

SYLLABUS 2017-18

Course Information				
Subject	FINANCIAL TAXATION			
Degree	Master in Finance			
Course	First course			
Term	Second term			
ECTS – Credits	20			
Type of Course	Mandatory/Elective			
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COURSE SPECIFICS

Context of the Course

Contribution to the professional profile of the master degree.

Subject oriented to enhance the tax knowledge of current or future professionals of different branches of finance, the financial Department of a Company or the Financial industry

Class Aims / Objectives

- Related with the theoretical part of the course:
 - Knowledge of the main tax consequences of various alternative financial investments for both individuals and corporations, also distinguishing the taxation of residents and nonresidents.
 - Introduction of taxation variable in financial decision making processes, allowing assessing its impact on the decisions of savings and financial investment.
- As regards the practical part of the course:
 - Complete business / financial planning with tax implications and the search for tax optimization.
 - Practical use of tax planning tools; knowledge and use of administrative doctrine database and tax jurisprudence data bases.

CONTENTS

Contents						
Modu						
Lesson	1: GENERAL TAX INFORMATION					
٠	Competencies to develop: CGI3, CGI4, CE48, CE49.					
٠	Content					
	 Basic Notions of General and Regional finance tax distribution 					
	 Law competencies: State, CCAA and local taxation 					
	 Main direct and indirect taxation 					
	 Session practice of explanation of the sources to be used in the course: 					
	 Legislation 					
	 Resolutions to inquiries made to the tax authorities 					
	 Manuals published by the Administration 					
	 Administrative Resolutions (mainly TEAC) and Jurisprudence 					
	 Websites of public administrations and agencies 					
٠	Objective:					
	 Reach a basic knowledge of the Spanish Tax system 					
	 Introduction to the management of legal and administrative databases to be used during 					
	the course and major reference web pages					
Lesson	2: CORPORATE INCOME TAX					
•	 Basic Notions of Corporate Income Tax Tax Residence, Tax Period and accrual and Corporate Tax Scheme Tax Rates Taxable base: Depreciation Decline in value rules Non-deductible expenses Deductibility of finance costs Treatment of double taxation Tax benefits Prepayments 					
	• Reach a basic knowledge of the Spanish Corporate income tax, scheme of the tax, special					
-	regimes and benefits					
•	Material:					
	 PDF Presentation to be explained in the class CIT reading back of Tay Administration 					
	 CIT reading book of Tax Administration 					
	3: PERSONAL INCOME TAX					
•	Competencies to develop: CGI3, CGI4, CE48, CE49.					
•	Content					
	 Basic Notions of Personal Income Tax Tay Devidence, Tay Devidence of Comparety Tay Scheme 					
	 Tax Residence, Tax Period and accrual and Corporate Tax Scheme 					
	o Tax Rate					
	• Taxable base:					
	 General Taxable Base 					
	 Savings Taxable Base 					

	 Financial investments tax treatment
	 Income on movable property
	 Capital Gains (shares, investment funds)
	 Life insurance and pension plans
•	Objective:
	• Reach a basic knowledge of the Spanish Personal income tax, scheme of the tax, specific
	financial investment tax treatment and benefits to be applied
•	Material:
	 PDF Presentation to be explained in the class
	 PIT reading book of Tax Administration
Lesson	4: NET WEALTH TAX
•	Competencies to develop: CGI3, CGI4, CE48, CE49.
•	Content
	 Basic Notions of Net Wealth Tax
	 Law competencies: State, CCAA and local taxation
	o Tax Base
	 Exemptions
	 Valuation
	 Financial investments rules
	 Administrative Resolutions (mainly TEAC) and Jurisprudence
	 Joint limit with the PIT
•	Objective:
	 Reach a basic knowledge of the Net Wealth Tax
•	Material:
	 PDF Presentation to be explained in the class
	 PIT reading book of Tax Administration
	5: INHERITANCE & GIFT TAX
•	Competencies to develop: CGI3, CGI4, CE48, CE49.
•	Content
	• Basic Notions of Net Wealth Tax
	 Law competencies: State, CCAA and local taxation Tax Passo
	• Tax Base
	 Exemptions Valuation
	 Financial investments rules
	 Administrative Resolutions (mainly TEAC) and Jurisprudence
	 Joint limit with the PIT
•	Objective:
	 Reach a basic knowledge of the Inheritance and Gift Tax
•	Material:
-	• PDF Presentation to be explained in the class

Final examination.

