



### Regarding the end of the academic year and exams

Dear students,

As you know, the suspension of in-person academic activity by order of the authorities is still in force as we continue to curb the spread of the coronavirus. We know that this situation worries you as it may affect the end of the academic year and the way in which the exams of the class attendance programs for this 2019-2020 year will be carried out.

In line with the recommendations of the **Ministry of Universities**, and in order to provide you with peace of mind and certainty, we clarify how this academic year will end to the best of our ability, as we are subject, like everyone else, to the evolution of the pandemic and government decisions.

- **End of classes.** We confirm that **classes for the second semester will end as scheduled, on May 14**, since you have not missed any days thanks to the migration to remote modality. As it is less than a month away, and it is not foreseeable that the in-person activity will be reopened, the rest of **classes until the end of the semester will be taught remotely**, unless the government authorities allows us to return to the campus earlier.
- **100% practical content.** Contents that are exclusively practical in nature, and are impossible to transmit virtually and cannot be supplemented by any other type of training, as well as those that your professors consider to require reinforcement once in-person normalcy has been restored, will be **taught in person when the authorities allows it, within the 2020 year and logially without paying any additional cost.**
- **Exams.** The ordinary exams will be from **May 18 to 30**. The extraordinary call for subjects of the first semester will be held from **June 15 to 26**, and the extraordinary call for subjects of the second semester from **July 1 to 14**, as scheduled. **They will be taken remotely, unless the governmental authority allows for them to be held at our campus.**

Each professor will convey to his/her students the specific characteristics of the remote assessment test for their subject. In all cases, whether they are taken remotely or in person if the authorities authorize it, the University will maintain its level of rigor whenever possible, taking into account the circumstances. For the remote modality, the examinees' identity will be checked, and the integrity of the test and the examination environment will be controlled with all possible means, thus ensuring its full validity and effectiveness for the purposes of your academic records.

We take this opportunity, once again, to **congratulate you on the great effort you are making to continue studying** and training in these exceptional circumstances. Thank you very much for your determination, which will surely be reflected in the results of the final assessments.

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