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How to write a successful research proposal

(Cómo escribir una propuesta de
investigación)



Transversal Activities of Doctorate

Universidad Politécnica de Cartagena

1. General course information			
Name	How to write a successful research proposal		
Level	Doctorate		
Code	300001022		
University	Universidad Politécnica de Cartagena		
Language	English		
ECTS	1	hours / ECTS	10
Total hours			30

2. Lecture data			
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3. Course objectives

The main objective of this course is to develop in students the ability to write a successful research proposal, identifying the main aspects to be considered according with the final objective of the research, either a project, a thesis or a short-stay.

4. Theory programme

Unit 1. Contents of a research proposal.

Unit 2. Types of research proposals:

- a. PhD research proposal.
- b. Research proposal for short-stay
- c. Research proposal for private and public companies.
- d. Proposal for international/national/regional research projects.

5. Practical programme

Write your PhD research proposal, including all the aspects shown in the theoretical material.

6. Hours distribution

Activity	Location	Student work	Hours
Theory programme	On-line	Theory contents	5
		Study of the theory contents	10
Practice	On-line	Practice exercises	5
		Resolution of practice exercises	6
Tutoring	Virtual	Virtual	4
			30