

# SYLLABUS

## 1. Information regarding the programme

1.1 Higher education institution	Babes-Bolyai University
1.2 Faculty	Chemistry and Chemical Engineering
1.3 Department	Chemical Engineering
1.4 Field of study	Chemical Engineering
1.5 Study cycle	Master
1.6 Study programme / Qualification	Advanced Chemical Process Engineering

## 2. Information regarding the discipline

2.1 Name of the discipline	<b>Assessment of risk, safety and security factors – CME7321</b>						
2.2 Course coordinator	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Eng. Alexandra Csavdári						
2.3 Seminar / laboratory work coordinator	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Eng. Alexandra Csavdári						
2.4. Year of study	II	2.5 Semester	3	2.6. Type of evaluation	E	2.7 Type of discipline	Compulsory

## 3. Total estimated time (hours/semester of didactic activities)

3.1 Hours per week	4	Of which: 3.2 course	2	3.3 seminar/laboratory	1/1
3.4 Total hours in the curriculum	56	Of which: 3.5 course	28	3.6 seminar/laboratory	14/14
Time allotment:					hours
Learning using manual, course support, bibliography, course notes					14
Additional documentation (in libraries, on electronic platforms, field documentation)					12
Preparation for seminars/labs, homework, papers, portfolios and essays					28
Tutorship					12
Evaluations					3
Other activities: not the case					-
3.7 Total individual study hours	69				
3.8 Total hours per semester	125				
3.9 Number of ECTS credits	5				

## 4. Prerequisites (if necessary)

4.1. curriculum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not the case</li> </ul>
4.2. competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not the case</li> </ul>

## 5. Conditions (if necessary)

5.1. for the course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The students will turn off their mobile phones</li> <li>Delays will not be tolerated</li> </ul>
5.2. for the seminar /lab activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will bring to the laboratory practice their course notes and appropriate calculus device</li> </ul>

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## 6. Specific competencies acquired

Professional competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Definition of notions, concepts, theories and advanced models in the field of chemistry and chemical process engineering as well as their adequate use within the professional community.</li> <li>• Use of advanced knowledge in the field of chemistry and chemical process engineering to explain and interpret chemical processes as well as their elements of risk and safety.</li> <li>• Identification and proper usage of concepts, method and theories for solving new complex problems of risk management within chemical process engineering.</li> <li>• Critical analysis and usage of principles, methods and advanced work techniques for quantitative and qualitative assessment of chemical process engineering.</li> </ul>
Transversal competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Independent execution of complex professional duties and research projects using computer-aided techniques and comply with professional ethics and moral.</li> <li>• Planning, monitoring and assuming professional duties of underline group. Proving the coordination capabilities, analytical thinking, adaptability and flexibility, collaboration with team members.</li> <li>• Auto-evaluation of professional performances and establish the needs of continuous learning, documentation in the work fields in correlation with the labour market.</li> </ul>

## 7. Objectives of the discipline (outcome of the acquired competencies)

7.1 General objective of the discipline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction and evaluation of risk and operational safety factors.</li> </ul>
7.2 Specific objective of the discipline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ability to qualitatively and quantitatively assess de risk and operational safety factors within a process</li> <li>• Ability of management and operational solution proposal for avoiding as well as coping with risky situations</li> </ul>

## 8. Content

8.1 Course	Teaching methods	Remarks
8.1.1. Introduction. Presentation of examples of some major technological accidents. The importance of risk studies. Definition of specific concepts.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.2. Basic concept regarding events and their probability.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.3. Models and framework. Simulation and reality.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.4. Deterministic and probabilistic methods. Random and epistemic uncertainty.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.5. Safety, risk and reliability	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.6. Risk, its nature, the risk index.	Presentation; Explanation,	Alocated

