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| CODE | 3095 | COURSE NAME/TITLE | AGRICULTURAL AND RURAL POLICY | | | | | | |
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| DEGREE | | AGRICULTURAL ENGINEER | | | | TYPE | | | |
| ORIENTATION | | | | | | | | | |
| ESTUDIES PROGRAM | 1999 | CYCLE | 2 | COURSE | 4 | SEMESTER | 8 | FOUR-MONTH PERIOD | B |

| DEPARTMENT [1] | ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES |
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| COURSE COORDINATOR [1] | |
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[1] En el caso de haber **más de un departamento ó área** que imparta docencia en la asignatura, rellenar **una ficha para cada uno de ellos y una conjuntamente firmada por los responsables y directores de todos ellos**.

| TOTAL CREDITS: | | 4.5 | | |
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| TOTAL THEORY | 2.25 | TOTAL PRACTICE | 2.25 | |
| T. AULA (TA) CLASSROOM | 2 | P. AULA (PA) CLASSROOM | 2 | |
| T. SEMINARIO(TS) SEMINAR | 0.25 | P. INFORMATICA [3] (PI) LABORATORY | COLLEGE | DEPT. |
| | | | 0.25 | |
| T. TUTORIZADA[2] (TT) TUTORIALS | | P.LABORATORIO LABORATORY PRACTICE | | |
| | | P. CAMPO FIELD WORK | | |
| | | P. TUTORIZADA [2] (PT) TUTORIALS | | |
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[2] Únicamente en el caso de asignaturas con actividades programa de innovación educativa y convergencia europea (PAEEES)
[3] Especificar si los créditos se imparte en aulas de la Escuela o del Departamento

Valencia, a ___3___ de ___abril___ de ___2006___

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**COURSE TITLE:** AGRICULTURAL AND RURAL POLICY

## OBJECTIVES

1-  To understand the economic foundation of the agricultural policies

2.- To know the Common Agricultural Policy, its functioning and its effects

3,. To explain the institutional framework of the Spanish agricultural Policy

4. To analyse the problems of rural areas and the approach of rural policies

5. To know the main rural development policies: Cohesion Policy, farm modernisation, agri-environmental policy and local development

## EVALUATION

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# CONTENTS: THEORY

Part One:

LESSON 1. THE FOUNDATIONS OF THE AGRICULTURAL POLICY ON PRICES AND MARKETS
Features of agricultural markets, objectives and instruments of agricultural policies

Lesson 2 . THE EVOLUTION OF THE COMMON AGRICULTURAL POLICY
The CAP's origin, the traditional CAP (1962-1992), the Uruguay Round of the GATT and the 1992's reform

Lesson 3.- THE CAP AND THE AGENDA 2000
The political agreement of Agenda 2000, the Common Market Organisations (MCO) of mediterranean, continental and livestock products

LESSON 4.- THE CAP'S EFFECTS AND THE SPANISH AGRICULTURE
The expenses of the European Agricultural Guidance and Guarantee Fund (EAGGF), the EAGGF expenditure in the Spanish agricultural sector, the CAP imbalances

LESSON 5.- THE SPANISH AGRICULTURAL POLICY
The political competences of the central and regional governments, the national policy, the agricultural policy in the Comunidad Valenciana

Part Two.

Lesson 6: THE "RURAL QUESTION" IN EUROPE
Delimitation of rural areas. Demographic and economic evolution of European rural areas. Objectives and approach of "rural policies".

Lesson 7: THE EUROPEAN COHESION POLICY
The application of Structural Funds and convergence trends in European regions. The Cohesion Policy in an enlarged Europe.

Lesson 8: THE EVOLUTION OF RURAL POLICIES IN THE EU
The birth of the rural policy in the EU. The 'Second Pillar' of the CAP. The rural development policy for the 2007-2013 programming period.

Lesson 9: FARM STRUCTURAL POLICY AND FARM MODERNISATION
Agricultural transformation and structural adjustment. Instruments of farm structural policy.

Lesson 10: AGRI-ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY
Environmental problems in the European rural areas. Agri-environmental Policy within the CAP: approach, application and perspectives.

Lesson 11: LOCAL DEVELOPMENT POLICY IN RURAL AREAS
Principles of endogenous development. The LEADER Common Initiative and PRODER Programs.

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## CONTENTS: PRACTICE

1. Lab: Introduction to informatics. Windows operating system.

2. Lab: Word processor WORD I.

3. Lab: Word processor WORD II.

4. Lab: Spreadsheet EXCEL I.

5. Lab: Spreadsheet EXCEL II.

6. Lab: INTERNET.

7. Lab: Creating a web page with HTML using FrontPage

8. Lab: Creating a graphic presentation using PowerPoint .

9. Lab: Database ACCESS I.

10. Lab: Database ACCESS II.

11. Lab:. Introduction to MATLAB.

12. Lab: Introduction to programming in MATLAB.

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Part I:

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Part II:

Arnalte, E., Baptista, F. Lourenço,F., Muñoz Zamora, C. y Rodrigo, I.: "El desarrollo rural: Políticas aplicadas, situación actual del debate y perspectivas de futuro a nivel europeo", Dirección General de Estudios del Parlamento Europeo, 1998.

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