

Organic Chemistry Laboratory

1. GENERAL			
SCHOOL	Faculty of Sciences in collaboration with Faculty of Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki		
DEPARTMENT	Materials Science and Engineering		
LEVEL OF STUDIES	ISCED level 7 (5-year Integrated Master's programme) ISCED level 6 (4-year BSc programme)		
COURSE CODE	MSEN 302	SEMESTER	2rd Semester
COURSE TITLE	Organic Chemistry Laboratory		
TEACHING ACTIVITIES	TEACHING HOURS PER WEEK	ECTS CREDITS	
Lectures, tutorials/problem sessions, laboratory/computer exercises (where applicable), case studies and guided self-study.			
	Lectures: 1 Lab work: 3 Total: 4	6	
COURSE TYPE	Background and Scientific Area, Skill Development		
PREREQUISITES	No prerequisites		
TEACHING AND EXAMINATION METHODS	English		
COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	Yes		
COURSE URL	https://elearning.auth.gr/course/view.php?id=xxxxx		

2. LEARNING OUTCOMES	
Learning Outcomes	<p>By the end of this course, students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the concept of organic molecules, materials, their properties and synthesis Design the synthesis and retrosynthesis of organic molecules as precursors of organic materials Practice on common reactions for organic materials synthesis. Practice on spectroscopy and chromatography for structure determination of organic compounds and materials.
General Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applying knowledge in practice Searching, analyzing and synthesizing data and information, using the necessary spectroscopic and analytic technologies Decision-making Independent work Teamwork Generate new research ideas Promoting free, creative and inductive thinking

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Modeling and solving real-world problems • Working in a multidisciplinary environment
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3. COURSE CONTENT

Laboratory exercises

1. Hydrolysis of methyl ester and isolation of benzoic acid with recrystallization technique.
2. Synthesis of benzoic methyl ester. Separation with acid/base extraction technique.
3. Photochemical synthesis of benzopinacol. Radical dimerization process.
4. Aldol Condensation for organic material synthesis: Synthesis of conjugated enones.
5. Pericyclic reactions. Synthesis of polyaromatic materials with cycloaddition reaction.
6. Characterization of organic precursors of materials using NMR spectroscopy.
7. Structure determination of organic materials: Combination of spectroscopy with chromatography.

4. LEARNING & TEACHING METHODS - EVALUATION

Teaching method	Face-to-face.														
Use of ICT	<p>Use of ICT in Course Teaching, Use of ICT in Laboratory Teaching, Use of ICT in Communication with Students</p> <p>Description: Use of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) in teaching the course with tools of modern distance learning (ZOOM) and asynchronous education (eclass).</p> <p>Use of learning aids based on ICT: Excel, Word</p> <p>Use of ICT in student assessment: Electronic grading (eclass, universis).</p> <p>Use of ICT in communication with students: eclass, email, ZOOM.</p>														
Teaching organization	<p>The supervised and unsupervised workload per activity is indicated below (total workload complies with ECTS standards).</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Activity</th> <th>Workload/semester (hours)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Lectures</td> <td>13</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Bibliographic written, research and problem solving</td> <td>44</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Laboratory exercises</td> <td>39</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Writing of Assignments</td> <td>52</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Exams</td> <td>2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>150</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Activity	Workload/semester (hours)	Lectures	13	Bibliographic written, research and problem solving	44	Laboratory exercises	39	Writing of Assignments	52	Exams	2	Total	150
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Student evaluation	<p>Assessment Language: English</p> <p>Assessment Methods: Written assignment, Problem Solving, Laboratory report, Written exams</p>														

5. SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

EUDOXUS

«A Small-Scale Approach to Organic Laboratory Techniques» Ed. Donald L. Pavia, Gary M. Lampman, George S. Kriz, Randall G. Engel, 4th Edition, 2015, ISBN 130544602X, 9781305446021

Additional bibliography for study

- Teaching material slides