

**COURSE DATA****DATA SUBJECT**

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STUDY (S)

Degree	Center	Acad. year	Period
2256 - Master's Degree in Contemporary Philosophical Thought	Facultat de Filosofia i Ciències de l'Educació	1	Indefinite (Individuals)

SUBJECT-MATTER

Degree	Subject-matter	Character
2256 - Master's Degree in Contemporary Philosophical Thought	Master's final project	MASTER THESIS PROJECT

COORDINATION

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SUMMARY

The Master's Thesis (TFM) is a research project in which the student must identify a topic, a problem or a question of philosophical interest, delimit a relevant bibliography that allows him/her to draw a "state of the question": a presentation of the most important aspects, problems or theories in the specialized literature that should be taken into account when dealing with the chosen topic, and defend in this context an original thesis supported by reasons through an argumentative text. In this task, students will have the support and guidance of a member of the Master's faculty with whom they can agree on the topic of their dissertation.

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 to be enrolled in the Research Seminar (Seminario de Investigación)



COMPETENCES / LEARNING OUTCOMES

2256 - Master's Degree in Contemporary Philosophical Thought

Capacidad de analizar, sintetizar e interpretar datos de índole cultural, social, política, ética o científica y de emitir juicios reflexivos sobre ellos en los trabajos escritos que se presentan.

Comprensión en profundidad de las relaciones y conflictos entre distintos ámbitos de la cultura y el pensamiento: filosofía, ciencia, derecho, política, etc.

Desarrollo de la capacidad de reflexión crítica sobre el presente y sus problemas científicos sobre la base de los recursos conceptuales procedentes de las diferentes disciplinas y tradiciones filosóficas

Desarrollo de la capacidad de reflexión crítica sobre el presente y sus problemas estéticos y culturales sobre la base de los recursos conceptuales procedentes de las diferentes disciplinas y tradiciones filosóficas

Desarrollo de la capacidad de reflexión crítica sobre el presente y sus problemas éticos sobre la base de los recursos conceptuales procedentes de las diferentes disciplinas y tradiciones filosóficas

Desarrollo de la capacidad de reflexión crítica sobre el presente y sus problemas políticos sobre la base de los recursos conceptuales procedentes de las diferentes disciplinas y tradiciones filosóficas

Mejorar las destrezas relacionadas con la exposición y defensa oral de una disertación o ensayo, así como la participación en debates y el trabajo en equipo.

Saber manejar con soltura las diversas fuentes de información, relevantes para la investigación (bibliográficas, electrónicas, etc.), así como la recopilación de dicha información y bibliografía con vistas a la creación de textos propios.

Saber reconocer y valorar el pensamiento original y creativo.

Students should apply acquired knowledge to solve problems in unfamiliar contexts within their field of study, including multidisciplinary scenarios.

Students should be able to integrate knowledge and address the complexity of making informed judgments based on incomplete or limited information, including reflections on the social and ethical responsibilities associated with the application of their knowledge and judgments.

Students should demonstrate self-directed learning skills for continued academic growth.

Students should possess and understand foundational knowledge that enables original thinking and research in the field.

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS



Each student will propose a topic and title to a professor of the Master who can tutor him/her. If the tutor agrees, the proposal will be submitted to the CCA for ratification. It is the function of the faculty who direct master dissertations to help their students to specify the topic, organize the work and use the relevant sources accordingly.

The length of the Master's dissertation should be between 22.000 and 28.000 words, not including bibliographical references. It must meet the formal conditions of an academic paper in terms of grammatical correctness and rigor of expression. The citation system and the bibliography must follow one of the standardized systems. Students will comply with other formal requirements that the CCA will publish each year on the specific web site of the degree: <https://www.uv.es/mpfc> (in the menu tab corresponding to the "TFM").

The dissertation cannot consist of a mere summary of the works consulted for its realization. It will have thematic unity and will respond to a reasoned and critical elaboration. The clarity of the exposition, the rigor in the argumentation and the originality will be central factors in the evaluation of the work.

WORKLOAD

PRESENCIAL ACTIVITIES

Activity	Hours
Attendance at supplementary activities	0,00
Monitoring and tutoring of the master's thesis	25,00
Presentation and defence of the master's thesis	2,00
Total hours	27,00

NON PRESENCIAL ACTIVITIES

Activity	Hours
Independent preparation of the master's thesis	318,00
Preparation of the master's thesis project	30,00
Total hours	348,00

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

- Reading Seminar: Interpretation and discussion of philosophical texts.
- Tutorials

EVALUATION

Collegiate evaluation by a tribunal of the presentation and public defense of a work (TFM) (100%).

The evaluation will be the responsibility of one of the TFM tribunals formed for this purpose and will



obligatorily involve the presentation and defense of the TFM in a public session and in accordance with the Regulations for the Development of Master's Thesis approved by the Governing Council of the Universitat de València.

Fraudulent conduct in assessment tests and plagiarism in assessment work will be considered in accordance with the UV Assessment and Grading Regulations (ACGUV 108/2017) and the Protocol for Action against Fraudulent Practices (ACGUV 123/2020).

The use of technologies (including AI) to create assessment materials without prior and express authorization from the teaching staff will prevent them from being considered as self-authored and will be treated according to current regulations and the UV Code of Coexistence and Good Practices (ACGUV 300/2023, DOGV, no. 9747/18.12.2023).

REFERENCES