University of Mohamed Khider Biskra
Department of architecture

ENGLISH 1

Master 1
architecture

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THE SYLLABUS

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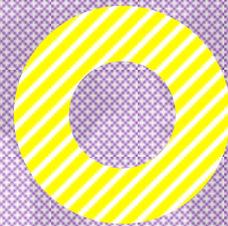Course Timeline

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MEET YOUR TEACHER

Dr. Khaoula Lakhdari

Khaoula Lakhdari, PhD in architecture, graduated in 2021 from Mohamed Khider university, specializing in merging architectural innovation with environmental concerns. her area of expertise on building sustainability, parametric design, and genetic optimization. Khaoula has undergone training in the context of advancing distance education techniques.

COURSE OVERVIEW

CLASS SCHEDULE

The course takes place every Tuesday for an hour and a half, starting at 8:00 AM and concluding at 9:30 AM.

Course platform:
* Moodle Biskra:
http://elearning.univ-biskra.dz/moodle/
* Google Meet:
 https://meet.google.com/

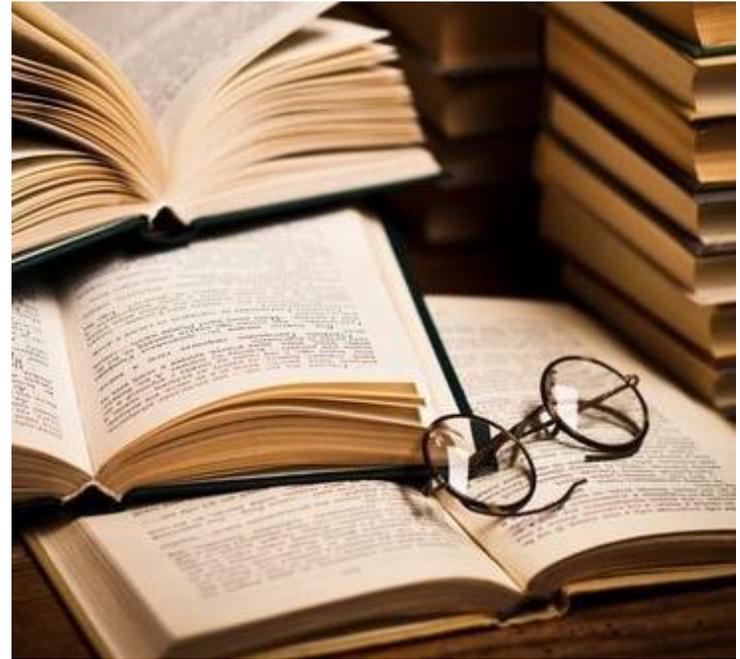| Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

TEACHING METHOD: DISTANCE LEARNING

NUMBER OF CREDITS: 1

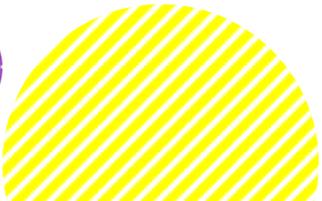COEFFICIENT: 1

TOTAL WEEKLY TIME VOLUME: 1H30

EVALUATION METHOD: EXAM 100%
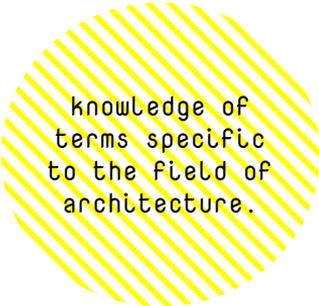
COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course offers students an opportunity to enhance their communication skills within the specialized context of architecture and design. Through a combination of lectures, videos, and audio texts read by a native speaker), this course equips students with the vocabulary, language structures, and terminology necessary to effectively convey architectural concepts and ideas. Students will learn to describe and discuss various architectural styles, analyze blueprints, present design proposals, and engage in critical discussions about urban planning and sustainability. The course emphasizes on writing, listening and spoken skills.

LEARNING GOALS

This course encompasses various goals, with the foremost among them being:

GOAL 1

knowledge of terms specific to the field of architecture.

