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## Description

The European Union (EU) is a geopolitical entity that covers a large part of the European continent. It is a unique economic and political association in the world, made up of 27 countries. The common principles and values underlying life in the EU are: freedom, democracy, equality and the rule of law, and the promotion of peace and stability.

The seven European institutions, the eight EU bodies and more than thirty decentralized agencies spread throughout the Union. They all work together to address the common interests of the Union and European citizens.

Having a clear vision of the organization of these European Institutions and knowing where to look for information can help to make the most of the available resources and understand their operation a little better.

## Objectives and learning results

- Have an overview of what is the European Union.
- Know the Institutions and Bodies of the European Union.
- Know the main sources of information on European issues.

## Content

- Definition. What is and how the European Union is structured.
- Priorities of the European Union for the period 2024-2029.
- European Documentation Center of the URV.
- Main sources of information on the European Union: web resources and specialized databases.

## Methodology

Presentation in Power Point.

Online presentation of the different web resources and databases where you can find information about the European Union.

[European Documentation Center URV: Index](#) available in Catalan, Spanish and English.

[European Union resource guide](#) available in Catalan, Spanish and English.

## Assessment and certification

To obtain the certificate of attendance it is necessary to attend 80% of the session and answer the final satisfaction survey. The certificate will be received by email.