

Course Unit Descriptor

Study Programme: Applied Arts and Design (Module: Interior Design)			
Course Unit Title: Furniture Design 2			
Course Unit Code: DIN2			
Name of Lecturer(s): Miroslav M. Šilić			
Type and Level of Studies: Undergraduate academic studies			
Course Status (compulsory/elective): Compulsory			
Semester (winter/summer): Winter and summer			
Language of instruction: English			
Mode of course unit delivery (face-to-face/distance learning): Face-to-face			
Number of ECTS Allocated: 8			
Prerequisites: A pass grade in the exam of Furniture Design 1			
Course Aims: Developing students' competencies for independent work on design, planning and development of a project for the market, designing for a market segment or a target group.			
Learning Outcomes: Students will be competent to work independently, to further upgrade their expertise and develop their career, to professionally and creatively take part in developing teams and contribute to the development of a design project.			
Syllabus: Introduction to typology of furniture; analysis of existing systems; construction and weight capacity of a system; problems of modularity; flexibility and compatibility in space.			
Required Reading: Raynsford J., <i>The Story of Furniture</i> , Hamlyn, London, 1975. Lucie-Smith, E., <i>Furniture: A Concise History</i> , Thames and Hudson, London, 2003; Tichauer E.R., <i>The Biomechanical Basis of Ergonomics</i> , John Wiley, New York, 1978; Wilhide E., <i>The Chair</i> , Wilhide E. Watson-Guptall, New York, 2000;			
Weekly Contact Hours: 3	Lectures: 1	Practical work: 2	
Teaching Methods: Individual approach through theoretical and practical work based on project assignments with the use of relevant literature.			
Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points): 100			
Pre-exam obligations	points	Final exam	points
Active class participation	10	Final project	40
Practical work	10	Oral presentation of the project	10
Seminar(s)	10		
Preliminary exam(s)	20		
The methods of knowledge assessment may differ; the table presents only some of the options: written exam, oral exam, project presentation, seminars, etc.			