

Introduction to Sociology of Work

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Department assigned to the subject: Social Sciences Department

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Type: Basic Core ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : 1 Semester : 1

Branch of knowledge: Social Sciences and Law

OBJECTIVES

- To learn concepts, theories and functioning of labour relations and the world of work from a sociological perspective.
- To analyze the changes and evolution of contemporary societies.
- To understand and be able to appreciate differentiate labour markets.
- To know the basic sources of information labour partner.
- To learn and analyze employment and working conditions in today's society.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

- Introduction: background and basic concepts of the sociology of work.
- Industrialization and social change: from the industrial society to the information age.
- Labour market analysis.
- Paradigms of the social organization of work.
- Working conditions and quality of working life.
- Labour conflict and collective bargaining.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

- Theory (4ECTS). Theory classes with materials available in Aula Global.
- Practices (2ECTS). Videos, case studies, best practices and presentations.
- Group tutorials to solve problems, doubts, etc.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

- Final Exam (50%).
- Group presentation of a text (20%).
- Group research project (20%).
- Participation and exercises (10%).

% end-of-term-examination: 50

% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...): 50

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

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- Toharia, L. El mercado de trabajo en España, 1978-2003, Revista ICE, 2003