

Study Plan

School: School of Social Sciences

Degree: Master

Course: Tourism and Development of Destinations and Products (cód. 544)

1st Year - 1st Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours	
	Sustainable Tourism and Destinations Development	Tourism	9	Semester	234	
SOC11501M						
	Trends in Tourism Demand	Tourism	6	Semester	156	
SOC11502M						
	Cultural Tourism and Landscaping	Tourism	6	Semester	156	
SOC11503M						
	Theory and Research Methods	Tourism	9	Semester	234	
SOC11504M						

1st Year - 2nd Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours	
	Marketing of Tourist Destinations and Products	Management	6	Semester	156	
GES11505M						
	Advanced Data Analysis in Tourism Studies	Tourism	6	Semester	156	
SOC11506M	·					
	Urban and Rural Tourism	Tourism	9	Semester	234	
SOC11507M						
	Managing and Interpreting Heritage	History	9	Semester	234	
HIS11508M						

2nd Year - 3rd Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours		
	Seminar	Tourism	5	Semester	130		
SOC11509M							
Dissertation							
Project Work							
Report							

2nd Year - 4th Semester

Component code	Name	Scientific Area Field	ECTS	Duration	Hours
Dissertation					
Project Work					
Report					



Conditions for obtaining the Degree:

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1º Semestre: {\} newline

4 UC obrigatórias num total de 30 Ects {\} newline

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2º Semestre: {\} newline

4 UC obrigatórias num Total de 30 Ects {\} newline

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1 UC obrigatórias num total de 5 Ects {\} newline

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Para obtenção do grau, é necessário também a aprovação na Dissertação, Relatório de Estágio ou Trabalho de Projecto, com um total de 55 ECTS, no 3.º e 4.º Semestre. ***

Program Contents

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Sustainable Tourism and Destinations Development (SOC11501M)

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Trends in Tourism Demand (SOC11502M)

- 1. Introduction to tourism trends
- 1.1. Concept and its relevance of trend analysis in tourism
- 1.2. Tourism changes and trends
- 1.3. Perspectives and dimensions of analysis of trends in tourism
- 2. Analysis of trends in tourist demand
- 2.1. Tourism demand concepts and theories
- 2.2. Tourism motivation concepts and theories
- 2.3. Determinants of tourism demand
- 2.4. Key performance indicators of tourist demand
- 2.5. Tourist demand and new tourist products
- 2.4. Case studies
- 3. Main indicators for forecasting tourist demand
- 3.1. World's tourism demand forecasts
- 3.2. Europe's tourism demand forecasts
- 3.3. Portugal tourism demand forecasts
- 4. Research trends and perspectives in studies of tourist demand trends



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Cultural Tourism and Landscaping (SOC11503M)

- 1 Tourism , Culture and Landscape : relationship
- 2 Cultural Tourism: epistemological issues
- 2.1- Globalization, Authenticity and Cultural Identity
- 2.2- Cultural Tourist: types, motivations and dimensions of experience
- 3 Cultural Landscapes and Tourism
- 3.1 Territory, Space and Culture
- 4 Landscaped and Cultural Destinations
- 4.1 Historical and villages Cities
- 4.2 World Heritage Cities
- 4.3 Industrial Cities
- 5 Cultural Products and Landscaped
- 5.1-Culinary and Gastronomic Tourism
- 5.2-Literary Tourism
- 5.3-Wine Tourism
- 5.4 Planning of Cultural Products and Landscaped
- 6 Trends and Prospects for Tourism Research and Cultural Landscape

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Theory and Research Methods (SOC11504M)

- 1 Research in Tourism
- 1.1- Theoretical steps in tourism studies
- 1.1.1 Tourism as an area of knowledge
- 1.1.2. Inter, multi and transdisciplinary approaches to Tourism
- 2 Paradigms of Tourism Research
- 3 Research Methodology in tourism
- 4 Steps in the planning of the research project
- 4.1-Literature Review
- 4.2-Problem Formulation: issues, objectives and hypotheses
- 4.3-Methods and Techniques of data collection
- 4.3.1 Sampling techniques
- 4.4 Data analysis
- 4.5 Scientific Writting
- 5 Trends and Prospects of Tourism Research

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Marketing of Tourist Destinations and Products (GES11505M)

- 1. The Design of Brand Experiences for Tourism Destinations and Products
- 1.1. Positioning and Brand Identity
- 1.2. Brand Image
- 1.3. Brand Experiences
- 2. Marketing Strategies for Tourism Destinations and Products
- 2.1. Internal Marketing
- 2.2. Creating Loyalty and Recovering Services
- 2.3. Place and Customer Interface Management

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Advanced Data Analysis in Tourism Studies (SOC11506M)



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Urban and Rural Tourism (SOC11507M)

- 1 The urban space and the countryside
- 1.1 Concept of urban space.
- 1.2 Concept of rural space.
- 2 urban tourism and rural tourism.
- 2.1 Concept of Urban Tourism.
- 2.2 Concept of rural tourism.
- 3 Tourism as enabler of urban and rural regeneration.
- 3.1 Heritage, landscape, culture, creative industries and sport as tourist attractions.
- 3.2 Among the active tourism and creative tourism.
- 3.3 Tourism in creative spaces.
- 3.3.1 Historical centers.
- 3.3.2 Rural spaces.
- 4 Collaboration in drafting the supply of urban and rural tourism products.
- 4.1 Stakeholders in promoting the offer.
- 4.2 interorganizational collaboration for product development
- 4.3 The role of new cultural and creative class in tourism.
- 4.4 Networks of rural tourism.
- 5 Development of tourism products based on regional and local creativity.
- 5.1 Models of development.
- 5.2 Development processes.
- 6 New Trends of Research in Urban and Rural Tourism.

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Managing and Interpreting Heritage (HIS11508M)

- 1 From the evolution of the concept of Cultural Heritage to contemporary patrimonial typologies;
- 2- The institutions related with the cultural heritage: objectives and activities;
- 3- The national and local institutions, public or private, dealing with the preservation and valorisation of cultural heritage;
- 4 The actual debates about cultural heritage and the different forms of cultural heritage valorisation;
- 5 Tourism and Historic Cultural Heritage in an historical approach;
- 6- Heritage and Tourism: actual debates and opportunities about sustainable development.

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Seminar (SOC11509M)