

## SUBJECT TEACHING GUIDE

### 625 - Pathology, Rehabilitation and Maintenance of Structures

### Master's Degree in civil Engineering, Canal and Port Engineering

Academic year 2025-2026

1. IDENTIFYING DATA					
Degree	Master's Degree in civil Engineering, Canal and Port Engineering			Type and Year	Compulsory. Year 2
Faculty	School of civil Engineering				
Discipline	PATHOLOGY, REHABILITATION AND MAINTENANCE OF STRUCTURES				
Course unit title and code	625 - Pathology, Rehabilitation and Maintenance of Structures				
Number of ECTS credits allocated	4,5	Term	Semester based (1)		
Web					
Language of instruction	Spanish	English Friendly	No	Mode of delivery	Face-to-face

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### 3.1 LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Understand the general concepts related to refurbishment and maintenance of structures.
- Understand the methodology of investigation of pathological processes.
- Be familiar with different tools and procedures for the evaluation of the resistant capacity and residual service life of existing structures.
- Identify the structural typology and the resistant and deterioration mechanisms of existing constructions.
- Recognize, pre-diagnose, analyse and diagnose problems appearing in structural elements.
- Propose structural repair and reinforcement solutions, both from the point of view of improving durability (life extension) and resistance capacity.
- Establish a maintenance plan for an existing construction.

#### 4. OBJECTIVES

- Understanding the general concepts related to pathology, rehabilitation and maintenance of structures.
- Being familiar with the methodology for the investigation of structural defects.
- Being familiar with the main N-MDT (non-minor destructive tests) applicable to the different structural types, as well as the structural monitoring techniques (SHM).
- Being familiar with the usual anomalies and defects that structures present.
- Being familiar with the main repair methods and the main reinforcement systems for structures.

#### 6. SUBJECT PROGRAM

##### CONTENTS

1	GENERAL CONCEPTS: Pathology and refurbishment of structures. General methodology of investigation.
2	ASSESSMENT OF EXISTING STRUCTURES: Proping systems and bracing. Diagnostic tools. Examples of pathology reports and pre-refurbishment studies.
3	REFURBISHMENT OF HISTORICAL BUILDINGS: Foundations. Masonry structures (load bearing walls, arches, vaults and domes). Timber structures. Examples.
4	REFURBISHMENT OF MODERN BUILDINGS: Concrete structures. Steel structures and cast iron elements. Examples.
5	Effect of earthquakes on existing structures
6	Control and maintenance strategies

#### 7. ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Description	Type	Final Eval.	Reassessn	%
Written exam	Written exam	Yes	Yes	50,00
Group work	Work	No	No	25,00
Activities carried out in class during the course	Others	No	No	15,00
Classroom participation	Others	No	No	10,00
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>100,00</b>

##### Observations

The marks obtained during the course in the different assessment activities are retained until the extraordinary exam .

Note: According to RD 1125/2003, the results obtained by the student will be graded according to the following numerical scale from 0 to 10, with one decimal, to which the corresponding qualitative grade may be added:

0.0-4.9: Fail

5.0-6.9: Pass

7.0-8.9: Good

9.0-10.0: Outstanding

Only for duly justified reasons (e.g. health restrictions) may the examinations be organised remotely, with the prior authorisation of the Dean of the School.

In the event that, due to health restrictions, it is not possible to objectively verify that the student is following the course (classroom participation), this evaluation component may not be considered, and as a result the percentages will be redistributed among the rest of the components as follows:

Written exam: 50%.

Group work: 25%.

Activities carried out in class during the course: 25%.

##### Observations for part-time students

In the case of part-time course students, the evaluation consists on a written exam.

## 8. BIBLIOGRAPHY AND TEACHING MATERIALS

### BASIC

- Apuntes de la asignatura.
- CALAVERA RUIZ José. Patología de estructuras de hormigón. Intemac, 2009.
- COAM. Curso de patología, conservación y restauración de edificios (4 tomos). Servicio de publicaciones del COAM.
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- LOZANO APOLO Gerónimo & LOZANO MARTÍNEZ-LUENGAS Alfonso. Curso: Técnicas de intervención en el patrimonio arquitectónico (tomo I: reestructuración en madera; tomo II: reestructuración de edificios de muros de fábrica). Consultores técnicos de construcción, C.B. 1995.