

DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING

Course Details						
Code			Academic Year			Semester
BAU458			4			Fall
Title			T	A	L	ECTS
Building Dynamics I			3	1	1	6
Language		German				
Level	Undergraduate	✓	Graduate		Postgraduate	
Department / Program		Civil Engineering				
Forms of Teaching and Learning		Formal				
Course Type	Compulsory		Elective	✓		
Objectives	The aim of the qualification is to introduce students to classic and numerical methods for the dynamic calculation of structures. In detail, principles of dynamic modeling as well Fundamentals in theory and application imparted to calculate dynamic stress conditions according to first order theory. Students learn to interpret the results of simple dynamic calculations in an engineering manner and to evaluate them critically.					
Content	Fundamentals of dynamic behavior and basic equations, classification of dynamic models, simple and generalized single-mass vibrators, structural models as single-mass vibrators, harmonics, periodic and arbitrary excitation, solution methods in the frequency and time domain, vibration resonances and vibration isolation, basics of vibration measurements, Fourier analysis, discrete Fourier transformation , Discrete systems with several degrees of freedom, modal analysis, natural frequencies and modes of vibration, modal equations of motion, Rayleigh method for determining the first natural frequency, practical examples					
Prerequisites	Module "Kinematics and Dynamics", "Structural Analysis I" and "Structural Analysis II"					
Coordinator						
Lecturer(s)						
Assistant(s)						
Work Placement						
Recommended or Required Reading						
Books / Lecture Notes	„Baudynamik-Praxis: Mit zahlreichen Anwendungsbeispielen (Bauwerk)“, Björn Haag und Lothar Stempniewski					
Other Sources						
Additional Course Material						
Documents						
Assignments						
Exams						
Course Composition						

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Mathematics und Basic Sciences		%
Engineering	100	%
Engineering Design		%
Social Sciences		%
Educational Sciences		%
Natural Sciences		%
Health Sciences		%
Expert Knowledge		%

Assessment

Activity	Count	Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	2	40
Quiz		
Assignments		
Attendance		
Recitations		
Projects		
Final Exam	1	60
Total		100

ECTS Points and Work Load

Activity	Count	Duration	Work Load (Hours)
Lectures	14	5	70
Self-Study	13	3	42
Assignments			
Presentation / Seminar Preparation			
Midterm Exam	2	1	10
Recitations			
Laboratory			
Projects			
Final Exam	1	2	15
Total Work Load			137
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / Hour)			6

Learning Outcomes

1	Students learn to interpret the results of simple dynamic calculations in an engineering manner and to evaluate them critically.
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Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Program Objectives (1-5)

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Contribution Level		1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very High					
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