



Information about the subject

Degree: Bachelor of Sciences of Physical Activity and Sport

Faculty: Faculty of Physical Activity and Sport Sciences

Code: 281201 **Name:** Biomechanics of Physical Activity

Credits: 6,00 **ECTS Year:** 2 **Semester:** 1

Module: 1) Basic formation Module

Subject Matter: Biological and mechanical foundations of human motor skills. **Type:** Basic

Formation

Field of knowledge: Ciencias de la Salud.

Department: Functional Health and Assessment

Type of learning: Classroom-based learning

Languages in which it is taught:

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Module organization

1) Basic formation Module

Subject Matter	ECTS	Subject	ECTS	Year/semester
Biological and mechanical foundations of human motor skills.	36,00	Biochemistry and Human Physiology	9,00	1/2
		Biomechanics of Physical Activity	6,00	2/1
		Human Anatomy	9,00	1/2
		Kinesiology	6,00	2/1
		Physiology of Exercise	6,00	2/1
Behavioral and social foundations of human motor skills.	24,00	History and Sociology of Physical Activity and Sport	6,00	1/2
		Sport Psychology	6,00	1/2
		Statistics and Data Processing	6,00	2/2
		Technology Applied to Physical Activity and Sport	6,00	1/1



Learning outcomes

At the end of the course, the student must be able to prove that he/she has acquired the following learning outcomes:

- R1 Describe different sports modalities and gestures through biomechanical analysis.
- R2 Establish motor behavior through physical laws.
- R3 Correctly apply different technologies and procedures to assess the sport and the athlete from a biomechanical perspective.



Competencies

Depending on the learning outcomes, the competencies to which the subject contributes are (please score from 1 to 4, being 4 the highest score):

GENERAL	Weighting			
	1	2	3	4
CG2 Know how to apply information and communication technologies (ICT).			X	
CG3 Develop skills to solve problems through decision making.			X	
CG4 Convey any related information properly both in writing and orally.	X			
CG7 Be able to carry out critical reasoning using the knowledge acquired.			X	
CG10 Develop skills for adaptation to new situations and for autonomous learning.			X	
CG13 Be able to apply theoretical knowledge in practice.				X
CG14 Use the internet properly as a means of communication and as a source of information.			X	
CG18 Be able to self-evaluate.	X			
CG19 Develop habits of excellence and quality in professional practice.		X		
SPECIFIC	Weighting			
	1	2	3	4



CE 2.1 Adapt the educational intervention to the individual characteristics and needs for the entire population and with emphasis on special populations such as: schoolchildren, the elderly (elderly), people with reduced mobility and Know how to guide, design, apply and technically-scientifically evaluate physical exercise and physical condition at an advanced level, based on scientific evidence, in different areas, contexts and types of activities for the entire population and with an emphasis on populations of a special nature such as: the elderly (elderly), schoolchildren, people with disabilities and people with pathologies, health problems or assimilated (diagnosed and / or prescribed by a doctor), taking into account gender and diversity. diversity.	X	
CE 2.2 Identify, communicate and apply anatomical-physiological and biomechanical scientific criteria at an advanced level of skills in the design, development and technical-scientific evaluation of procedures, strategies, actions, activities and guidelines adequate; to prevent, minimize and / or avoid a health risk in the practice of physical activity and sport in all kinds of population.		X
CE 3.4 Promote education, dissemination, information and constant orientation to people and leaders about the benefits, significance, characteristics and positive effects of the regular practice of physical and sports activity and physical exercise, of the risks and damages of an inadequate practice and of the elements and criteria that identify its adequate execution, as well as the information, guidance and advice on the possibilities of physical activity and appropriate sport in your environment in any professional intervention sector.		X
CE 6.2 Analyze, review and select the effect and efficacy of the practice of research methods, techniques and resources and Scientific work methodology, in solving problems that require the use of creative and innovative ideas.		X
CE 6.4 Articulate and deploy procedures, processes, protocols, own analysis, with rigor and scientific attitude on matters of social, legal, economic, scientific or ethical nature, when necessary and pertinent in any professional sector of activity physical and sport (formal and informal physical-sport education; physical and sports training; physical exercise for health; direction of physical activity and sport).	X	



