

Course title	THE CLASSICAL WORLD AND THE ORIGINS OF EUROPE: GREECE AND ROME
Credits	6
University	Universidad Complutense de Madrid
Learning outcomes	<p>LO3 Understand how the Classic World has shaped the role of Europe in the world.</p> <p>LO4 Study the Classic World from a multidisciplinary perspective, using different conceptual, theoretical and methodological perspectives.</p> <p>LO 5 Improve English and Spanish language skills through the different activities carried out throughout the course.</p>
Course objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Know the historical origin of the countries that are forming Europe to-day - Understand the historical relevance of the classical heritage for the current knowledge also - Correctly use the historical vocabulary - Know the history of the social relations in West and East - Analyze Europe in relation to its own history: birth, development, and in the future.
Content	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduction to the Greek Heritage 2. The birth of western Democracy 3. The beginning of Philosophy, Economics, and History 4. Aristocracy against Democracy: Sparta and Athens: two great powers in conflict 5. Introduction to the Roman Heritage 6. Rome and the control of the Mediterranean sea 7. Economics, trade and taxes in the Roman Empire 8. Citizenship and political contribution 9. Romans and Barbarians: changes and continuity 10. The rise of Christianity 11. The Christian roots of Europe 12. The birth of Europe 13. The passages to the Medieval Europe.

Work format(s)	<p>Lecture</p> <p>Teaching will consist of a combination of formats i.e. : lectures, hands-on workshops, responsive teaching classes, case reports</p> <p>Students are expected to be present, demonstrate active participation during contact hours and prepare courses in case of responsive teaching sessions</p>
Manner of assessment	<p>Theory Pass: 50%; Practical works and Exercises: 40 %;</p> <p>participation in class: 10 %</p>
Literature (required/recommended)	<p>Readings, multimedia materials</p>