

a) General			
<i>School</i>	ENGINEERING		
<i>Academic unit</i>	MECHANICAL ENGINEERING		
<i>Level of studies</i>	Undergraduate		
<i>Course code</i>	MM108Y01	<i>Semester</i>	8
<i>Course title</i>	Smart energy buildings		
<i>Independent teaching activities</i>	<i>Weekly teaching hours</i>	<i>ECTS</i>	
Lectures	3	6.0	
Laboratory exercises	2		
<i>Course type</i>	Knowledge deepening/consolidation		
<i>Course category</i>	Compulsory for Direction 1		
<i>Prerequisite courses</i>	-		
<i>Language of instruction and examinations</i>	Greek / English		
<i>Is the course offered to Erasmus students</i>	Yes		
<i>Course website (url)</i>	https://moodle.uniwa.gr/course/view.php?id=1239		
b) Learning outcomes and general competences			
b1. Learning outcomes			
<p>Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Identify the main characteristics of smart energy buildings - Identify the basic mechanisms of building energy consumption - Identify building elements that require energy upgrade - Apply techniques and technologies that determine a building to be smart-energy - Evaluate different options for the energy upgrade of buildings - Apply the legislation in force concerning building energy consumption 			
b2. General competences			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Data collection, synthesis, analysis and evaluation - Decision - making - Teamwork - Environmental responsibility - Production of free, creative and inductive thinking 			
c) Syllabus			
<p>Theory: Legislation and regulation on building energy performance; energy audit instruments and devices; electrical/thermal energy consumption audit; audit of building's electromechanical installations' performance; bioclimatic design; operation principles of passive solar systems; interventions for improving building energy performance; natural ventilation principles; buildings' thermal comfort conditions estimation indices; methodology for the assessment of comfort conditions in the interior of buildings; building energy audit with the use of appropriate devices and software; energy audit technical reporting; energy design of new buildings.</p> <p>Lab: Building energy audit equipment; energy audits' legislative framework; measuring energy parameters of building operation; energy audit of building envelope; energy audit of the central heating system; air conditioning energy audit; recording of energy parameters; application of energy-saving measures; energy performance software applications.</p>			
d) Teaching and learning methods - Evaluation			
Delivery	Face - to - face (classroom lectures, lab)		

Use of information and communications technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Commercial/free/open-source software - Multimedia applications - MS Teams/Moodle/e-class 	
Teaching methods	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Semester workload</i>
	Lectures	26
	Tutorials	13
	Laboratory exercises	26
	Computational exercises	13
	Individual work	78
	Course total	156
Student performance evaluation	<p>For the theoretical part of the module, individual and/or group assignments and presentation of the assignments. A written final exam that includes short-answer questions and solving of numerical problems.</p> <p>For the lab part of the module, individual and/or group assignments and written or oral exam or presentation, for each assignment and case study.</p>	
e) Suggested bibliography		
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