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LEARNING GUIDE

SUBJECT

565003072 - Intellectual Capital And Knowledge Management

DEGREE PROGRAMME

56IM - Grado En Ingeniería Mecánica

ACADEMIC YEAR & SEMESTER

2025/26 - Semester 1

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1. Description

1.1. Subject details

Name of the subject	565003072 - Intellectual Capital And Knowledge Management
No of credits	3 ECTS
Type	Optional/elective
Academic year of the programme	Fourth year
Semester of tuition	Semester 7
Tuition period	September-January
Tuition languages	English
Degree programme	56IM - Grado en Ingeniería Mecánica
Centre	56 - E.T.S. De Ingeniería Y Diseño Industrial
Academic year	2025-26

2. Faculty

2.1. Faculty members with subject teaching role

Name and surname	Office/Room	Email	Tutoring hours *
Irene Martin Rubio (Subject coordinator)	C-201	irene.mrubio@upm.es	Tu - 12:00 - 12:15 Appointment.

* The tutoring schedule is indicative and subject to possible changes. Please check tutoring times with the faculty member in charge.

3. Skills and learning outcomes *

3.1. Skills to be learned

CE15 - Conocimientos básicos de los sistemas de producción y fabricación industrial.

CE17 - Conocimiento adecuado del concepto de empresa, marco institucional y jurídico de la empresa. Organización y gestión de empresas.

CG10 - Creatividad.

CG4 - Comprender el impacto de la ingeniería en el medio ambiente, el desarrollo sostenible de la sociedad y la importancia de trabajar en un entorno profesional y responsable.

CG5 - Comunicar conocimientos y conclusiones, tanto de forma oral como escrita, a públicos especializados y no especializados de modo claro y sin ambigüedades.

CG6 - Poseer las habilidades de aprendizaje que permitan continuar estudiando a lo largo de toda la vida para un desarrollo profesional adecuado

CG7 - Incorporar las TIC y las tecnologías y herramientas de la Ingeniería Industrial en sus actividades profesionales.

CG8 - Uso de la lengua inglesa a nivel escrito y oral.

CG9 - Organización y planificación de proyectos y equipos humanos. Trabajo en equipo y capacidad de liderazgo.

3.2. Learning outcomes

RA41 - Capacidad de análisis, crítica y síntesis.

RA332 - Knowledge Management Capacity.

RA38 - Actitudes de razonamiento crítico y actuaciones creativas para abordar y resolver problemas.

RA352 - EUR-ACE 1.3 Ser conscientes del contexto multidisciplinar de la ingeniería

RA95 - Conocimientos básicos de los sistemas de producción industrial.

* The Learning Guides should reflect the Skills and Learning Outcomes in the same way as indicated in the Degree Verification Memory. For this reason, they have not been translated into English and appear in Spanish.

4. Brief description of the subject and syllabus

4.1. Brief description of the subject

Organizations in the Knowledge Age, in Industry 4-0 need a new management model for generating, capturing, and leveraging intellectual capital assets in order to stay competitive. In this course, we review the fundamental elements required for developing a comprehensive system for creating and applying sustained levels of intellectual capital in this millenium. A central question is how to measure this knowledge, this is Intellectual Capital.

4.2. Syllabus

1. Introduction: Knowledge has become the resource, rather than a resource.
2. The concept of Organization.
 - 2.1. Sustainability Strategy.
3. Knowledge Management.
4. Organizational Learning.
5. Intellectual Capital.

5. Schedule

5.1. Subject schedule*

Week	Type 1 activities	Type 2 activities	Distant / On-line	Assessment activities
1	Introduction Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
2	1. Knowledge has become the resource, rather than a resource. Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
3	1.Introduction: Knowledge has become the resource, rather than a resource. Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Presentations 1.1- optional Group presentation Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 01:00
4	2, The concept of Organization. Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
5	Case Study Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
6	Case Study Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
7	3. Knowledge Management. Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
8	Case Study Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Presentations 1.2- optional. Group presentation Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 02:00
9	4.Organizational Learning. Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			
10	5. Intellectual Capital Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Presentations 2- compulsory. Group presentation Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 02:00
11	Case Study Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Presentations 3- compulsory. Group presentation Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 02:00

12	Case Study Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Presentations 3- Compulsory Group presentation Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 02:00
13	Review - Intellectual Capital Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Presentations 3- Compulsory Group presentation Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 02:00
14				
15	Exam- December Duration: 02:00 Additional activities			Exam - Progressive Evaluation Written test Progressive assessment Presential Duration: 02:00
16				
17				Exam - Progressive Evaluation Written test Global examination Presential Duration: 02:00

Depending on the programme study plan, total values will be calculated according to the ECTS credit unit as 26/27 hours of student face-to-face contact and independent study time.