	Conversation; Description; Debate	time = 2 hours
8.1.7. Consequences of breaking. Stages of basic risk evaluation.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.8. Qualitative assessment techniques. The risk matrix. The tree method. Chain of events.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.9. Markov chains. Effect analysis.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.10. Quantitative assessment techniques. Probabilistic assessment – part 1.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.11. Quantitative assessment techniques. Probabilistic assessment – part 2.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.12. Semi-quantitative assessment techniques.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.13. Integrated risk analysis techniques.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.1.14. Case studies.	Presentation; Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate	Alocated time = 2 hours
<b>Bibliography</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alexandru Ozunu, Călin Anghel: Evaluarea riscului tehnologic și securitatea mediului, Ed. Accent, Cluj-Napoca, 2007.</li> <li>Török Zoltán, Ajtai Nicolae, Ozunu Alexandru: Aplicații de calcul pentru evaluarea riscului producerii accidentelor industriale majore ce implică substanțe periculoase, Ed. EFES, Cluj-Napoca, 2011.</li> <li>Gheorghe Maria: Evaluarea cantitativă a riscului proceselor chimice și modelarea consecințelor accidentelor, Ed. Printech, București, 2007.</li> <li>Meyer Thierry, Reniers Genserik: Engineering Risk Management, DeGruyter, Berlin, 2013.</li> </ol>		
8.2 Seminar	Teaching methods	Remarks
8.2.1. Structure of technological risk analysis in chemical industry	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.2.2. Qualitative risk analysis (part 1): Dangerous chemicals; Preliminary hazard analysis.	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.2.3. Qualitative risk analysis (part 2): Hazard and operability study; Analysis of errors and their effects.	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.2.5. Quantitative risk analysis (part 1): Error tree; Event tree.	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.2.5. Quantitative risk analysis (part 2): Analysis of effects and consequences	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.2.6. Estimation and presentation of technological risk. Individual and social risk.	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours

8.2.7. Legislation aspects (Romania and European Union). Scenarios and case studies.	Explanation, Conversation; Description; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
Bibliography 1. Török Zoltán, Ajtai Nicolae, Ozunu Alexandru: Aplicații de calcul pentru evaluarea riscului producerii accidentelor industriale majore ce implică substanțe periculoase, Ed. EFES, Cluj-Napoca, 2011. 2. Meyer Thierry, Reniers Genserik: Engineering Risk Management, DeGruyter, Berlin, 2013.		
8.3. Individual project (practical work) – The project topic refers to an installation used in chemical industry, that was designed by the student himself either in hers/his diploma thesis or in hers/his master thesis. It applies all concepts discussed during the seminar	Teaching methods	Remarks
8.3.1. Structure of technological risk analysis in chemical industry	Explanation, Conversation; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.3.2. Qualitative risk analysis (part 1): Dangerous chemicals; Preliminary hazard analysis.	Explanation, Conversation; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.3.3. Qualitative risk analysis (part 2): Hazard and operability study; Analysis of errors and their effects.	Explanation, Conversation; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
8.3.5. Quantitative risk analysis (part 1): Error tree; Event tree.	Explanation, Conversation; Debate; Problem solving	Alocated time = 2 hours
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## 9. Corroborating the content of the discipline with the expectations of the epistemic community, professional associations and representative employers within the field of the program

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>By instructing the theoretical and practical concepts of <b>Assessment of risk, safety and security factors</b> course, the students will get the knowledge in accordance with the competencies requested by possible employment sectors stotted by RNCIS.</li> </ul>
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## 10. Evaluation

Type of activity	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share in the grade (%)
10.4 Course	Correctness of answers – proper understanding and learning of concepts discussed during lectures; Correct use of learned concept within new contexts.	Written exam. Proven or intended fraud is treated according to the ECST rules of UBB.	60 %
	Correct solving of problems as inherent part		

	of examination subjects.		
10.5 Seminar / Individual project (Practical works)	<p>Correctness of answers – proper understanding and learning of concepts discussed during class; Correct use of learned concept within new contexts.</p> <p>Correctness of calculus and aspects presented within the individual project topic</p>	<p>Evaluated by means of problems to be solved, as inherent part of the exam subjects.</p> <p>Evaluated separately during the semester, with final mark at the end of semester when handing in the complete project.</p>	<p>-</p> <p>40 %</p>

10.6 Minimum performance standards
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Grade 5 (five) at the written exam.</li> <li>➤ Adequate knowledge and usage of discussed concepts and methods.</li> </ul>

Date

Signature of course coordinator

Signature of seminar coordinator

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Date of approval

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