GOAL 2

Improve listening skills

GOAL 3

Improve reading skills

GOAL 4

Improve writing skills

COURSE TIMELINE

Course 1
Introduction to English for Architecture

Course 2
Basic Grammarand Sentence Structure

Course 3
Vocabulary Related to Architecture Basics

Course 4
Building Materials and Construction

Course 5
Discussing Urban Planning Concepts

September 26th

October 3nd

October 10th

October 17th

October 24th

Course 6
Reading and Analyzing Architectural Texts

Course 7
Analyzing and Discussing Famous Architectural Projects

Course 8
Describing Architectural Designs in English

Course 9
Writing Basic Emails and Letters

Course 10
Technical Writing for Architects

October 31st

November 7th

November 14th

November 21th

November 28th

Course 11
Commenting on Tables, Diagrams, and Illustration

Course 12
Architectural Communication (Presentation techniques)

Course 13
Learning Architectural Software Terminology

December 5th

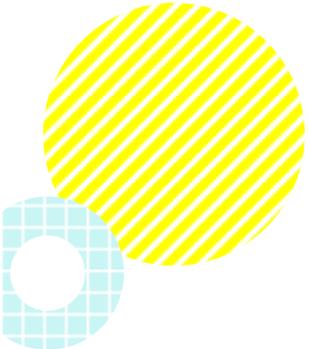December 12th

December 19th

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

To ensure the course's effectiveness, we stress the importance of students attending, participating in, and engaging with the various activities,
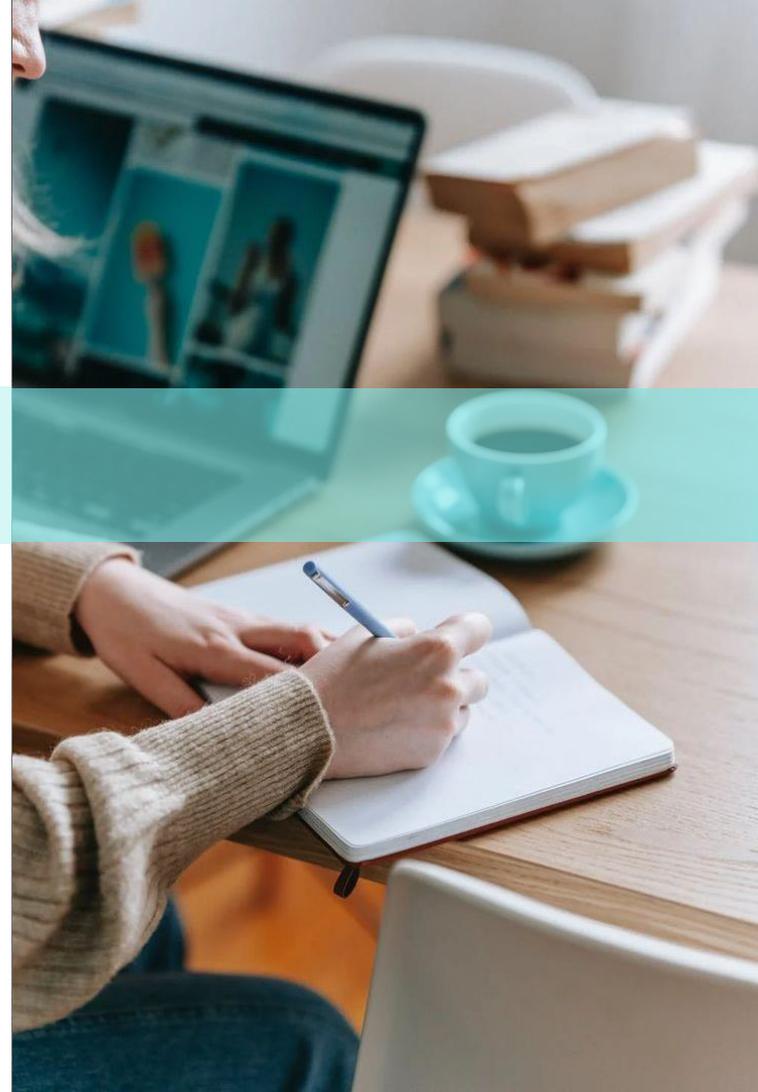
Note-taking holds significance, given that the ultimate evaluation will center around the subjects addressed.

MATERIALS YOU WILL NEED

In order to engage with this course, having a computer, phone, or digital tablet with reliable internet access is essential. This enables students to access and view videos related to the subject being studied.

LOOKING FORWARD TO TEACHING YOU!

Welcome any questions
that your students
may have.