General competences	
CGB 1. Capacity for analysis and synthesis	
CGB 2. Problem solving and decision making	
CGB 3. Capacity for organization and planning	
CGB 4. Ability to manage information from different sources	
CGB 5. Advanced computer skills related to field of study	
CGB 6. Interpersonal skills: listen, argue and debate	
CGB 7. Leadership and teamwork	
CGB 8. Critical and self-criticism capacity	
CGB 9. Ethical commitment	
CGB 10. Recognition and respect for diversity and multiculturalis	sm
CGB 11. Ability to learn and work independently	
CGB 12. Readiness to change	
CGB 13. Action and quality orientation	
CGB 14. Ability to process and transmit ideas, projects , reports,	problems and solutions
CGB 15. Personal initiative and entrepreneurial spirit	
Specific competences	

EC 18. Develop a comprehensive practical view regarding tax implications of business decisions relating to costs, credit, funding sources, assets, financial investments and tax optimization of business resources in accordance with the Law, Tax Administration interpretation and existing jurisprudence

TEACHING AND LEARNING

General methodology Issues of the course			
Classroom Activities / On site activities	Competences		
Theoretical classes:In which the fundamental concepts and methods of the coursewill be explained. Expository methodology will vary in eachdifferent lesson. Sometimes will be ask to read before classsome academic paper before and then to discuss. / Master classcovering theoretical explanations and providing guidance overthe study of each specific lesson.Interactive discussion sessionscovering the analysis andresolution of cases and exercises, individual and/or groupassignments.Practical work:These hours will be dedicated to realize exercises and practicesor comment on the work previously done by the students.	CGB 1. CGB 2. CGB 3. CGB 4. CGB 5. CGB 6. CGB 7. CGB 8. CGB 9. CGB 10. CGB 11 CGB 13 CGB 14 CE 18		
Out of Class Activities	Competences		
 <u>Individual work:</u> Outside the classroom the student should do following activities: To ensure that new concepts are clear, and to consult the professor any questions Preparation of case-studies to be undertaken in class Weekly it will be indicated an academic article related to the theoretical content to be explain in class. Periodically it will be indicated what practices has to be delivered. The practices will be done in groups of three-five students, and the student must always carry two 	CGB 1. CGB 2. CGB 3. CGB 4. CGB 5. CGB 6. CGB 7. CGB 8. CGB 9. CGB 10. CGB 11 CGB 13		

copies: one for the teacher and one for discussion in the classroom, etc.Recommended reading.	CGB 14 CE 18

EVALUATION AND GRADING CRITERIA

ASSESSMENT SCHEME	CRITERIA	WEIGHT
Final exam (SE2- Test Exercise)	Right answers Mastering the concepts From 0 to 10. Minimun 4,0 mark required to obtain a Pass grade in the subject	20%
Work in teams. Groups will be formed in order to investigate and prepare assignment (in writing) and also a presentation that they are supposed to be defending it in class (answering any questions that may be asked and debating their topic) (SE3 – Public Presentation) Deliveries / Coursework (SE5- Evaluation and Resolving Group Exercises)	Mastering the concepts Spelling and presentation Creativity and innovation Clarity. Resolution of the request. Understanding of theory and analysis. Proactive Attitude From 0 to 10.	30 %
Individual presentation of new and articles will be discussed in class. Class participation when debating about any recommended reading (SE4 - Evaluation and Resolving Individual Exercises)	Right answers Mastering the concepts Spelling and presentation Regular Assistance Proactive Attitude From 0 to 10.	20%
Class participation and preparation of classes Class participation when debating about any recommended reading (SE6- Active Participation)	Attendance and punctuality. Active participation. Teamwork Reading before class of the article assessment Assimilation of the class contents. Proactive attitude From 0 to 10.	30%.

- Attendance is mandatory, minimum of 75% attendance rate to obtain a Pass grade in the subject.
- In order to ponderate all percentages it will be a requirement to have all assignments done on time
- Resit criteria: only the Test will be taken into account and the maximum note to be managed will be a 6,5 out of 10.

SUMMARY OF EXPECTED WORKING HOURS

Lectures (AF1)	Presentation s (AF2)	Group presentati ons (AF3)	Exercises, and assessmen t(AF4)	Class discussion (AF5)	Seminars, workshops, case studies (AF6)	Interdiscipli nary activities (AF7)	Simulations (AF8)
10	2,5	2,5	2,5	2,5	0	0	0
	NON-ATTENDANCE HOURS						
Reading, researching, studying and analyzing the material provided (AF9)		Performing assignment and case studies (AF10)		Tutorials (AF11)		Research and coworking (AF12)	
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	ECTS CREDITS: 20 ECTS						

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Recommended Bibliography / Basic Bibliography

Textbook

GONZALO Y GONZÁLEZ, LEOPOLDO y FAYOS, CRISTINO *Sistema Impositivo Español. Estatal, Autonómico y Local*. Edición 2016. Editorial Dykinson. Madrid

Web Sources

www.aeat.es

www.noticiasjuridicas.es

Other readings

They will be provided during the course based on tax news Other useful material

Administrative and jurisprudential doctrine

Material provided by the various public institutions web (Access to be explained in the first session or be provided when necessary)

Complementary Bibliography

Textbook

- 1. Editorial CISS.
 - o TODO Fiscal
 - o Gestión Fiscal del Patrimonio
 - Tomos monográficos de cada impuesto
 - o Última edición.
- 2. Curso de Derecho tributario. (Parte Especial. Sistema tributario. Los tributos en particular) Editorial Tecnos. Edición 2015.
- 3. Memento Práctico Fiscal. Última edición. Editorial Lefebvre. También monográficos de cada impuesto.
- 4. Fiscalidad de las operaciones financieras UNED. Última edición.
- 5. Curso de derecho tributario. Parte especia. Pérez Royo, Fernando; García Berro, Florián.Editorial Tecnos. Última edición