## **COURSE OUTLINE**

# (1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	SOCIAL SCIENCES				
ACADEMIC UNIT	DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL TECHNOLOGY AND COMMUNICATION				
LEVEL OF STUDIES	UNDERGRADUATE				
COURSE CODE	POL101	SEMESTER 1 <sup>st</sup>			
COURSE TITLE	INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL HUMANITIES				
if credits are awarded for separate components of the course, e.g. lectures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the credits are awarded for the whole of the course, give the weekly teaching hours and the total credits			WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS		CREDITS
		Lectures	3		6
Add rows if necessary. The organisation of teaching and the teaching methods used are described in detail at (d).					
COURSE TYPE general background, special background, specialised general knowledge, skills development	Core Course/General Backgroundt				
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	None				
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	Greek				
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	Yes				
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	https://eclass.aegean.gr/courses/131423/				

## (2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

#### **Learning outcomes**

The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate level, which the students will acquire with the successful completion of the course are described.

Consult Appendix A

- Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area
- Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B
- Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes

After the completion of the specific course students will be able to:

- Develop a broader understanding of the digital humanities' field.
- Be acquainted with basic theoretical concepts, tools and methods related to the foregoing subject area.
- Understand the changes brought by digitality (as condition, framework of thought and experience) to the disciplines of history, anthropology, archaeology as well as the field of cultural heritage management.
- Understand the essence of cultural information and the basic principles of its organization and management.
- Be able to identify and process the basic terminology of cultural studies, employ effectively different theoretical approaches and develop successfully research tools & methodologies.
- Be able to identify basic principles of cultural theory and communication and combine with the dissemination of cultural information.

• Discover and evaluate the potential in connecting new technologies and culture within the framework established by the scientific field of cultural informatics.

#### **General Competences**

Taking into consideration the general competences that the degree-holder must acquire (as these appear in the Diploma Supplement and appear below), at which of the following does the course aim?

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology Adapting to new situations

Decision-making
Working independently

Team work
Working in an international environment
Working in an interdisciplinary environment

Working in an interdisciplinary environn Production of new research ideas Project planning and management Respect for difference and multiculturalism Respect for the natural environment

Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and

sensitivity to gender issues Criticism and self-criticism

Production of free, creative and inductive thinking

Others...

- Production of new research ideas
- Working in an interdisciplinary environment
- Working in an international environment
- Production of free, creative and inductive thinking
- Criticism and self-criticism.

Case studies: History
Case studies: Archaeology

Case studies: Museology

## (3) SYLLABUS

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In this course the following issues are presented: Introduction to the basic terms and concepts of the digital humanities' field, review of the diachronic changes and transformations of digital media (Archaeology of Media), Documentation- Visualisation- Recording/Storage, Interaction- Ubiquity-Connectivities, Algorithms Kai Al, Ecologies of the 21st century (spatiotemporal restructuring, the redefinition of subjects, the reframing of "sociality"), Memory and digitality, Case studies (History, Archaeology, Museology, Anthropologies of the "digital", Digital Media and Cultural Heritage Management). Lectures: Introduction - Presentation of course objectives - Description of lectures 2. **Defining Digital Humanities** 3. Archaeology of Digital Media 4. Documentation- Visualisation- Recording/Storage 5. Interaction- Ubiquity- Connectivities 6. Algorithms Kai Al 7. Ecologies of the 21st century (spatiotemporal restructuring, the redefinition of subjects, the reframing of "sociality") 8. Memory and digitality

#### (4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

Case Studies: Anthropologies of the "digital"

Case studies: Digital Media and Cultural Heritage Management

DELIVERY	Face-to-face	
Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.		
USE OF INFORMATION AND	Use of ICT in teaching and communication with students.	
COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY		
Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education,		
communication with students		
TEACHING METHODS		

The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail.

Lectures, seminars, laboratory practice, fieldwork, study and analysis of bibliography, tutorials, placements, clinical practice, art workshop, interactive teaching, educational visits, project, essay writing, artistic creativity, etc.

The student's study hours for each learning activity are given as well as the hours of non-directed study according to the principles of the ECTS

Activity	Semester workload		
Lectures	13 *3hours =39hours		
Lectures' study	13*3hours = 39hours		
Preparation of Semester	13*1 hours= 13hours		
Project			
Semester Project	13*3 hours= 39 hours		
Coursetotal	130 hours		

# STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

Description of the evaluation procedure

Language of evaluation, methods of evaluation, summative or conclusive, multiple choice questionnaires, short-answer questions, open-ended questions, problem solving, written work, essay/report, oral examination, public presentation, laboratory work, clinical examination of patient, art interpretation, other

Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given, and if and where they are accessible to students.

The final evaluation is accomplished with a written exam at the end of the semester and with the implementation of a semester project. Students are examined with open notes.

Students learn about the evaluation criteria during the initial course lecture at the beginning of the semester. The evaluation criteria can be found throughout the semester in the course's link in eclass (eclass.aegean.gr).

The evaluation of students is based on the grade of the final written examination in all the taught material at a rate of 60% while the project exercise receives 40% of the final grade.

## (5) ATTACHED BIBLIOGRAPHY

#### - Suggested bibliography:

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- Παπαηλία, Π. & Π. Πετρίδης (2015) Ψηφιακή Εθνογραφία, Εκδόσεις Κάλλιπος.
- Μπιλάλης, Μ. (2015) Το παρελθόν στο Διαδίκτυο: Εικόνα, Τεχνολογία και Ιστορική Κουλτούρα στη σύγχρονη Ελλάδα (1994-2005). Εκδόσεις ΕΜΙΘΙ (Εταιρεία Μελέτης της Ιστοριιογραφίας και της Θεωρίας της Ιστορίας).
- Πεντάζου, Ι. (2019) Ιστορία σε έκθεση: Πρακτικές ψηφιακού σχεδιασμού. Εκδόσεις ΕΑΠ.

## - Συναφή επιστημονικά περιοδικά:

- International Journal of Digital Humanities, Springer
- Digital Scholarship in the Humanities, Oxford University Press
- Digital Humanities Quarterly, Alliance of Digital Humanities Organizations