CE 7.2 Know, elaborate and know how to apply the ethical-deontological, structural-organizational conditions, professional performance and the regulations for the professional practice of Graduates in Physical Activity and Sports Sciences, in any sector professional of physical activity and sports (formal and informal physical-sports education; physical and sports training; exercise physical for health; direction of physical activity and sports); as well as being able to develop a multidisciplinary work

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CE 7.3 Understand, know how to explain and disseminate the functions, responsibilities and importance of a good professional Graduated in Sciences of Physical Activity and Sports as well as analyze, understand, identify and reflect critically and autonomously on their identity, training and professional performance to achieve the goals and benefits of physical activity and sport in an adequate, safe, healthy and efficient way in all the physical-sports services offered and provided and in any sector professional of physical activity and sports.

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Assessment system for the acquisition of competencies and grading system

Assessed learning outcomes	Granted percentage	Assessment method
R3	0,00%	Carrying out a project.
R1, R2, R3	60,00%	Written / oral and / or practical tests.
R3	10,00%	Student self-assessment.
	20,00%	Active participation.
R1, R3	10,00%	Attendance at interviews, seminars and practical activities.
R1, R2, R3	0,00%	Autonomous work.

Observations

RITERIA FOR GRANTING A GRADE OF WITH HONORS:

- In order to considering a candidate for honors, it is necessary to have a minimum mark of 9
- Whenever two students get the same qualification, the lecturer will take into account the student's interest, predisposition and implication in the subject.
- According to UCV's rules, the number of Distinctions granted will not exceed 5% of students enrolled in a subject in the corresponding academic year unless enrolment is under 20, in which case only one Distinction may be granted.

SHORT GUIDE OF THE SUBJECT IN FIRST ENROLMENT:

- In order to passing the subject, it is necessary to have a minimum mark of 4.5 of each part of the subject (assessment tools), obtaining an average mark of 5.
- Partial marks obtained will be kept for the second enrolment.
- Students with a failing grade in some of the assessment tools, but an average mark higher than 5, will be graded with a mark of 4.5.



Learning activities

The following methodologies will be used so that the students can achieve the learning outcomes of the subject:

- M2 Group dynamics and activities.
- M3 Practical lesson.
- M4 Presentation of content by the teacher.
- M5 Laboratory practices.
- M7 Small group discussion.
- M8 Resolution of problems and cases.



IN-CLASS LEARNING ACTIVITIES

	LEARNING OUTCOMES	HOURS	ECTS
<p>THEORETICAL CLASS: Presentation of contents by the teacher. Competency analysis. Demonstration of capabilities, skills and knowledge in the classroom. M4</p>	R1, R2, R3	46,00	1,84
<p>PRACTICAL CLASS / SEMINAR: Group dynamics and activities. Resolution of problems and cases. Practical laboratories. Data search, computer room, library, etc. Meaningful construction of knowledge through interaction and student activity. M2, M3, M5, M8</p>	R3	10,00	0,40
<p>EVALUATION: Set of oral and / or written tests used in the evaluation of the student, including the oral presentation of the final degree project. M2, M7, M8</p>	R1, R2, R3	4,00	0,16
TOTAL		60,00	2,40



LEARNING ACTIVITIES OF AUTONOMOUS WORK

	LEARNING OUTCOMES	HOURS	ECTS
GROUP WORK: Problem solving. Preparation of exercises, memoirs, to expose or deliver in classes and / or in tutoring. M2, M5, M7, M8	R2, R3	10,00	0,40
SELF-EMPLOYED WORK: Study, individual preparation of exercises, works, memories, to expose or deliver in classes and / or in tutoring. Platform activities or other virtual spaces. M8	R3	80,00	3,20
TOTAL		90,00	3,60



Description of the contents

Description of the necessary contents to acquire the learning outcomes.

