



| Teaching Guide | | | | |
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| Identifying Data | | | | 2018/19 |
| Subject (*) | Materials Physical Chemistry | | Code | 610500014 |
| Study programme | Mestrado Universitario en Ciencias. Tecnoloxías e Xestión Ambiental (plan 2012) | | | |
| Descriptors | | | | |
| Cycle | Period | Year | Type | Credits |
| Official Master's Degree | 2nd four-month period | First | Optional | 3 |
| Language | Spanish | | | |
| Teaching method | Face-to-face | | | |
| Prerequisites | | | | |
| Department | Química | | | |
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| General description | Overview of structural, thermodynamic and kinetic properties of some materials of environmental interest: adsorbents, ion exchangers and membranes, with both a theoretical and practical focus. | | | |

| Study programme competences / results | |
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| Code | Study programme competences / results |
| A1 | Coñecemento das realidades interdisciplinares da Química e do Medio Ambiente, dos temas punteiros nestas disciplinas e das perspectivas de futuro. |
| A2 | Deseño de novas especies químicas e materiais con propiedades determinadas. |
| A3 | Capacitar ao alumno para o desenvolvemento dun traballo de investigación nun campo da Química ou do Medio Ambiente, incluíndo os procesos de caracterización de materiais, o estudo das súas propiedades fisicoquímicas e biolóxicas e dos procesos que poden sufrir no medio natural. |
| A4 | Coñecer en profundidade as características e fundamentos de diversos modelos químicos para o estudo de sistemas orgánicos, inorgánicos e biolóxicos, incluídos os materiais con proxección tecnolóxica. |
| A7 | Coñecer o marco teórico e as aplicacións da electroquímica e da fotocatálise nos campos da enerxía e o medio ambiente. |
| B1 | Posuir e comprender coñecementos que acheguen unha base ou oportunidade de ser orixinais no desenvolvemento e/ou aplicación de ideas, a miúdo nun contexto de investigación. |
| B2 | Que os estudiantes saibam aplicar os coñecementos adquiridos e a súa capacidade de resolución de problemas en contornas novas ou pouco coñecidos dentro de contextos más amplos (ou multidisciplinares) relacionados coa súa área de estudio. |
| B3 | Que os estudiantes sexan capaces de integrar coñecementos e enfrentarse á complexidade de formular xuízos a partir dunha información que, sendo incompleta ou limitada, inclúa reflexións sobre as responsabilidades sociais e éticas vinculadas á aplicación dos seus coñecementos e suízos. |
| B5 | Que os estudiantes posúan as habilidades de aprendizaxe que lles permitan continuar estudando dun modo que haberá de ser en gran medida autodirixido ou autónomo. |
| B6 | Ser capaz de analizar datos e situacións, xestionar a información dispoñible e sintetizala, todo iso a un nivel especializado. |
| B7 | Ser capaz de planificar adequadamente desenvolvimentos experimentais, a un nivel especializado. |
| C1 | Ser capaz de traballar en equipos, especialmente nos interdisciplinares e internacionais. |
| C3 | Ser capaz de adaptarse a situacións novas, mostrando creatividade, iniciativa, espírito emprendedor e capacidade de liderado. |
| C5 | Dominar a expresión e a comprensión de forma oral e escrita dun idioma estranxeiro. |
| C8 | Entender a importancia da cultura emprendedora e coñecer os medios ao alcance das persoas emprendedoras. |
| C9 | Valorar criticamente o coñecemento, a tecnoloxía e a información dispoñible para resolver os problemas cos que deben enfrentarse. |
| C11 | Valorar a importancia que ten a investigación, a innovación e o desenvolvemento tecnolóxico no avance socioeconómico e cultural da sociedade. |

