

# **MASTER'S DEGREE RESERVOIR GEOLOGY AND GEOPHYSICS**

**UB-UAB**

## **REGULATIONS FOR THE MASTER'S DEGREE FINAL PROJECT - SUPPLEMENT**

### **1. Confidentiality issues in the Final Master Project**

The Final Master Projects that are entitled to data protection agreements and/or knowledge and technology transfer agreements must be communicated in written form to the academic coordinator.

All Final Master Projects must be presented and defended in public sessions, unless the project content is subject to restrictions deriving from data protection agreements and/or knowledge and technology transfer agreements. In such cases, subject to approval by the coordinator, the project tutor(s) and the student, the presentation and defense can be carried out in a closed session.

The examination panel members, the academic coordinator and the tutor must treat the content of these projects with the strictest confidentiality and can be required to sign an agreement to this effect, covering the period during which the information remains protected. Confidentiality agreements will be kept by the administrative offices of the Facultat de Ciències de la Terra of the Universitat de Barcelona or the Departament de Geologia of the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona. A copy of the agreement will be provided to the student or tutor(s) if they ask so. Agreements should be handed to the administrative offices before the first oral presentation.

The members of the examination panels must have access to the complete version of the Final Master Project with all the information and data necessary to judge the interpretations and conclusions of the work, having the duty to keep the secret and confidentiality of the contents.

In the case of Final Master Projects entitled to data protection agreements and/or knowledge and technology transfer agreements, only an encrypted or abridged version of the work will be published in the institutional repository. Upon the expiration of the protection process, of which the student should inform the Universitat de Barcelona, this version can be substituted by the complete one.