

a) General			
<i>School</i>	ENGINEERING		
<i>Academic unit</i>	MECHANICAL ENGINEERING		
<i>Level of studies</i>	Undergraduate		
<i>Course code</i>	MM207E02	<i>Semester</i>	7
<i>Course title</i>	<b>Advanced machining technology</b>		
<i>Independent teaching activities</i>	<i>Weekly teaching hours</i>		<i>ECTS</i>
Lectures	2		4.0
Laboratory exercises	2		
<i>Course type</i>	Knowledge deepening/consolidation		
<i>Course category</i>	Compulsory Elective for Direction 2		
<i>Prerequisite courses</i>	-		
<i>Language of instruction and examinations</i>	Greek		
<i>Is the course offered to Erasmus students</i>	No		
<i>Course website (url)</i>	<a href="http://triblab.puas.gr">http://triblab.puas.gr</a>		
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"> <li>- Recognize and select cutting tools and fluids, suitable for different machining processes and materials' grades.</li> <li>- Predict the cutting surface quality based on machining parameters, via advanced statistics techniques (Taguchi, Artificial Neural Networks).</li> <li>- Evaluate per material grade, the morphology and characteristics of the removed material, in order to propose optimisation actions (e.g. chemical composition differentiation) that could lead to machinability amelioration.</li> </ul>			
b2. General competences			
<p>Upon completion of the course, the students would develop, also, general competences, concerning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Search, extraction, analysis and synthesis of scientific data and knowledge, using screening of large scientific databases.</li> <li>- Decision making capabilities on the particular items of cutting tools and fluids, as well as process parameters selection.</li> <li>- Understanding the requirements for generic approaches in a worldwide environment.</li> <li>- Project planning and management.</li> <li>- Capability of performing individual- and team-working case studies.</li> <li>- Ability to conceive the multi-disciplinary character of various engineering applications.</li> </ul>			
c) Syllabus			
<p>This course is focused on providing deeper knowledge on conventional material removal techniques, based on the use of cutting tools of specific geometry that operate under simple or multiple contact with the workpiece. In this perspective, special emphasis is given in the Merchant theory for the calculation of the forces developed at the cutting neighbourhood, the techniques for direct and indirect evaluation of the machining process, as well as the effects of primary and secondary motion on the process stability. Finally, the morphology and the characteristics of the removed material are used for the optimisation of the cutting tools lifetime per machined material grade.</p>			
d) Teaching and learning methods - Evaluation			

Delivery	Lectures of theory and laboratory exercises face-to-face, within the classroom.	
Use of information and communications technology	Teaching using ICT, Laboratory education using ICT and experimental devices, communication and electronic submission	
Teaching methods	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Semester workload</i>
	Lectures	26
	Tutorials	
	Laboratory exercises	26
	Computational exercises	
	Individual work	78
	Course total	130
Student performance evaluation	Theory: Intermediate assessment and written final examination. Laboratory: evaluation of practical skills and multiple-choice exams.	
e) Suggested bibliography		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Kalpakjian, S. and Schmid, S. (2014). Manufacturing Engineering &amp; Technology (7th edition). Pearson Editions.</li> <li>2. Schey, J.A. (2000). Introduction to Manufacturing Processes. McGraw-Hill Education.</li> <li>3. Handbook of Workability and Process Design (2003). G.E. Dieter, H.A. Kuhn, S.L. Semiatin (editors), ASM International.</li> </ol>		