Classroom to check these deliveries and deadlines. The work will be delivered on the date indicated by the teacher, in PDF format, in the space designated for this purpose in the Virtual Classroom of the subject, not being the teacher's responsibility that the Virtual Classroom system collapses minutes before delivery. Delivery of activities will not be accepted by email to the teacher. All those works presented out of date or by other means will count as not presented works.

EVALUATION REGULATIONS All the tests that can be evaluated will be subject to what is established in the UFV Graduate School and Permanent Training Evaluation Regulations and the University's Coexistence Regulations. Plagiarism behaviors, as well as the use of illegitimate means in the assessment tests, will be sanctioned in accordance with what is established in these regulations. Teachers have at their disposal an anti-plagiarism computer tool that they can use as they deem necessary. The student will be obliged to accept the permissions for the use of the tool in order for that activity to be qualified.

The use of artificial intelligence to perform any of the requested deliveries that are part of the evaluation system is not allowed.

SCORES The final grade will be based on a total score of 10 points obtained by the student, according to the following scale: Failure (suspension): 0-4.99 / Pass (aprobado): 5-6.99 / Notable (notable): 7-8.99 / Excellent (sobresaliente): 9-10 and Matriculation of Honor (matrícula de honor), which will imply having obtained outstanding, in addition to a special mention.

Those absences that are due, solely, to these three cases will be justified (requesting documentation for said justification):

- Writ of summons.
- Hospitalization.
- Death of direct family member.

BIBLIOGRAPHY AND OTHER RESOURCES

Basic

Hernán Rodríguez Castelo. Cómo escribir bien / Quito, Ecuador :Corporación Editora Nacional,2007.

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