Water law and markets

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Type: Electives ECTS Credits : 3.0

Year : 1 Semester : 2

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

Those generally required in the course.

OBJECTIVES

The general objective of the course is to provide the student with a basic knowledge of the legal and economic institutions and mechanisms that define the regulation and use of water resources. To this end, the following are proposed as its basic objectives:

a) Understanding of the ideas that allow the development and/or application of the defining mechanisms of the uses of such resources.

b) Application of the knowledge acquired and their ability to solve problems in new or little-known environments within broader (or multidisciplinary) contexts related to their area of ¿¿study

c) Training to integrate knowledge and face the complexity of formulating theories and personal positions, comprehensive reflections on social responsibilities.

d) Training to communicate knowledge, ultimate reasons for defended personal positions and conclusions.

e) Ability to identify conflicts of interest and know the techniques for their resolution in regulated sectors.

r) Possess, understand and develop skills in essential and instrumental legal fields that make it possible to apply the specialized academic knowledge acquired in the degree to the changing reality.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

PROGRAM OF THE SUBJECT OF LAW AND WATER MARKET. MASTER OF REGULATED SECTORS (2022-2023)

MARCH 3 (FRIDAY) ¿ 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Water as an object of legal regulation (Fernando Fonseca). 5:45 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. The water markets; theoretical foundations and modalities (Almudena Gómez). 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The hydraulic public domain (Fernando Fonseca).

MARCH 10 (FRIDAY) - 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Ownership and distribution of powers (Fernando Fonseca). 5:45 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. Performance of water markets (Almudena Gómez). 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The Water Administration (Fernando Fonseca).

MARCH 17 (FRIDAY) - 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Hydrological planning (Fernando Fonseca). 5:45 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. The experience of the water markets in Spain. informal markets. The case of Júcar and Segura (Almudena Gómez).

7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Legal regulation of water markets in Spain (Fernando Fonseca).

MARCH 29 (WEDNESDAY) - 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Supply and purification of populations (Fernando Fonseca).

MARCH 30 (THURSDAY) - 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Right to water (Fernando Fonseca).

MARCH 31 (FRIDAY) - 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Contracting (Jorge Garasa). 5:45 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. Contracting (Jorge Garasa).

7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Contracting (Jorge Garasa).

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

The methodology to be developed during the development of the course is fundamentally based on the teacher's explanation of the subject corresponding to the program. However, the teacher will encourage student participation, recommending the reading of certain materials that serve for a better understanding of the explanation or the preparation of a next topic. In relation to the possible training activities, it is considered essential that the student can develop arguments and take a position on certain problems that the subject presents. Hence, the development of the tests that will define the continuous evaluation.

Given that the coordinator of the subject is always available to the students, it does not seem necessary to establish a fixed regime of tutorials.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

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

The subject is evaluated based on two parameters:

a) Continuous evaluation that will be carried out based on two essays (one legal and one economic) corresponding to some of the topics of the program (at the student's choice). It should preferably be done in groups of two people. The continuous evaluation weighs 40% of the final grade.

b) A final exam (test format) that will be carried out once the subject has been completed, in accordance with the official Master's calendar. This exam weighs 60%.

The extraordinary evaluation will adjust to the same system. For the weighting of the continuous evaluation, the qualification obtained initially will be taken into account.