

COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD – SPECIMEN

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering									
Field of study	Biomedical Engineering							Degree level and program type	MSc degree
Specialization/ diploma path								Study profile	General academic
Course name	Advanced biomaterials and research methods							Course code	MYIB2S0106
								Course type	obligatory
Forms and number of hours of tuition	L	C	LC	P	SW	FW	S	Semester	1
	30		30					No. of ECTS credits	5
Entry requirements	Basic knowledge of biomaterials								
Course objectives	Familiarizing students with the contemporary achievements in biomaterials engineering and their development trends. Teaching a strategy for the selection of biomaterials. Developing the principles and skills of planning biomaterials research.								
Course content	Lecture: Classification and requirements for biomaterials. Contemporary achievements in biomaterials engineering: biomimetics, nanotechnology, intelligent materials, biomaterials for tissue and genetic engineering, biomaterials used in the construction of artificial heart, stents for minimally invasive surgery, and plastic surgery. Review of modern biomaterials used in medicine (orthopedics, dentistry, cardiac surgery, laryngology, ophthalmology, and neuroprosthetics). Formation and role of biofilm. Advanced methods of biomaterials research (In vivo and in vitro biocompatibility studies. Methods of structural research: scanning, transmission and atomic force microscopy, photoelectron spectroscopy, X-ray structural studies, computed microtomography. Research on physicochemical and rheological properties of biomaterials.) Trends in the development of biomaterials. Laboratory: Health and Safety Rules. Preparation of model biological fluids. Chemical synthesis of silver nanoparticles, Investigation of biofilm on the surface of selected biomaterials. Research on the shape memory alloys. Contact angle analysis for hydrophobic and hydrophilic biomaterials. SEM and computed microtomography investigations, Electrolytic oxidation of titanium implantation alloys.								
Teaching methods	Presentations, laboratory classes, and self-learning								
Assessment method	Lecture – written test, Laboratory classes – evaluation of reports/test								
Symbol of learning	Learning outcomes							Reference to the learning outcomes for	

outcome		the field of study	
	The student knows and understands:		
LO1	classifies and characterizes the basic groups of biomaterials	IB2_W02	
LO2	describes contemporary achievements in biomaterials engineering	IB2_W02, IB2_W07	
LO3	physical bases of advanced research methods	IB2_W01, IB2_W02	
	Student can:		
LO4	present examples of advanced biomaterials in medical applications	IB2_U04	
LO5	plan and conduct biomaterials research and interpret measurement results	IB2_U06	
LO6	The student is prepared to:		
LO6	analyze and critically evaluate the substantive content of advanced biomaterials and their research methods	IB2_K01	
Symbol of learning outcome	Methods of assessing the learning outcomes	Type of tuition during which the outcome is assessed	
LO1	test	L	
LO2	test	L	
LO3	Test, evaluation of reports, discussion, and observation of work during laboratory classes	L, LC	
LO4	evaluation of reports, discussion, and observation of work during laboratory classes	LC	
LO5	evaluation of reports, discussion/test, and observation of work during laboratory classes	LC	
LO6	evaluation of reports, discussion/test, and observation of work during laboratory classes	L, LC	
Student workload (in hours)		No. of hours	
Calculation	lecture attendance	30	
	participation in laboratory classes	30	
	preparation for passing the lecture test	30	
	Test attendance	2	
	preparation for laboratory classes	13	
	working on projects, reports, etc.	15	
	participation in student-teacher sessions related to the project	5	
	TOTAL:	125	
Quantitative indicators		HOURS	No. of ECTS credits
Student workload – activities that require direct teacher participation		65	2,6
Student workload – practical activities		63	2,5
Basic references	1. Leo D.J., Engineering analysis of smart material systems. John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Hoboken, New Jersey, 2007. 2. Ma P.X., Elisseeff J., Scaffolding in tissue engineering. Taylor & Francis Group, Boca		

	<p>Raton-London-New York, 2006.</p> <p>3. Venina dos Santos, Rosmary Nichele Brandalise, Michele Savaris, Engineering of Biomaterials, Springer, 2017</p> <p>4. Brahim Attaf. Advances in composite materials for medicine and nanotechnology. InTech, Rijeka, 2011</p>	
Supplementary references	<p>1. Schulz M.J., Kelkar A.D., Sundaresan M.J., Nanoengineering of structural, functional and smart materials. Taylor & Francis Group, Boca Raton-London-New York, 2006.</p> <p>2. Gzik M., Tkacz E., Paszenda Z., Piętka E., Innovation in Biomedical Engineering. Springer Int. Publ., 2017.</p>	
Organisational unit conducting the course	Institute of Biomedical Engineering	Date of issuing the programme
Author of the programme	Prof. Jan R. Dąbrowski	12.07.2022

L – lecture, C – classes, LC – laboratory classes, P – project, SW – specialization workshop, FW - field work, S – seminar