



Course Specification

Course name: Photojournalism (1) Course Code: JUR305	Program: Journalism Academic level: Third Semester: First semester
Specialization: Journalism	Number of studying units: Theoretical: (2) Practical:2 (1)

Intended Learning Outcomes of Course (ILOs)

a) Information and concepts

- A/1- Knows the scientific concepts of journalism.
- A/2 - Explains the concept of photography.
- A/3- Lists the importance of photography from a journalistic point of view.
- A/4- Describe the parts and functions of the film camera.
- A/5- Explain the parts and functions of a digital camera.
- A/6 - Specify how the camera is used.
- A/7- Explain how to use the digital camera.
- A/8- Describe how to take a good photo.
- A/9- Defines the characteristics of a photojournalist.
- A/10- Enumerates the effects of the image.
- A/11- Knows photojournalism Concepts.
- A/12- Specifies how to select a good picture.

b) Intellectual skills

- B/1- Deduce how to adjust the camera to suit all press cases.

c) Professional and practical skills

- C/1- Use the camera for photojournalism.

d) General and transferable skills

- D/1- Use the computer.
- D/2- Communicate in a critical manner.
- D/3 - Working with the group in a one-team style. D/4- Efficient use of time.

Course Content:

1. Definition of photography, its origin and development
2. The importance of photography from a journalistic point of view.
3. Camera parts and their functions.
4. Digital camera parts and functions.
5. How to use a film and digital camera.
6. How to take a good photo and traits of a photojournalist.
7. Evaluation and use of press photos.
8. Principles and ethics of photojournalism.

Teaching and Learning Methods:

- 1- The lecture.
- 2- The discussion.
- 3- Extra readings.

- 4- Practical training
- 5- Divide the students into work teams.
- 6- Brainstorming.

Student Assessment Methods:

- 1- The mid-term written exam.
- 2- Assignments to assess the student's ability to photograph in an accurate and scientific manner.
- 3- A photojournalistic project to assess the comprehension of the entire course.
- 4- End-of-semester final exam.