6. Activities and assessment criteria

6.1. Assessment activities

6.1.1. Assessment

Week	Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
3	Presentations 1.1- optional	Group presentation	Face-to-face	01:00	5%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE15 CE17
8	Presentations 1.2- optional.	Group presentation	Face-to-face	02:00	5%	5 / 10	CG4 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE15
10	Presentations 2- compulsory.	Group presentation	Face-to-face	02:00	25%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE15 CE17
11	Presentations 3- compulsory.	Group presentation	Face-to-face	02:00	%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE17

12	Presentations 3- Compulsory	Group presentation	Face-to-face	02:00	%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE17
13	Presentations 3- Compulsory	Group presentation	Face-to-face	02:00	25%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE15 CE17
15	Exam - Progressive Evaluation	Written test	Face-to-face	02:00	40%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE15 CE17

6.1.2. Global examination

Week	Description	Modality	Type	Duration	Weight	Minimum grade	Evaluated skills
17	Exam - Progressive Evaluation	Written test	Face-to-face	02:00	100%	5 / 10	CG4 CG5 CG6 CG7 CG8 CG9 CG10 CE15 CE17

6.1.3. Referred (re-sit) examination

No se ha definido la evaluación extraordinaria.

6.2. Assessment criteria

Progressive Evaluation:

1) 60%: Team Group (Presentations) . Minimum mark: 5 (marks between 0-10)

4 presentations:

2 optional activities during the class: each activity values 5% of the final mark. Total of two activities: 10%.

2 compulsory activities with a previous approval form: each activity values 25% of the final mark. Total of two activities:50%

2) 40% Compulsory Exam. Minimum mark: 4 (marks between 0-10).

Exam: Test-Multiple Choice, Questions & Case Study.

The student pass the course, if the average mark is 5.

Evaluation by only Final Exam:

Exam. Minimum mark to pass the exam:5 (marks between 0-10)

Exam: Test-Multiple Choice, questions & Case Study

7. Teaching resources

7.1. Teaching resources for the subject

Name	Type	Notes
Martín Rubio, Irene, Slides in OCW	Web resource	http://ocw.upm.es/organizacion-de-empresas/intellectual-capital-and-knowledge-management/class-material
Martín Rubio, I. (2021). Challenges in Green Intellectual Capital and Knowledge Management in Sustainability and Industry 4.0. In book: De Castro y Masspi "Knowledge Management and Corporate Social Responsibility", IGI GLOBAL	Bibliography	
Companies Sustainability & Financial Reports	Web resource	Case Studies all around the world
Nonaka, I. & Takeuchi H. (1995). The Knowledge creating company: How Japanese Companies Create the Dynamics of Innovation. New York: Oxford University Press.	Bibliography	
European Commission (2021b) "Green Growth and Circular Economy" https://ec.europa.eu/environment/green-growth/index_en.htm	Bibliography	
Davenport, T. H., & Prusak, L. (1998). Working knowledge: How organizations manage what they know. Harvard Business Press.	Bibliography	

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Wenger, Etienne, C. (1998). Communities of practice: Learning, meaning and identity. Cambridge University Press.	Bibliography	
Edvinsson, L. & Malone, M.S. (1997). Intellectual Capital: Realizing your Company's True Value by Finding its Hidden Brainpower. New York: Harper Business.	Bibliography	
Stewart, A.T. (1997). Intellectual Capital, The New Wealth of Organizations. New York: Bantam Doubleday Publishing.	Bibliography	

8. Other information

8.1. Other information about the subject

Sessions will follow Flipped Classroom methodology

Students are encouraged in a Project to consider proposals that can accomplish with SDG (Sustainable

Development Goals):

<https://sdgs.un.org/es/goals>

Students are encouraged to review Sustainability Reports all around the world.