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## COURSE RECORD

COURSE RECORD								
Code	ARCH 528							
Name	Use of Natural Stones in Architecture							
Hour per week	3 (3+0)							
Credit	3							
ECTS	7							
Level/Year	Graduate							
Semester	SPRING							
Type	Elective							
Location								
Prerequisites								
Special Conditions								
Coordinator(s)	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Müge AKIN							
Webpage								
Content	A significant part of the historical buildings were built using natural building stones. In this context, subjects such as the usage areas of natural building							
	stones. In this context, subjects such as the usage areas of natural building stones, determination of the physical and mechanical properties of these rocks,							
	standards for natural building stones, deterioration of the building stones in the							
	course of time and the renewal of natural building stones used in buildings that							
	have historical significance and have lost their initial features with the effect of							
	deterioration are of great importance for architecture. For this reason, it is							
	aimed to provide information with an interdisciplinary approach for those who							
	are interested in the topics specified in this course.							
Objectives								
Objectives	To provide basic information on the assessment of deterioration in natural							
	building stones							
	<ul> <li>To emphasize the issues to be considered in the selection of natural building</li> </ul>							
	stones							
	<ul> <li>Contributing to the renewal of natural building stones</li> </ul>							
Learning	LO1 Investigation of the properties of natural building stones depending on							
Outcomes	interdisciplinary approaches							
	LO2 Examining the structures constructed using natural building stones							
	LO3 Investigation and analyzes of the deterioration effects in natural building							
	stones							
	LO4 Designing the issues to be considered in the selection of natural building							
	stones in renovation projects							
Reading List	• Siegfried Siegesmund, Rolf Snethlage, 2014. Stone in Architecture Properties,							
	Durability, Springer-Verlag Berlin Heidelberg. doi.org/10.1007/978-3-642-							
	45155-3.							
	• Smith, M.R., 2000. Stone: Building stone, rock fill and armourstone in							
	construction. Quarterly Journal of Engineering Geology and							
	Hydrogeology 33(2):176-176. doi: 10.1144/qjegh.33.2.176.							
Ethical Rules and								
Course Policy								

## LEARNING ACTIVITIES

Activities	Number	Weight (%)
Lecture	3	25%
Group Works	6	25%
Presentations	4	25%
Site Visits	2	25%
	Total	100

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#### **ASSESSMENT**

Evaluation Criteria	Weight (%)
Quizzes	10%
Weekly Assignments	10%
Group Project Assignments & Presentations	20%
Midterm submission	20%
Final project	40%
	Total 100%

For a detailed description of grading policy and scale, please refer to the website <a href="https://goo.gl/HbPM2y section 28">https://goo.gl/HbPM2y section 28</a>.

## **COURSE LOAD**

Activity	Duration	Quantity	Work Load	
	(hour)		(hour)	
In class activities	2	14	28	
Lab	1	7	7	
Group work	4	12	48	
Research (web, library)	3	12	36	
Required Readings	2	10	20	
Pre-work for Presentation	3	7	21	
Lab reports-technical trip	2	7	14	
		General Sum	174	

ECTS: 7 (Work Load/25-30)

#### **CONTRIBUTION TO PROGRAMME OUTCOMES\***

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	P01	PO2	PO3	P04	PO5	P06	P07	P08	P09	PO10	P011	PO12
L01	5	2	5	3	2	4	5	5	4	4	3	4
LO2	3	1	4	4	2	5	4	3	5	3	1	3
LO3	3	1	4	5	4	3	3	3	3	2	2	3
L04	5	3	3	5	3	4	3	3	5	2	2	2

<sup>\*</sup> Contribution Level: 0: None, 1: Very Low, 2: Low, 3: Medium, 4: High, 5: Very High

### **WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

W	Topic	Outcomes
1	Introduction	LO1
2	Natural Charac	1.02
Z	Natural Stones	LO2
3	Physico-mechanical properties of natural stones	LO2
	(observing in the laboratory)	<del></del>
4	Physico-mechanical properties of natural stones	LO2
5	Determination of physico-mechanical properties of natural stones using	L02, L03
J	laboratory tests	LO2, LO3
	(observing in the laboratory)	<u> </u>
6	Classification of natural stones based on application areas	L02
	(discussion groups)	
7	Related standards	L03
	(discussion about the approaches in the standards)	
8	Natural stones used in historical structures	L03, L04
	(presentation-group work)	
9	Natural stones used in historical structures	LO3, LO4
	(technical trip-group work)	
10	Deterioration of natural stones	LO2, LO3, LO4

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11	Deterioration of natural stones	LO2, LO3, LO4
	(presentation-group work)	<u>.</u>
12	Natural stones for structures-examples	LO1, LO2, LO3,
	(presentation-group work)	LO4
13	Natural stones for structures-examples	LO1, LO3, LO4
	(presentation-group work)	<u> </u>
14	Renovation of natural stones in historical structures	LO3, LO4
	(presentation-group work)-(final project)	<u>-</u>

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