

Student Alumni Association





ASSOCIATION OF STUDENTS AND PERMANENT UNIVERSITY ALUMNI OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ALICANTE

380 MEMBERS (71% Women - 29% Men)

The Association of Students and Permanent University Alumni of the University of Alicante (AAUP) was founded in May 2001 as a public university association linked to public university with the following basic purposes:

- Promoting adult training in collaboration with the University of Alicante.
- Developing cultural activities.
- Promoting intergenerational relations.
- Promoting volunteer activities.

 Cooperating with public-private institutions in order to meet these goals.
http://web.ua.es/en/upua/aaup



OBJECTIVES

- Organizing and developing cultural activities (courses, seminars, conferences, meetings, cultural trips, exhibitions, recitals).
- Helping to improve the Permanent University of the University of Alicante.
- Encouraging intergenerational relations.
- Promoting and improving the relations among the students of the Permanent University of the University of Alicante.
- Encouraging the relations between the students of the University Programs for Seniors at a national and international level.
- Promoting volunteer activities.
- Spreading information of interest to the Permanent University students and alumni.
- Collaborating with other associations of the University of Alicante as well as with other entities and associations.



ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT

- Cultural and informative courses and seminars.
- Contests: writing, photography, theatre, music, choral.
- Cultural and educational trips.
- Volunteer activities.
- Workshops.
- Research: lead by UA professors in the framework of the UA or Grundtvig UE projects.
- Updating the AAUP web site.
- LA PERMANENTE magazine.
- Presence and activity in Social Networks.
- Contribution to Active Citizenship and Social Engagement.



• XI SUMMER COURSES:

- CULTURAL CHINA
- HOW TO KEEP A GOOD MOOD EVERY DAY
- CONTEMPORARY PAINTERS FROM ALICANTE





• SEMINARS:

- THE CAROLINGIAN EMPIRE
 - Trip to:
 - Brussels, Luxembourg, Aachen, Volendam and Marken, Amsterdam.
 - Copenhagen:
 - Frederiksborg
 - Kronborg.





• AUTUMNS Writing and photography contest:







• INSTRUMENTALIA IX:

 A forum to enjoy music in an educational way. On this occasion, different flamenco styles along with poems from Lorcas' *Gipsy Ballads*, accompanied by Baldomero Amador's guitar and narrated by Javier Serrano.





• OUTINGS:

- VALL DE LA GALLINERA.
- COCENTAINA and ALCOY.
- CARTAGENA.









• TRIPS:

- Saragossa "TOURISM AND HEALTH".
- Burgos "Cultural trip".
- Alsace "End of year trip".
- Madrid "Cultural trip"

• VISITS:

- Exhibitions:
 - MUGAG
 - MACA.







Collaboration with the UPUA theatre group.





Participation in the Summer course:
Social Integration through active ageing...

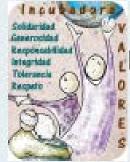
Participation in the I International Symposium
on Active Ageing and Intergenerational
Solidarity: Keys to Active Ageing.





- Participation in the I Congress on Active Ageing and International Solidarity (Valencia).
- Collaboration with the Permanent University of the University of Alicante.
- Celebration of the day of UPUA's patron Saint Martin of Leon (Santo Martino).
- Welcoming Fair to the University of Alicante.
- Open day.





Incubator of Values

Permanent University of the UA Students Initiatives

The UPUA currently organises the following initiatives, which any student can attend/collaborate with:

Practical Solidarity Activities EuCoNet Club Book crossing Conversations at the Sede Seniors and Mass Media Solidarity Poetry "Verse by Verse" Trails

http://www.universidadpermanente.com/iniciativas/en

Research Grundtvig UE projects













ACTIVITIES WEB SITE: <u>http://web.ua.es/en/upua/aaup</u>

- Our Association webpage's design and updating can be divided into the following categories:
 - Presentation of the Association and News.
 - ✓ Current list of members, newsletter.
 - Planned activities and memory of the activities carried out.
 - ✓ UPUA's magazine.
 - ✓ Photographs of our activities.
 - ✓ Cultural trips.
 - ✓ Meetings.
 - ✓ AUTUMNS:
 - ✓ Writing contest.
 - Photography contest.





• UPUA's magazine:

• Managed and elaborated by the Association's own members:













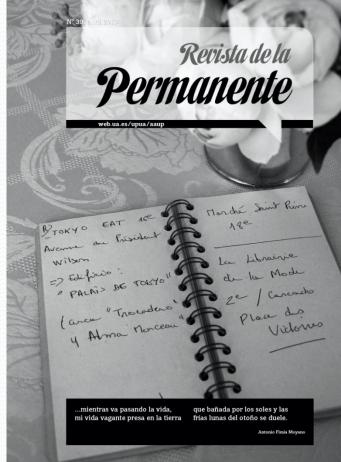














FACEBOOK:



http://www.rtve.es/alacarta/videos/para-todos-la-2/para-todos-2---debate--vejez/1329640/

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UNIVERSITY PROGRAMMES FOR OLDER ADULTS IN SPAIN, CONTRIBUTING THIS WAY TO SENIORS' EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

- The AAUP, is linked to the studies carried out by over 50 year old seniors in the PERMANENT UNIVERSITY (UA): web.ua.es/en/upua
- SCIENTIFIC, CULTURAL AND SOCIAL PROGRAMME OF THE UA
- **OBJECTIVES**:
 - promotion of science, culture and inter-generational relationships
 - improving older generation's quality of life
 - encouraging their active participation in dynamic social and community activities

SPAIN'S NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY PROGRAMMES FOR OLDER ADULTS – AEPUM

http://www.aepumayores.org/en

AIMS:

- To structure and promote university educational programmes (43 centres)
- To contribute to older adults' training and cultural development (40.000 adults)
- To promote and develop dialogue and communication between Universities, Public Administrations and the private sector
- To create a meeting point for everyone interested in lifelong learning (institutional web page)

