



COURSE DATA

DATA SUBJECT

Code: 33572
Name: Conflict and negotiation techniques
Cycle: Undergraduate Studies
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STUDY (S)

Table with 4 columns: Degree, Center, Acad. year, Period. Row 1: 1309 - Degree in Labour Relations and Human Resources, Facultat de Ciències Socials, 2, Second quarter

SUBJECT-MATTER

Table with 3 columns: Degree, Subject-matter, Character. Row 1: 1309 - Degree in Labour Relations and Human Resources, Organisational behaviour and conflict management, COMPULSORY

COORDINATION

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SUMMARY

The course Conflict and negotiation skills is located in the second year and second semester in the degree in Labor Relations and Human Resources. This subject matter is embedded in organizational behavior and conflict management module of work organization, business and human resource management, with 6 compulsory ECT. Furthermore, it is recommended as a prerequisite that the subjects have completed Work Psychology and Organizational Behavior taught in the first year of the degree. The continuity of this subject is linked to Route B of Human Resources.

With the subject Conflict and Negotiation Techniques examines the theoretical content that will identify and analyze conflict situations that occur in work environments as well as its resolution through negotiation. The study of the negotiation process will know, learn and practice the skills needed within each phase. Another aim is to develop social skills for coping with interpersonal relationships successfully in situations of conflict and negotiation in the workplace.

PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE



RELATIONSHIP TO OTHER SUBJECTS OF THE SAME DEGREE

There are no specified enrollment restrictions with other subjects of the curriculum.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

It is recommended that you have taken the course of Work Psychology

COMPETENCES / LEARNING OUTCOMES

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Act with autonomy in learning, making informed decisions in different contexts, issuing judgements based on experimentation and analysis, and transferring knowledge to new situations.

Analyse, synthesise and reason critically.

Analyse and assess decisions made by agents involved in labour relations.

Analyse and assess the factors that determine inequalities in the world of work.

Apply techniques to boost motivation and improve the working environment.

Collaborate effectively in work teams, assuming responsibilities and leadership roles and contributing to collective improvement and development.

Contribute to the design, development and implementation of solutions that respond to social demands, taking into account the Sustainable Development Goals as a reference.

Demonstrate critical and self-critical thinking in the field of the degree programme, considering aspects such as professional ethics, moral values and the social implications of the different activities carried out.

Develop an interrelated vision of the different academic disciplines that analyse the field of work.

Know and analyse the psychosocial factors determining work behaviour.

Know and apply human resource management policies and implementation tools.

Know and apply the principles of the professional code of ethics.

Know and understand, within the field of the degree programme, gender inequalities in society; integrate different needs and preferences based on sex and gender into the design of solutions and problem solving.

Know and understand the social processes structuring labour and production relations.

Know how to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing, adapting to the characteristics of the situation and the audience.

Know organisational processes such as communication, power, leadership, conflict, negotiation, socialisation, climate or participation, and techniques for improving them.



Know the fundamentals of human resource management policies and the instruments for their implementation.

Know the fundamentals of occupational health and the bases of occupational risk prevention.

Know the fundamentals of work organisation and organisational structure.

Know the main psychological perspectives, as well as personal, organisational and situational factors influencing attitude, work behaviour, organisational behaviour and their consequences on the person, the group and organisational effectiveness.

Lead working groups in the field of labour relations and human resources.

Learn independently and develop initiative and entrepreneurial spirit.

Manage information, draft and formalise reports and writings.

Mediate and manage organisational conflict and negotiation.

Plan and apply systems of occupational risk prevention.

Propose creative and innovative solutions to complex situations or problems within the field of knowledge, to respond to diverse professional and social needs.

Respect and promote fundamental rights, equality between men and women, equal opportunities and non-discrimination, democratic values and sustainability.

Select and manage social and labour information and documentation.

Solve problems, apply knowledge to practice and develop motivation for quality.

Understand the fundamentals of business organisation.

Use information and communication technologies.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS

1. THE CONFLICT IN THE FRAMEWORK OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

- The conflict in work settings, types of conflict.
- Conflict management

Planning the negotiation
The negotiation process
Negotiation Styles



2. NEGOTIATION IN BUSINESS ENVIRONMENTS

Planning the negotiation

The negotiation process Strategies and tactics of negotiation

3. POWER IN THE PROCESS OF CONFLICT AND NEGOTIATION

Conceptual delimitation

Types of power

Electrical power in the negotiation process

Processes of influence

Tactics to power

4. CHARACTERISTICS OF BUSINESS AND INTERACTION BETWEEN CONFLICTING PARTIES

Perception and cognition in conflict and negotiation

The emotions and aggression in the negotiation

Persuasive negotiator

Attracting business personnel

5. COMMUNICATION IN NEGOTIATION

Communication process in the negotiation

verbal and nonverbal communication

Errors in communication

Tools for Effective Communication

WORKLOAD

PRESENCIAL ACTIVITIES

Activity	Hours
Theoretical and practical classes	60,00
Total hours	60,00

NON PRESENCIAL ACTIVITIES

Activity	Hours
Attendance at other activities	0,00
Individual or group project	20,00
Independent study and work	20,00
Preparation of lessons	20,00
Preparation for assessment activities	20,00



Resolution of case studies	10,00
Total hours	90,00

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

Lectures. Be made using the method of participatory lecture to present the contents of the subject. For this, each session will begin with an outline of the content that will be addressed and finalized by highlighting the most important aspects covered. Will enhance the participatory involvement of students.

Practical classes. Operational activities are intended to apply to real or fictitious cases the concepts presented in lectures and develop the ability to work together.

Scheduled individual counseling sessions and / or group for proper monitoring of training activities.

The individual and group work will be presented as scheduled in the form of reports that follow the models for this purpose will be available in the virtual classroom.

It will be necessary to use the virtual classroom. The address access to this platform is as follows: <http://aulavirtual.es>

EVALUATION

The assessment of learning this theory - practice will be held from the following tests:

Activities	Note
Analysis and reflection activities	30%
Theoretical content review	40%
Assistance and reporting practices	30%

The total note will ensue from the sumatorio of three previous activities always and when there has been



obtained a punctuation equal or superior to 50 % of the value of each one of them.

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