

BASIC DETAILS:

Subject:	DIRECCIÓN DE PERSONAS		
Id.:	30453		
Programme:	GRADUADO EN ADMINISTRACIÓN Y DIRECCIÓN DE EMPRESAS (BOE 26/11/2010)		
Module:	ORGANIZACION DE EMPRESAS		
Subject type:	OBLIGATORIA		
Year:	3	Teaching period:	Primer Cuatrimestre
Credits:	6	Total hours:	150
Classroom activities:	72	Individual study:	78
Main teaching language:	Inglés	Secondary teaching language:	Castellano
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PRESENTATION:

This subject will provide you with an understanding of the different techniques used by Companies in an attempt to ensure human capital is more effective and productive. How people are managed in the workplace influences what they think about their work and their employer and therefore their behaviours and actions in the workplace. What the employer does and how they behave will impact on the way people feel about their work and the kind of commitment they are willing to put into it for their employer. And conversely the way people feel about how they are managed at work and their employment relationship may generate conflict and resistance to managerial controls. Human Resources analyses the employment relationship and the way people are managed in the workplace. It explores these issues not only in the context of the individual employee and their employer, but in the context of the wider workplace, the labour market and economic forces shaping the world of work, technological changes, employment regulations and social trends. The world of work is fast changing so an understanding of how this all affects the way people are managed in the workplace is of tremendous significance theoretically and practically. The employment relationship is not only an economic exchange of pay for effort, but also a legal contractual relationship and a social and psychological one. We explore all of these dimensions to develop a more rounded understanding of managing people in work.

PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCES ACQUIRED IN THE SUBJECT:

General programme competences	G02	Creative and efficient resolution of problems that arise in day-to-day, in order to ensure the highest levels of quality of professional work.
	G03	Ability to organise and plan the work in the context of continuous improvement
	G06	Ability to incorporate ethical principles into the professional culture, giving priority to ethical commitment to customers and society.
	G07	Ability to work in an international context and innovate and adopt new approaches used in other national contexts.
	G09	Oral and written communication in English in academic and professional contexts.
	G10	Ability to apply the acquired knowledge, adapting it to the needs and special features of each situation and person.
	G11	Ability to come up with new ideas (creativity).
	G15	Ability to establish and meet the most appropriate quality criteria and apply methodologies and work strategies geared towards continuous improvement.
	G16	Ability to assimilate concepts of a social and humanistic nature into a comprehensive university education to enable the development of ethical values such as solidarity, multiculturalism, equality, commitment, respect, diversity, integrity, etc.
	Specific programme competences	E01
E12		Ability to propose, design and implement an appropriate human resources management plan into the reality of the company.
E14		Understand the principles of business ethics and be able to design scenarios in which these principles can be put into business practice.
Learning	R1	Analyse, using relevant theories, the key concepts and processes involved in delivering

outcomes		effective high quality, practical and innovative people solutions to specific business challenges
	R2	Determine and evaluate which aspects of managing people contribute to exceptional performance and how these impacts on the overall business success
	R3	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the theories, concepts and principles around the management of people
	R4	Explore and discuss a range of people management theories and practices
	R5	Apply and practice these theories. Use investigation and interrogation to evaluate the success of the different working practices in managing people.

PRE-REQUISITES:

None

SUBJECT PROGRAMME:

Observations:

The University San Jorge has issued specific guidelines in terms of Covid 19 and in following these guidelines the teaching of this subject will have a hybrid format combining classes at University with classes on line.

However, the hybrid system may change depending on the decisions that the Health Authorities take during the pandemic.

Subject contents:

1 - The Organisation and People Behaviour
1.1 - HR History and Evolution of Responsibilities
1.1.1 - History and Evolution
1.1.2 - HR Organization and Positioning
1.1.3 - Why do we need HR?
1.1.4 - Criticism
1.2 - Equal opportunities
1.2.1 - Equal Opps and the Law
1.2.2 - Types of EO and Defense Mechanisms
2 - HR Management Tools
2.1 - Attracting, Recruiting and Selecting
2.1.1 - Job Analysis and Talent Management
2.1.2 - Recruitment and Selection Planning
2.1.3 - Recruitment and Selection Process
2.2 - Training and Developing
2.2.1 - Training Needs Analysis
2.2.2 - Training as a Motivational Tool
2.2.3 - Training Techniques
2.4 - Performance Management
2.4.1 - Improving Performance
2.4.2 - Appraisal Techniques
2.4.3 - fairness and Interviews
2.5 - Employee Retention and Engagement
2.5.1 - Retention strategies
2.5.2 - Career Management
2.6 - Reward Strategy
2.6.1 - Factors Influencing Reward
2.6.2 - Job Evaluation Methods
2.6.3 - Competitive Pay Plans
2.6.4 - Pay and Performance
2.6.5 - Benefits

Subject planning could be modified due unforeseen circumstances (group performance, availability of resources, changes to academic calendar etc.) and should not, therefore, be considered to be definitive.

TEACHING AND LEARNING METHODOLOGIES AND ACTIVITIES:

Teaching and learning methodologies and activities applied:

The approach taken in this subject is to involve you as entrepreneurial learners through an interesting combination of face-to-face lectures, essential reading texts, a wide range of recommended texts available to extend your learning and relevant group and individual tasks. You will be responsible for a significant amount of self-study having to identify your sources of information, comparing and providing founded opinions on issues debated. For this you will need to ensure that you fully understand all the concepts! The contents and organisation of the lectures may be modified subject to external factors such as the groups progress, changes made to the school calendar etc.

The Academic Guide for the year 2020-21 compiles the rules and regulations with regards to Plagiarism. Students caught committing plagiarism or allowing their work to be copied will be considered as a “not presented” in the subject.

Student work load:

Teaching mode	Teaching methods	Estimated hours
Classroom activities	Master classes	16
	Other theory activities	6
	Practical exercises	10
	Practical work, exercises, problem-solving etc.	12
	Debates	5
	Coursework presentations	9
	Films, videos, documentaries etc.	4
	Other practical activities	8
	Extra-curricular activities (visits, conferences, etc.)	2
Individual study	Tutorials	5
	Individual study	22
	Individual coursework preparation	20
	Group coursework preparation	16
	Research work	5
	Compulsory reading	5
	Recommended reading	5
Total hours:		150

ASSESSMENT SCHEME:

Calculation of final mark:

Group course work (Video):	15	%
Individual Course work (test 1):	12	%
Individual Course work (test 2):	13	%
Group Course work (Case Resolution and presentation):	15	%
Final Written test:	45	%
TOTAL	100	%

*Las observaciones específicas sobre el sistema de evaluación serán comunicadas por escrito a los

alumnos al inicio de la materia.

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Belbin, R. M. <i>Management Teams : Why They Succeed or Fail</i> , 2nd Edition, Oxford : Elsevier Butterworth-Heinemann. 2004

Recommended websites:

Asociación Española de Dirección y Desarrollo de Personas (AEDIPE):	http://www.aedipe.es/
RRHH Digital	http:// www.rrhhdigital.com/index.php
Personnel Today	http// www.personneltoday.com/home/default.aspx
The Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development	http://www.cipd.co.uk/
Diccionario de la Real Academia Española	www.rae.es
European Computer Driving Licence (Spain)	http://ecdl.ati.es/