

Course Syllabus

1	Course title	Illumination and Acoustics
2	Course number	0932371
3	Credit hours (theory, practical)	2+1
	Contact hours (theory, practical)	4
4	Prerequisites/corequisites	
5	Program title	Architecture
6	Program code	
7	Awarding institution	
8	School	Engineering
9	Department	Architecture
10	Level of course	BSc
11	Year of study and semester (s)	Sem.1 & 2
12	Final Qualification	
13	Other department (s) involved in teaching the course	
14	Language of Instruction	English & Arabic
15	Date of production/revision	yearly

16. Course Coordinator:

Office numbers, office hours, phone numbers, and email addresses should be listed.

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17. Other instructors:

Office numbers, office hours, phone numbers, and email addresses should be listed.

18. Course Description:

As stated in the approved study plan.

Basic principles of lighting and acoustics and their effect on the design of buildings. Noise abatement and insulation of buildings against noise pollution. Applications using instruments for measurement of illumination and acoustics.

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19. Course aims and outcomes:

<p>A- Aims: Acoustics designing halls with an accepted sound field B- Lighting: to provide spaces with good lighting</p>
<p>B- Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs): Upon successful completion of this course students will be able to</p>
<p>Acoustics: 1- understanding acoustics terms, sound, noise, frequency, decibel, absorption, insulation 2- be aware of the noise affect on human, understanding noise dose 3- measuring noise and absorption coefficient, insulation 4- Estimating reverberation time in rooms, and amount of absorption needed 5- applying building codes in acoustics, specially Jordan code</p>
<p>Lighting: 1- understanding lighting terms, flux, intensity, illuminance, luminance 2- using measuring equipments and measuring lighting on rooms and comparing with building cods 3- estimating day lighting in rooms during the initial design 4- estimating artificial lighting level in rooms 5- understanding different light sources, their properties and where to use</p>

20. Topic Outline and Schedule:

Topic	Week	Instructor	Achieved ILOs	Evaluation Methods	Reference
Acoustics: Introduction and course outline	1	R. Hammad			
Acoustics terms	2+3	R. Hammad			
Human ears and hearing mechanism		R. Hammad			
Room acoustics: resonance	4	R. Hammad			
reflections	5	R. Hammad			
Reverberation time	6	R. Hammad			
Absorption&	7+8	R. Hammad			

Insulation:					
Mid exam: 9					
Lighting:					
Lighting terms: 10+11					
Lighting sources 12+13					
Estimating artificial lighting 14					
Estimating day lighting 15					
General recommendations 16					

21. Teaching Methods and Assignments:

<p>Development of ILOs is promoted through the following teaching and learning methods:</p> <p>Lectures</p> <p>Measuring using real equipment</p> <p>Applying the result in designing several rooms</p> <p>Measurements on a full scalespecimen and on scale model</p>
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22. Evaluation Methods and Course Requirements:

<p>Opportunities to demonstrate achievement of the ILOs are provided through the following assessment methods and requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1- Several reports on measuring, the background noise and lighting levels on real rooms 2- Measuring the absorption coefficients and surface reflection 3- Measuring the sound insulations 4- Measuring the affect of room configuration on lighting level

23. Course Policies:

- A- Attendance policies: recording student attendance on every lecture, with maximum 15% absence
- B- Absences from exams and handing in assignments on time: 0 mark if no reason
- C- Health and safety procedures: during the laboratories there is a technician supervisor
- D- Honesty policy regarding cheating, plagiarism, misbehavior: according to the university regulations
- E- Grading policy: 40% 1st exam, 20% reports and 40% final exam
- F- Available university services that support achievement in the course: acoustic lab and lighting lab with required instruments and spaces

24. Required equipment: (Facilities, Tools, Labs, Training...)

The acoustic & lighting labs are equipped with all required equipments

25. References:

Required book (s), assigned reading and audio-visuals:

R. Hammad, 2017 Architecture Acoustics, 4 edition

R. Hammad 2016, Architecture lighting 1st edition

Recommended books, materials, and media:

Acoustics:

Sound Research Lab.: 1976 “ practical Building Acoustics” SRL Holbrook, Sudbury

Rettinger, M, 1989 “ Handbook of Architecture Acoustics and Noise Control” McGraw Hill

Fuuler Moor, 2000 “Concept & practice of Architectural Day lighting” Van Nostrand Reinhold com. N. Y

Sorcar, P. 1986 “ Architectural Lighting for Comercial Interior” John Willy & sons

26. Additional information:

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Date: -2022-----

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Head of Department: ----- Signature: -----

Head of curriculum committee/Faculty: ----- Signature: -----

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