Learning outcomes



| Learning outcomes | Study programme competences / results | | |
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| Get a general overview of the intermolecular force concept and its relationship with size and other physicochemical properties, justifying the nature of nanomaterials. | AC3 AC7 | | |
| To know important adsorbent materials with emphasis in the properties and applications of activated carbons. | AC2 AC3 | | |
| To know the properties of natural and artificial ion exchangers with a focus on zeolites. | AC2 AC3 | | |
| To know the basic properties of membranes and its relevance in separation processes in chemistry. | AC1 AC3 | BC2 | CC11 |
| To critically extract relevant information from the readings of papers treating real applications of nanomaterials. | AC1 AC2 AC3 | BC1 BC2 BC3 | CC5 CC8 CC9 |
| BC5 BC6 | | | |
| To design adequate experiments to test the behaviour of adsorbents and/or ion exchangers coupled with membranes. | AC4 | BC2 BC6 BC7 | CC1 CC3 CC11 |

| Contents | |
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| Topic | Sub-topic |
| THEME 1. Inthermolecular and surface forces. | General overview of intermolecular and surface forces. Physicochemical properties and size. Nanoscience. |
| THEME 2. Adsorbent materials | Adsorbent geo and biomaterials: structural and energetical aspects. Surface areas estimation. Activated carbons. Nanosorbents. |
| THEME 3. Ion Exchangers | Natural and artificial ion exchangers. Thermodynamics and kinetics of ion exchange. Zeolites. |
| THEME 4. Membranes. | Membranes: definitions. Permeability of porous membranes. Darcy equation. Polimeric membranes. Applications. |

| Planning | | | | |
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| Methodologies / tests | Competencies / Results | Teaching hours (in-person & virtual) | Student's personal work hours | Total hours |
| Guest lecture / keynote speech | A1 A4 A7 | 11 | 22 | 33 |
| Seminar | B1 B3 | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| Supervised projects | A2 A3 B6 C5 | 1 | 10 | 11 |
| Laboratory practice | B7 C3 C1 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| Events academic / information | C8 C9 C11 | 1.5 | 0 | 1.5 |
| Mixed objective/subjective test | B2 B5 | 2.5 | 10 | 12.5 |
| Personalized attention | | 0 | | 0 |

(*)The information in the planning table is for guidance only and does not take into account the heterogeneity of the students.

| Methodologies | |
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| Methodologies | Description |
| Guest lecture / keynote speech | Classroom presentation of the subject |
| Seminar | Solving in detail some selected problems. Any question/clarification that may arise in these sessions will be solved. |
| Supervised projects | Reading and discussion of some research papers on intermolecular forces and nanomaterials. |
| Laboratory practice | Some illustrative experiments on adsorption/ion exchange of selected materials. |



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| Events academic / information | Supplementary activities such as visits to a research laboratory, informative video projections, talks/communications in the faculty or thematic searches on the internet. |
| Mixed objective/subjective test | Examination of subject contents. |

| Personalized attention | |
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| Methodologies | Description |
| Supervised projects | Recoméndase aos alumnos o uso de tutorías individualizadas para resolver todas as dúbidas, cuestións e conceptos que non quedasen claros referentes ao desenvolvemento dos contidos da materia. |
| Seminar | |
| Laboratory practice | <p>As prácticas (de laboratorio e da aula de informática) realizaranse coa presenza constante dos profesores da materia que resolverán persoalmente todas as dúbidas e problemas que poidan xurdir a cada alumno.</p> <p>Horario oficial atención personalizada: martes e xoves de 10 a 13 h.</p> <p>En calquera caso, ao longo da semana, o alumno pode consultar cantas dúbidas lle xurdan en relación coa materia.</p> |

| Assessment | | | |
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| Methodologies | Competencies / Results | Description | Qualification |
| Supervised projects | A2 A3 B6 C5 | Delivery and presentation of a short summary of an article about intermolecular forces/hanomaterials. Assesment competencies: A1,A3,C9 | 5 |
| Seminar | B1 B3 | Delivery of one of the problems proposed in class. Assesment of competencies: B2,B6,,C9 | 10 |
| Laboratory practice | B7 C3 C1 | Compulsory attendance to all laboratory experiments. Assesment competencies: B7 | 10 |
| Mixed objective/subjective test | B2 B5 | Exam of the contents. Assesment competencies: AM1,AM2,AM3, BM2 | 75 |

| Assessment comments | |
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| Sources of information | |
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| Basic | - Rolando M.A., Roque-Malherbe (2010). The Physical Chemistry of Material: Energy and Environmental Applications.. CRC Press - Israelachvili, J. (1991). Intermolecular and surface forces.. Academic Press, 2nd ed. |
| Complementary | |

| Recommendations | |
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| Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before | |
| Subjects that are recommended to be taken simultaneously | |
| Subjects that continue the syllabus | |
| Other comments | |
| Conocimientos previos: licenciados/graduados en Ciencias y/o Ingeniería. | |

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