

POLITEHNICA University of Bucharest (**UPB**)  
 Faculty of Engineering and Management of Technological Systems (**IMST**)  
 Study Programme: Industrial Engineering (**IE**)  
 Form of study: Licence (Bachelor)

## COURSE SPECIFICATION

<b>Course title:</b>	Foreign Languages 2 - German	<b>Semester:</b>	2
<b>Course code:</b>	UPB.06.C.02.L.005	<b>Credits (ECTS):</b>	5

<b>Course structure</b>	Lecture	Seminar	Laboratory	Project	Total hours
<i>Number of hours per week</i>	1		1		2
<i>Number of hours per semester</i>	14		14		28

<b>Lecturer</b>	Lecture	Seminar / Laboratory / Project
<i>Name, academic degree</i>	Lect.dr.Ioan Laurian Soare	
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<b>Course description:</b>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The German Language. Preliminary and advanced facts about German</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>German Language and its history. German as a Germanic Language</li> </ul>	4	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Germany and its place in the world. Facts about Germany, culture and history</li> </ul>	4	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“<i>der deutsche Sprachraum</i>”: Preliminary and advanced facts about the German-speaking area.</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presenting a German Company.</li> </ul>	2	
		<b>14</b>	
<b>Seminar / Laboratory / Project description:</b>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Habitation. The House and Household.</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Living in Germany. Renting an house. Talking about interdictions.</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Health. Describing Symptoms of an illness. Going to the Doctor.</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Giving Advice. Telling an Event. What has happened?</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Everyday Life. Giving Information about Events and Activities.</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grammar Elements. Revision</li> </ul>	2	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>General Revision</li> </ul>	2	
		<b>14</b>	

**Intended learning outcomes:**

This course is designed for: beginners and for those with very little knowledge of German (Level A0-A1)  
The students will be introduced to the basic structure and grammar of the German language and culture. After the completion of this course the students will be able to understand and use familiar everyday expressions and basic phrases.

<b>Assessment method:</b>	<b>% of the final grade</b>	<b>Minimal requirements for award of credits</b>
Written exam	final test - 20%.	In order to obtain mark 5, it is required a minimum of 25 points obtained in the final examination; A minimum of 25 points obtained by evaluating knowledge during the semester; In order to obtain mark 10, it is required at least 95 points obtained in the final examination and verification process; - Evaluation of the seminar activities
Report / project	seminar project - 40%,	
Homework	homework and tutorial activity - 40%,	
Laboratory		
Other		

**References:**

Themen Aktuell Band 1, Kursbuch+Arbeitsbuch, Hueber Verlag, 2010  
Coy, Jason: A Brief History of Germany, Fact on File, New York, 2011  
Herrmann, K: Reading German History, A German Reading Course for Beginners, Max Hueber, 1992  
Sevin, D/Sevin, I.: Wie geht's? A Introductory German Course, Thomson, Heinle, 2007

<b><i>Prerequisites:</i></b>	<b><i>Co-requisites (courses to be taken in parallel as a condition for enrolment):</i></b>
Sem I	
<b><i>Additional relevant information:</i></b>	

Date:4.7.16

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