

TECHNICAL SHEET OF THE SUBJECT

Data of the subject	
Subject name	Digital Culture
Subject code	E000005096
Main program	Bachelor's Degree in Audiovisual Communication
Involved programs	Grado en Periodismo [Third year]
Level	Reglada Grado Europeo
Quarter	Semestral
Credits	6,0 ECTS
Type	Obligatoria (Grado)
Department	Centro de Enseñanza Superior Alberta Giménez (CESAG)
Coordinator	Javier Mato
Schedule	Ver web Cesag
Office hours	By appointment
Course overview	Key subject to understand the impact of new media, based on digital technologies, and its impact on communication.

Teacher Information	
Teacher	
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SPECIFIC DATA OF THE SUBJECT

Contextualization of the subject
Contribution to the professional profile of the degree
The emergence of the Internet has produced a deep change in the way we connect and socially engage with others. This means that communication is now under a new set of rules, that modifies media and social relations.
The effects of this new ways of communicating are so deep that this is usually described as a new era, a new social environment, altering most of our traditional ways of communicating.
Prerequisites
It is open to every student.

Competencies - Objectives
Competences

THEMATIC BLOCKS AND CONTENTS

Contents - Thematic Blocks

1. Tecnología y sociedad. Determinismo, teorías sociales, teorías incorporando a la tecnología como actor social.
2. Características de la cultura digital. Fenómenos asociados. Paralelismos con la filosofía.
3. Historia de la cultura digital.
4. La convergencia de medios.
5. Efectos mutuos entre economía y cultura. Globalización. Brecha digital
6. Efectos socio culturales. Identidades online. Privacidad
7. El mundo de las redes sociales. Cultura de la conectividad
8. Nueva percepción. Cultura visual. Adicción
9. El futuro de los nuevos medios. Big data. Tecnófobos vs tecnófilos

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

General methodological aspects of the subject

Interacción profesor-estudiante (presencial-On line)

- Centradas en el profesor. Clases teóricas.
- Centradas en el alumno. Seminarios, presentaciones, debate.

Trabajo autónomo del estudiante (no presencial)

- Estudio y trabajo individual.

SUMMARY STUDENT WORKING HOURS

CLASSROOM HOURS

NON-PRESENTIAL HOURS

ECTS CREDITS: 6,0 (0 hours)

EVALUATION AND CRITERIA

Ratings

The final exam and the essay must be approved to go ahead.

The absence to two or more seminars means this instrument not approved.

Only the final exam and the essay admit resitting.

BIBLIOGRAPHY AND RESOURCES

Basic Bibliography

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Complementary Bibliography

A reader will be available at the beginning of the course.

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