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Course Unit Program
ELECTIVE III - NATIONAL STRATEGY

Academic Year 2023/2024

1. Organic Unit

Faculty of Law

2. Course

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

3. Cycle

1st

4. Course Unit

ELECTIVE III - NATIONAL STRATEGY (07461)

5. Scientific Area

6. Curricular Year

3rd

7. Type of Curricular Unit / Semester

2nd Semester



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8. Class type and workload (work time)

Theoretical classes:

Practical classes:

Theoretical-Practical Classes 30,00

Tutorial Guidance: 20,00

9. ECTS Credits

6,00

10. Scientific Area Coordinator

11. Regent

Prof. Doutor ANTÓNIO MANUEL FERNANDES DA SILVA RIBEIRO

12. Assistants

13. Teaching Language

Portuguese

14. General Objectives

Provide students with knowledge about Portugal's strategy, from the foundation of nationality to the present, highlighting, in particular, the most striking aspects of diplomatic, economic, military and cultural strategies.

15. Specific Objectives

Provide students with essential knowledge on:

- The external and internal environments, the political objectives, and the modalities of action of the diplomatic, economic, military and cultural strategies, which embody the national strategy of Portugal, from the foundation of nationality to the present day.
- The practical application of the analytical tools of the strategy, to the identification of the constitutive elements of the national strategy in the defined period.

16. Skills to be acquired

Carry out studies on topics related to the national strategy.

Deduce lessons about the diplomatic, economic, military and cultural consequences of the adopted strategies.

Incorporate these lessons into today's general and national strategy-making processes.

17. Teaching Methodology

Theoretical and practical classes, that include mandatory reading, to support open, in-depth and up-to-date discussion, in class, of the various syllabus contents.



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18. Course Unit Program

- 1- Creation of Portugal
- 2- Independence and consolidation
- 3- Maritime expansion
- 4- Loss of independence
- 5- Restoration
- 6- End of Brazil
- 7- African option
- 8- European option

19. Assessment Methods

Continuous assessment in classes;

A mandatory final test and an individual research work, with 15 pages, on a topic chosen by the student, with the approval of the professor.

20. Didactic Resources

Texts/articles/books recommended by the teacher;
Illustrative slides of the classes taught;
Recommended bibliography.

21. Sustainability Objectives

- 1- Increase the number of young people and adults with relevant qualifications, including technical and professional skills for employment, teaching work and entrepreneurship in the area of strategy.
- 2- To promote stability, at national and international level, in compliance with the principles of the UN Charter, the Constitution and the Laws;
- 3- Contribute to responsible, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at a strategic level.

22. Keywords

Estratégia;
Nacional;
Portugal.



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23. Main Bibliography

Author(s): Serrão, Joel
Title: História de Portugal
Edition: 3^a Year: 1979
Local: Lisboa
Publisher: Editorial Verbo

Author(s): Selvagem, Carlos
Title: Portugal Militar
Edition: 2^a Year: 1991
Local: Lisboa
Publisher: Imprensa nacional Casa da Moeda

Author(s): Macedo, Borges de
Title: História Diplomática Portuguesa
Edition: Year: 1987
Local: Lisboa
Publisher: Instituto de Defesa Nacional

24. Complementary Bibliography

Author(s): Birmingham, David
Title: História de Portugal, uma perspectiva mundial
Edition: Year: 1998
Local: Lisboa
Publisher: Terramar

Author(s): Viana, V.
Title: A evolução do conceito estratégico nacional, da Fundação ao Estado Novo
Edition: Year: 1996
Local: Lisboa
Publisher: Instituto de Altos Estudos Militares



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