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### Coordinating unit
205 - ESEIAAT - Terrassa School of Industrial, Aerospace and Audiovisual Engineering

### Teaching unit
732 - OE - Department of Management

### Academic year
2018

### Degree
- BACHELOR’S DEGREE IN AEROSPACE VEHICLE ENGINEERING (Syllabus 2010). (Teaching unit Optional)
- BACHELOR’S DEGREE IN AEROSPACE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING (Syllabus 2010). (Teaching unit Optional)

### ECTS credits
3

### Teaching languages
English

### Coordinator
Oriol Lordan

### Teaching methodology
The course is divided into four parts:
- **Theory sessions**
- **Activity sessions**
- **Project sessions**
- **Self-study**

In the theory sessions (in the classroom), lecturers will introduce the theoretical basis of the concepts and methods behind UAVs and illustrate them with examples appropriate to facilitate their understanding.

In the activity sessions (in the classroom), lecturers will guide students in applying theoretical concepts to develop a foldable quadcopter.

In the project sessions (in the classroom), students will apply the theoretical concepts to the project.

The course is hands on orientated through the activity and project sessions.

Students, independently, will need to work on the materials provided by lecturers in order to develop the project. The lecturers provide the syllabus and monitoring of activities (by ATENEA).

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### Study load

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# 220142 - Uav Research & Development

## Content

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**Description:**
Introduction to different type of UAVs

**Related activities:**
- Activity 1
- Project, part 1

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**Description:**
Describe the UAVs manufacture methods, in particular 3D printing

**Related activities:**
- Activity 2
- Project, part 2

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**Description:**
Design, 3D print and assemble a foldable drone

**Related activities:**
- Project, part 3

## Qualification system

The final grade depends on the following assessment criteria:

- Activity 1, weight: 20%
- Activity 2, weight: 20%
- Project, part 1: weight: 20%
- Project, part 2: weight: 20%
- Project, part 3: weight: 20%

As there are no written tests, there won't be any exam to retake.