



AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
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LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE MASTER
COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title	Urban Space Design								
Course Code	ZPM531	Course Level			Second Cycle (Master's Degree)				
ECTS Credit	8	Workload	200 (Hours)	Theory	3	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course	Aim of urban space design and its content. Interaction between architectural space and urban space. Elements of urban space. Open, semi open space. Private, semi private and public space. Lost space. Urban design principles. Responsive environment. Analysis, and evaluation in urban space. Permeability. Variety. Legibility. Robustness. Visual Appropriateness. Richness. Personalisation. Putting it together.								
Course Content	The evaluation of the theories and the practices on urban design and space design. Evaluation of contemporary approaches in urban design and design principles of urban space.								
Work Placement	N/A								
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods	Explanation (Presentation), Discussion, Project Based Study, Individual Study								
Name of Lecturer(s)									

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	30
Final Examination	1	40
Assignment	2	30

Recommended or Required Reading

1	RESPONSIVE ENVIRONMENTS, A MANUAL FOR DESIGNERS, BENTLY, MC GLYNN, MURRAIN, SMITH, (2010), ARCHITECTURAL PRESS.
2	PUBLIC PLACES URBAN SPACES, SECOND EDITION: THE DIMENSIONS OF URBAN DESIGN, CARMONA., M; HEALTH, T., O., C., T., TIESDELL, S., (2010), ARCHITECTURAL PRESS.
3	THE SOCIAL LIFE OF SMALL URBAN SPACES, PROJECT FOR PUBLIC SPACES, WHITE, W., (1980-2001).
4	INTRODUCING URBAN DESIGN, INTERVENTIONS AND RESPONSES, GREED, C., MARION, R., (1998), LONDON, COPYRIGHT LICENSING AGENCY LTD.
5	THE DESIGN DIMENSION OF PLANNING, THEORY, CONTENT AND BEST PRACTISE FOR DESIGN POLICIES, PUNTER JOHN; MATHEW CARMONA, (1997), LONDON, E&FN SPON.
6	THE CITY ASSEMBLED, THE ELEMENTS OF URBAN FORM THROUGH HISTORY, KOSTOF, SPIRO, (1991), LONDON.

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Aim of urban space design and its content
2	Theoretical	Interaction between architectural space and urban space. Elements of urban space
3	Theoretical	Open, semi open space. Private, semi private and public space. Lost space
4	Theoretical	Elements of urban design, Urban design principles
5	Theoretical	Responsive environment. Analysis, and evaluation in urban space
6	Theoretical	Permeability
7	Theoretical	Variety
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm exam
9	Theoretical	Legibility
10	Theoretical	Robustness
11	Theoretical	Visual Appropriateness.
12	Theoretical	Richness
13	Theoretical	Personalisation
14	Theoretical	Putting it together
15	Theoretical	Case studies
16	Final Exam	Final exam



Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	10	2	168
Assignment	2	4	1	10
Midterm Examination	1	9	1	10
Final Examination	1	11	1	12
Total Workload (Hours)				200
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				8

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

Learning Outcomes

1	To understand and evaluate architectural and urban space
2	To understand the relations between urban design, planning and landscape issues in urban design and implementation studies.
3	To understand relations between theory and practice in urban design issues
4	To understand the principles of responsive environments
5	To criticize the current approaches in development of the theory of urban design.

Programme Outcomes (Landscape Architecture Master)

1	e
2	e
3	e
4	e
5	e

Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Programme Outcomes 1:Very Low, 2:Low, 3:Medium, 4:High, 5:Very High

	L1	L2	L3	L4	L5
P1	4			5	
P2	5		4		
P3			5	5	
P4		3			5
P5	3	3			4

