Research methodologies in film, television and new media digital

Academic Year: (2020 / 2021)

Department assigned to the subject: Communication and Media Studies Department

Coordinating teacher: BARRANQUERO CARRETERO, ALEJANDRO

Type: Compulsory ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : 1 Semester :

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

-Statistics applied to Journalism

-Research Methodologies in Journalism

OBJECTIVES

1) To be able to generate potential ideas for research from a scientific perspective.

2) To be aware of sources that can inspire and legitimate scientific research.

3) To develop competences and initiatives in this area, both individual and team work, as well as to acquire knowledge aimed at developing an academic research applied to audiovisual communication.

4) Introduce to the critical analysis of research objects applied to audiovisual communication, with a special focus on film, television, Internet, digital media, social networks, virtual platforms and cybercultures.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

BLOCK 1: Introduction to Research in Audiovisual Communication

Topic 1. The research design: Objectives, Literature review, Hypothesis or research questions, Justification

Topic 2. The construction of the Theoretical Framework and the State of the Arts

Topic 3. Scientific writing and its rules

BLOCK 2. Research in Film and Television

Topic 4. Research problems, trends and perspectives in audiovisual communication

Topic 5. The methodological approach: main research techniques applied to audiovisual communication

Topic 6. The structure and dissemination of research in film and television: research groups, associations, congresses, scientific journals and impact factor

BLOCK 3: Research in New Digital Media

Topic 7. Research problems, trends and perspectives in the digital sphere

Topic 8. The methodological approach: main research techniques applied to Internet and digital media

Topic 9. The structure and dissemination of research in new digital media: research groups, associations, congresses, scientific journals and impact factor

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

Master and seminar classes. In-class and hands-on projects and a Final Group Research Project presented in class. Orientation of the students towards the construction of the final project

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

It involves continuous assessment procedures (attendance to class, participation, submitting of review works, etc.).

These procedures will allow evaluating competences related to: understanding, research analysis and exposure, case studies and problem-solving, and the ability to investigate, apply appropriate research methods, think and act creatively and communicate with the group.

The evaluation of the subject will consist, fundamentally, of the delivery of a research work, oriented and presented in class, will will qualify as 60% of the final grades.

The remaining 40% will be assessed according to class attendance and participation and to reading and critical reviews.

Review date: 09-07-2020

In accordance with the new transitory teaching model approved by the Governing Council, for 2020-2021 teaching of the University Master's Degree in Applied Research in the Media, a face-to-face mode has been selected. However, in case of returning to the exceptional measures associated with Covid-19, the situation will be solved by adapting the contents to the virtual environment through the use of Blackboard Collaborate and Campus Global applications. Within this scenario, the final works and their corresponding presentations will make use of these virtual tools, and additional mechanisms of continuous evaluation will be enabled to allow a more adjusted assessment of the students' work.

% end-of-term-examination:	60
% of continuous assessment (assigments, laboratory, practicals):	40

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