

Academic Year: ( 2023 / 2024 )

Review date: 22-03-2022

Department assigned to the subject: Social Sciences Department

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Type: Electives ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : Semester :

## OBJECTIVES

General objectives:

- Know the concepts, main theories, and their contribution to a better understanding of the migratory processes.
- Contextualize the migrations nowadays.
- Facilitate reflection, analysis, and discussion of social issues related to migration processes.

Specific objectives:

- Conceptual and theoretical approaches to Sociology of population and migration.
- Evolution of population in long term, globally and in Spain, and its main determinants.
- Main theories that explain phenomena and behaviors demographics.
- Demographic problems associated with overpopulation, urbanization, aging, and migration as a demographic problem.
- Concepts and theories in the study of migration.
- Social, economic and political consequences of immigration in Spain.
- Study of international migratory movements.

## DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

1. The current context of international migration
2. Recent migrations in Spain
3. Main theories about migration
4. Racism
5. Multicultural societies
6. Interculturality
7. Repercussions and opportunities of a diverse society
8. Complex and emerging issues related to migration
9. Challenges for public policies

## 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 (30%).
- Group presentation of a text (20%).
- Individual essay (20%).
- Participation and exercises (30%).

To pass the course it will be necessary to pass the exam and the essay.

**% end-of-term-examination:** 30**% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...):** 70

## BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Massey, Douglass, Joaquín Arango, G. Hugo, A Kouachi, A. Pellegrino y J.E. Taylor Worlds in Motion: Understanding International Migration at the End of the Millenium, Oxford: Clarendon Press, 2002
- Reher, David S. y Miguel Requena Las Múltiples Caras de la Inmigración en España, Alianza, 2009

- Solé, Carlota y Lorenzo Chacón Globalización e Inmigración: Los debates actuales, REIS, 2006