### **COURSE OUTLINE**

### (1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	HUMANITIES				
ACADEMIC UNIT	DEPARTMENT OF MEDITERRANEAN STUDIES				
LEVEL OF STUDIES	UNDERGRADUATE				
COURSE CODE	AYE-03 SEMESTER 2				
COURSE TITLE	INTRODUCTION TO MUSEOLOGY				
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES  if credits are awarded for separate components of the course, e.g. lectures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the credits are awarded for the whole of the course, give the weekly teaching hours and the total credits			WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS		CREDITS
			3		5
Add rows if necessary. The organisation of teaching and the teaching methods used are described in detail at (d).					
COURSE TYPE general background, special background, specialised general knowledge, skills development	General ba	ckground			
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	None				
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	Greek				
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	No				
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	https://eclass.aegean.gr/courses/TMS295/				

## (2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

### Learning outcomes

The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate level, which the students will acquire with the successful completion of the course are described.

Consult Appendix A

- Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area
- Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B
- Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes

With the successful completion of the course students should be able:

- to judge the proper ways of collections and objects exhibition in museums, and the protection of monuments from decay and weathering,
- to make proper museological approach and manage museum exhibits composing proposals for different types of museums,
- to assess with computational approaches (environmental measurements) the environment of exhibits and demonstrate suitability rooms in museums for safe keeping them
- to define and examine parameters such as humidity, dirt, temperature, noise, lighting, for safe keeping, but also,
- to implement measures of preventive conservation and plan further appropriate steps in collaboration with specialist staff of conservators of antiquities and works of art
- to distinguish types of museums, to distinguish according to the dealt content and classify artifacts depending on the type and degree of vulnerability (organic, inorganic, stone, fabric, bone, ceramic, etc.).

#### **General Competences**

Taking into consideration the general competences that the degree-holder must acquire (as these appear in the Diploma Supplement and appear below), at which of the following does the course aim?

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, Project planning and management

with the use of the necessary technology

Adapting to new situations Decision-making

Working independently
Team work

Working in an international environment

Working in an interdisciplinary environment

Production of new research ideas

Project planning and management Respect for difference and multiculturalism Respect for the natural environment

Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and

sensitivity to gender issues Criticism and self-criticism

Production of free, creative and inductive thinking

Others...

- Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology
- Decision-making
- Working in an interdisciplinary environment

### (3) SYLLABUS

Museology introduces the basic principles of museum studies. Types of Museums, presentation of exposed objects, new technologies (multimedia, virtual reality, 3D images), ways of exposition, and protection of artifacts, factors affecting museum objects (humidity, temperature, lighting, vibrations, atmosphere), susceptibility of organic and inorganic objects to climatological factors and burial contexts, ways to offer first aid to freshly excavated materials, subsequent preservation techniques. Particular emphasis on susceptible materials (wood, textile, organic residues) but on inorganic materials too (metals, ceramics, lithics) from systematic and rescue excavations. Case studies. Current state-of-the- art Unesco convention of protection of underwater cultural heritage

# (4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

DELIVERY Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.	Face to face		
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY  Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education, communication with students	PowerPoint presentations		
TEACHING METHODS	Activity	Semester workload	
The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail.	lectures	39 hours (1.56 ECTS)	
Lectures, seminars, laboratory practice,	personal study	83 hours (3.32 ECTS)	
fieldwork, study and analysis of bibliography,	end of semester exam	3 hours (0.12 ECTS)	
tutorials, placements, clinical practice, art workshop, interactive teaching, educational			
visits, project, essay writing, artistic creativity,			
etc.			
The student's study hours for each learning			
activity are given as well as the hours of non-	Course total	125 hours (5 ECTS)	
directed study according to the principles of the ECTS			
STUDENT PERFORMANCE			
EVALUATION	Written exams at the end of the semester		
Description of the evaluation procedure			
Language of evaluation, methods of evaluation, summative or conclusive, multiple choice			

questionnaires, short-answer questions, openended questions, problem solving, written work, essay/report, oral examination, public presentation, laboratory work, clinical examination of patient, art interpretation, other

Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given, and if and where they are accessible to students.

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