IDENTIFICATION DETAILS

Degree: Journalism
Field of Knowledge: Social and Legal Science
Faculty/School: Communication Science
Course:
Type: Compulsory
ECTS credits: 6
Year: 3
Code: 3263
Teaching period: Sixth semester
Area: Communication
Module: Foundations for a Theory of Journalism
Teaching type: Classroom-based
Language: Spanish
Total number of student study hours: 150

SUBJECT DESCRIPTION

SKILLS

Basic Skills

Students must have demonstrated knowledge and understanding in an area of study that is founded on general secondary education. Moreover, the area of study is typically at a level that includes certain aspects implying knowledge at the forefront of its field of study, albeit supported by advanced textbooks.
Students must have the ability to gather and interpret relevant data (usually within their field of study) in order to make judgments that include reflections on pertinent social, scientific or ethical issues.

Students must have developed the learning skills needed to undertake further study with a high degree of independence.

### General Skills

- To discover, evaluate and compare the various answers regarding existential questions concerning the individual and the community with one's own perspective.
- To acquire critical, analytical, synthetic, reflective, theoretical and practical thought to be able to understand and express the reality of the world and man and to convey it through the media, expressing oneself orally, in writing and in audio-visual or multimedia format.
- To acquire the ability to consider and creatively respond to the essential questions as to the possible causes and consequences of human, social, political and economic events.
- To be able to generate public opinion and build bridges with the various social sectors, allowing for the formation and dissemination of a message and culture for the benefit of mankind, conveying values based on the search for truth and common good.
- To learn how to acquire knowledge: to understand the dynamics of personal development through skills in communication, research, critical and creative thought, consideration and execution of action plans, and teamwork.

### Specific Skills

- To have knowledge and understanding of Western culture's most important literary creations and journalistic works, both past and present.
- To acquire the ability to express oneself fluently and effectively in oral and written Spanish, being able to take advantage of the linguistic and literary resources best suited to different media.

### DISTRIBUTION OF WORK TIME

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