

SUBJECT TEACHING GUIDE

G960 - Regional Economics

DOUBLE DEGREE IN ADMINISTRATION AND BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND ECONOMICS

Degree in Economics

Academic year 2024-2025

1. IDENTIFYING DATA					
Degree	DOUBLE DEGREE IN ADMINISTRATION AND BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND ECONOMICS Degree in Economics			Type and Year	Optional. Year 5 Optional. Year 3
Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Business Studies				
Discipline	Subject Area: Regional Economics and Economic Policy				
Course unit title and code	G960 - Regional Economics				
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6	Term	Semester based (1)		
Web	https://ocw.unican.es/course/view.php?id=75				
Language of instruction	Spanish	English Friendly	Yes	Mode of delivery	Face-to-face

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3.1 LEARNING OUTCOMES

- The student must be able to identify patterns of regional growth and manage regional analysis methods.
- Students will learn about regional economies in Spain and Europe, also regional and cohesion policies.
- The student must acquire basic concepts on income distribution, time evolution and explanatory theories about it.

4. OBJECTIVES

Identify models of regional growth.
 Know how to use methods of regional analysis.
 Describe regional economies in Spain and Europe.
 Know regional and cohesion policies.
 Know the importance of spatial analysis in economics

6. SUBJECT PROGRAM

CONTENTS

1	Regional Economics and Regional Development in the European context
2	Growth disparities among regions. The neoclassical perspective
3	Cumulative growth and agglomerations
4	Interregional trade and interregional migration
5	Income and employment at the regional level
6	Regional policy instruments
7	Local development policies
8	Regional policy in the European Union

7. ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Description	Type	Final Eval.	Reassessn	%
Class activities	Others	No	Yes	40,00
Exam, Part I	Written exam	No	Yes	30,00
Exam, part II	Written exam	No	Yes	30,00
TOTAL				100,00
Observations				
The students who do not follow the continuous evaluation will do a final written exam (10 points), which will include all the theoretical and practical contents of the subject. This exam will include: 1) A test (4 points) and 2) Open questions (6 points)				
Observations for part-time students				
Part-time students can do a final written exam (10 points), which will include all the theoretical and practical contents of the subject. This exam will include: 1) A test (4 points) and 2) Open questions (6 points)				

8. BIBLIOGRAPHY AND TEACHING MATERIALS

BASIC

ARMSTRONG, H. y TAYLOR, J. (2006): "Regional Economics and Policy", Third Edition. Blackwell Publishing.

PIKE, A; RODRIGUEZ-POSE, A. y J.TOMANEY (2011): "Desarrollo local y regional". Universitat de València.