# **AEROSPACE ENGINEERING (LM52)**

(Brindisi - Università degli Studi)

# Teaching PROCESSING AND PROPERTIES OF COMPOSITE MATERIALS FOR AERONAUTICS

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SSD code ING-IND/24

**Reference course** AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

**Course type** Laurea Magistrale

Credits 9.0

**Teaching hours** Front activity hours: 81.0

For enrolled in 2020/2021

Taught in 2021/2022

Course year 2

Language ENGLISH

**Curriculum** CURRICULUM AEROSPACE TECHNOLOGY

**Location** Brindisi

Semester Second Semester

Exam type Oral

**Assessment** Final grade

Course timetable

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BRIEF COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course provides a strong interdisciplinary approach to composite materials in view of their application in aeronautic structure. Competences on polymer matrices and reinforcements, mechanics of anisotropic materials, fabrication technologies of thermoplastic and thermosetting matrix composites are provided.

REQUIREMENTS

knowledge of solid mechanics and materials science and technology

**COURSE AIMS** 

# Knowledge and understanding:

The course provides the basis of knowledge to understand and solve complex new problems in design and processing of composite materials accounting for anisotropy and reactive processing

# Applying knowledge and understanding

The student will be able to apply the basic knowledge on mechanics of anisotropic materials to the design of simple structural elements. A multidisciplinary approach is presented accounting for chemical, materials and mechanical engineering aspects.

### Making judgements

Simplification and synthesis of complex problems is presented in order to promote the judgement and evaluation capabilities of the students

### Communication

The course promotes the development of the following skills of the student: ability to expose in precise and formal terms an abstract model of concrete problems, identifying the salient characteristics of them and discarding the inessential characteristics; ability to describe and analyze an efficient solution for the problem under consideration. A seminar on composite properties is assigned to students

## Learning skills

Autonomous learning is promoted thanks to the use of: different books and slides, numerical methods, homework exercise to be solved in groups of two.



TEACHING METHODOLOGY	Lessons, practice with a software implementing micro and macromechanic of composite materials, visit to an industrial plant. Self evaluation tests after each topic by Kahoot
ASSESSMENT TYPE	Interview after a seminar on composite properties held during the course and a homework .
ASSESSMENT SESSIONS	Assessments dates available at ing.unisalento.it. The assessment includes the discussion of an assignment followed by an interview
OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION	For any question write an email to alfonso.maffezzoli@unisalento.it. Link to the team for online in term of the results of the
FULL SYLLABUS	Introduction (2 h.) Reinforcement and core materials (18 h) (Prof. Licciulli) Thermosetting and thermoplastic matrices (7 h.) Micromechanic. (15 h.) Macromechanic. (20 h.) Properties and ceramic marix composites (5 h.) (prof. Licciulli) Fabrication technologies of polymer matrix materials (12 h.) Visit to an industrial plant (3 h.) (prof. Licciulli)
REFERENCE TEXT BOOKS	P.K. Mallick "Fiber-reinforced composites"CRC Press, R.M. Jones "Mechanics of composite materials" Taylor & Francis Slides of the course provided by the teacher

