

- 1) Ecología Económica
- 2) 8 Créditos (60 horas)
- 3) Contenido:

Unidad 1: Introducción: Que es la ecología económica?

Temas: Ecosistemas, la Geografía Económica, el Urbanismo y la Economía

Unidad 2: Teoría

Temas: Marxismo, Smith, economía neoclásico, perspectivas culturales, perspectivas procesales, substantivismo y formalismo, regalos y mercancías, geografía económica, desarrollo y dependencia, teoría verde, sostenibilidad

Unidad 3: La Economía: Recursos, Producción, Distribución y Consumo

3.1: Ecología de recursos naturales y sistemas de producción

3.2: Sistemas de Distribución

3.3: Ecología del Hogar

3.4: El Consumo

3.5: La Demografía

3.6: *Carrying Capacity*

Unidad 4: Ecología, Urbanismo y Ordenamiento Territorial

Unidad 5: Desarrollo, Neoliberalismo y El Sistema Global

4-5) Organización

El curso se organiza alrededor de discusiones participativas sobre los temas de las unidades. Durante el cuatrimestre, los alumnos asistirán a dos clases (2 hrs c/u) por semana. En cada clase, los alumnos tendrán una lectura obligada y una serie de lecturas complementarias. Para las lecturas complementarias, se formarán tres o cuatro grupos entre los cuales se dividirán los artículos a exponerse y proporcionar un resumen de 2 cuartillas por artículo a sus compañeros. Estas discusiones serán adicionales a la cátedra a cargo del profesor quien introducirá cada unidad y sus temas con especial atención a conceptos básicos para las discusiones.

Además, cada alumno deberá elaborar y presentar un ensayo sobre un tema de su elección en colaboración con el profesor. El ensayo tiene que formular una pregunta científica (hipótesis) y hacer una prueba con datos publicados en libros, artículos y/o tesis de maestría o doctorado. El ensayo deberá escribirse en el estilo de la revista *Human Ecology* y no deberá ser mayor a 7,500 palabras incluyendo las figuras, tablas y bibliografía.

Finalmente, los alumnos tendrán que presentar un examen al final del cuatrimestre que evaluará su comprensión de conceptos básicos y su conocimiento de las lecturas obligatorias y complementarias. Este examen tomará la forma de un ensayo improvisado sobre 3 temas. Las respuestas tienen que soportarse con

referencia a las lecturas indicando claramente el autor(es) y fecha de publicación (v.g., Steward 1959).

Formas de Evaluación

Resumen semanal	50%
Ensayo final	20%
Examen final	30%

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