

Academic Year: (2022 / 2023)

Review date: 10-05-2022

Department assigned to the subject: Social Sciences Department

Coordinating teacher: GARCIA ALBACETE, GEMA MARIA

Type: Compulsory ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : 2 Semester : 2

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

1. The role of citizens and political participation in contemporary democracies
2. Normative and empirical perspectives. Forms and levels of participation
3. Political Attitudes. Development and evolution
4. Political participation theories: individual, meso and macro levels
5. Non-institutional participation and protest: individual and contextual explanations
6. Inequality in political participation: causes and consequences
7. New forms of participation and online activism

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

LECTURES. Lectures by the instructor in class with support of computer and audiovisual media, including the main concepts of the subject and the materials and bibliography provided to complement students' learning

PRACTICES. Resolution, individually or in groups, of practical cases, problems, etc. raised by the instructor

OFFICE HOURS. Individualized assistance (individual tutorials) or group (collective tutorials) to students by the instructor.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

Exam: 60% of final grade. The reading materials will be part of the exam material.

Tests on the reading materials and essays delivered in due day: 40% of the final grade.

Students must obtain at least a score of 5 in the exam to pass the subject.

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

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

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- Giugni, Marco and Maria Grasso Austerity and Protest: Popular Contention in Times of Economic Crisis, Routledge, 2016
- Giugni, Marco and Maria Grasso Citizens and the Crisis: Experiences, Perceptions, and Responses to the Great Recession in Europe, Palgrave, 2018
- Giugni, Marco and Maria Grasso The Oxford Handbook of Political Participation, Oxford University Press, 2022
- Theocharis, Yannis and Jan W. van Deth Political Participation in a Changing World: Conceptual and Empirical Challenges in the Study of Citizen Engagement, Routledge, 2018
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