Theoretical contents:

Content block	Contents
1 CONCEPT AND AREAS OF STUDY OF BIOMECHANICS	Study of basic biomechanical contents such as:- Historical precedents and precursors.- Aims of the sportbiomechanics.- Applied areas.- Sport biomechanics inSpain.- Topics related to the biomechanics.
2 MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL BASES FOR HUMAN ANALYSIS.	- General concept: measurement, measurement units,magnitudes and trigonometric functions...- Resolution ofbasic mathematical situations: vectorial and trigonometricoperations...
3 HUMAN MOVEMENT: BASES OF MECHANICS.	- Study and analysis of the mechanics (applied andcomponent):- Kinematic (lineal and angular). Concept andapplication by practice situations and problems resolution.-Dynamic (Kinetic and Static). Concept, laws and problemsresolution.
4 FLUID DYNAMICS: THE AIR AND AQUATIC ENVIRONMENTS.	- Basic concepts: Form coefficient, boundary layer andoutline.- Resistance assessment:- Types of resistance.- Liffforces (air).- Buoyancy forces (aquatic).
5 ENERGY OF MOVEMENT: WORK, POWER AND ENERGY.	Study, analysis and concept measurement:- Work.- Power.-Potential, kinetic and elastic energy.- Mechanical efficiency.-Simple machines: lever and pulley.- Kinetic links.
6 MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MATERIALS.	- Mechanical study and analysis of materials:- Basicconcept: deformation, tension, elasticity, stiffness, flexibility, restitution and fatigue.- Mechanical characteristics ofbiological materials.- Mechanical characteristics of sportsurfaces.- Sport surface classification.- Theoretical aspectsin normalized test.



Temporary organization of learning:

Block of content	Number of sessions	Hours
1 CONCEPT AND AREAS OF STUDY OF BIOMECHANICS	2,00	4,00
2 MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL BASES FOR HUMAN ANALYSIS.	2,00	4,00
3 HUMAN MOVEMENT: BASES OF MECHANICS.	14,00	28,00
4 FLUID DYNAMICS: THE AIR AND AQUATIC ENVIRONMENTS.	5,00	10,00
5 ENERGY OF MOVEMENT: WORK, POWER AND ENERGY.	5,00	10,00
6 MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MATERIALS.	2,00	4,00



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Addendum to the Course Guide of the Subject

Due to the exceptional situation caused by the health crisis of the COVID-19 and taking into account the security measures related to the development of the educational activity in the Higher Education Institution teaching area, the following changes have been made in the guide of the subject to ensure that Students achieve their learning outcomes of the Subject.

Situation 1: Teaching without limited capacity (when the number of enrolled students is lower than the allowed capacity in classroom, according to the security measures taken).

In this case, no changes are made in the guide of the subject.

Situation 2: Teaching with limited capacity (when the number of enrolled students is higher than the allowed capacity in classroom, according to the security measures taken).

In this case, the following changes are made:

1. Educational Activities of Onsite Work:

All the foreseen activities to be developed in the classroom as indicated in this field of the guide of the subject will be made through a simultaneous teaching method combining onsite teaching in the classroom and synchronous online teaching. Students will be able to attend classes onsite or to attend them online through the telematic tools provided by the university (videoconferences). In any case, students who attend classes onsite and who attend them by videoconference will rotate periodically.

In the particular case of this subject, these videoconferences will be made through:

Microsoft Teams

Kaltura



Situation 3: Confinement due to a new State of Alarm.

In this case, the following changes are made:

1. Educational Activities of Onsite Work:

All the foreseen activities to be developed in the classroom as indicated in this field of the guide of the subject, as well as the group and personalized tutoring, will be done with the telematic tools provided by the University, through:

Microsoft Teams

Kaltura

Explanation about the practical sessions:



2. System for Assessing the Acquisition of the competences and Assessment System

ONSITE WORK

Regarding the Assessment Tools:

The Assessment Tools will not be modified. If onsite assessment is not possible, it will be done online through the UCVnet Campus.

The following changes will be made to adapt the subject's assessment to the online teaching.

Course guide		Adaptation	
Assessment tool	Allocated percentage	Description of the suggested changes	Platform to be used

The other Assessment Tools will not be modified with regards to what is indicated in the Course Guide.

Comments to the Assessment System: