

**ABDULLAH GÜL UNIVERSITY  
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE  
ADVANCED MATERIALS AND NANOTECHNOLOGY MSc. PROGRAM  
COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Course Name	Code	Semester	T+P Hour	Credit	ECTS
Membrane Technology	AMN 550	FALL - SPRING	3 + 0	3	10

**Prerequisite Courses** -

<b>Type of the Course</b>	Selective
<b>Language of Instruction</b>	English
<b>Coordinator of the Course</b>	Assist. Prof. İlker ERDEM
<b>Lecturer(s) of the Course</b>	Assist. Prof. İlker ERDEM
<b>Assisting Personnel</b>	-
<b>Objective of the Course</b>	Introduction of fundamentals on properties, preparation, utilization and characterization of membranes which can be used for versatile applications like separation, purification, concentration
<b>Learning Outcomes</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Learning types of membranes and their utilization in different applications</li> <li>2. Learning raw materials of membranes</li> <li>3. Learning properties of membranes</li> <li>4. Learning techniques used for characterization of technical properties of membranes</li> <li>5. Learning utilization of membranes for different purposes</li> </ol>
<b>Course Content</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of types of membranes and their application areas,</li> <li>• Introduction of structure of membranes,</li> <li>• Introduction of processing techniques for membranes,</li> <li>• Introduction of characteristics of membranes,</li> <li>• Introduction of characterization methods for membranes,</li> <li>• Introduction of technological applications for various membrane types</li> </ul>

**SUBJECTS, PRELIMINARY PREPARATIONS AND POST-LECTURE ACTIVITIES**

Week	Subjects	Practice
1	<b>Introduction:</b> Membranes and their technologic importance	
2	<b>The types of membranes and their application areas:</b> Polymer, ceramic and metal membranes and their applications	
3	<b>The structure of membranes:</b> The materials used in different membranes and their structures	
4	<b>The structure of membranes:</b> The materials used in different membranes and their structures	
5	<b>Processing techniques for membranes:</b> Preparation of membranes via different raw materials	
6	<b>Processing techniques for membranes:</b> Preparation of membranes via different raw materials	
7	<b>Characteristics of membranes:</b> Porosity, permeability, separation/retention efficiency	
8	<b>Characteristics of membranes:</b> Porosity, permeability, separation/retention efficiency	
9	<b>Characterization of membranes:</b> Permeability determination methods, microscopic characterization techniques, etc.	
10	<b>Midterm</b>	
11	<b>Characterization of membranes:</b> Permeability	

	determination methods, microscopic characterization techniques, etc.	
12	<b>Different applications of membranes:</b> Dialysis, pressure-driven filtration applications (micro-, ultra-, nano-filtration, reverse osmosis) techniques and their utilization in different industries.	
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15	<b>Different applications of membranes:</b> Dialysis, pressure-driven filtration applications (micro-, ultra-, nano-filtration, reverse osmosis) techniques and their utilization in different industries.	

### SOURCES/REFERENCES

<b>Course Notes</b>	The notes and the slides of the course
<b>Other References</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M. Cheryan, "Ultrafiltration and Microfiltration Handbook", 2nd Ed., CRC Press, 1998.</li> <li>• K. Li, "Ceramic Membranes for Separation and Reaction", John Wiley &amp; Sons Ltd., West Sussex, 2007.</li> <li>• R.R. Bhawe, "Inorganic Membranes Synthesis, Characteristics and Applications", Van Nostrand Reinhold, NY, 1991.</li> <li>• A. I. Schafer, A. G. Fane, T. D. Waite, "Nanofiltration – Principles and Applications", Elsevier, 2005.</li> <li>• c</li> </ul>

### MATERIAL SHARING

<b>Documents</b>	The lecturing slides of the course are shared on canvas or another online application
<b>Homeworks</b>	The homeworks are shared on canvas or another online application.
<b>Exams</b>	
<b>Projects</b>	

### EVALUATION METHODS

IN-TERM ACTIVITIES	QUANTITY	WEIGHT, %
Midterm Exam	1	30
Homework	4	5
Term Project	1	25
Final Exam	1	40
<b>TOTAL</b>		100
<b>Effect of in-term Activities on Success</b>		60
<b>Effect of Final Exam on Success</b>		40
<b>TOTAL</b>		100

### Course Category

Basic Sciences and Mathematics	
Engineering Sciences	X
Social Sciences	

### RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN LEARNING OUTCOMES OF THE COURSE WITH THE QUALIFICATIONS OF THE PROGRAM

No	Program Qualifications	Contribution Level
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		1	2	3	4	5
1	PQ1. Ability of Working Independently and Taking Responsibility				X	
2	PQ2. Learning Competence				X	
3	PQ3. Communication and Social Activity				X	
4	PQ4. Field-specific Competence					X

\*from 1 to 5 the score increases.

<b>ECTS / WORK LOAD TABLE</b>			
Activities	Activities	Duration (Hour)	Total Work Load (Hour)
Lectures (including exam week: 16x total lecture hours)	15	3	45
Midterm Exam (Preparation)	1	35	35
Final Exam (Preparation)	1	45	45
Homeworks	4	10	40
Repetition of the Topics	14	5	70
Report Preparation for Term Project	1	40	40
Presentation Preparation for Term Project	1	20	20
<b>Total Work Load</b>			295
<b>Total Work Load / 30</b>			9.83
<b>ECTS Credits</b>			10