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| Course Code ARCH-251 | Course Title Landscape Architecture | ECTS Credits 4 |
| Department Architecture | Semester Fall | Prerequisites Arch141 & 142 |
| Type of Course Major | Field Architecture | Language of Instruction English |
| Level of Course 1st Cycle | Year of Study 2nd | Lecturer(s) Angela Petrou |
| Mode of Delivery Face-to-face | Work Placement N/A | Co-erequisites None |

Objectives of the Course:

- To introduce students to concepts of landscape architecture through studying history, theory and contemporary case studies.
- To Integrate knowledge of buildings landscape and space
- To familiarize student with tools of landscape design
- To investigate the landscape as a physical and cultural environment and how it relates to human use
- Learn to read and record the landscape, identifying physical and cultural environments
- To understand the landscape as a living system of cycles and exchanges

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course students are expected to be able to:

- Extract and apply information from historical references in analysis of existing landscapes or case studies
- To identify and analyse primary and secondary relationships between buildings and landscape
- To synthesize external space through the understanding of existing conditions and experimenting with landscape design tools.
- To evaluate the impact of human activities on the landscape at different scales referring to issues of sustainability
- To accurately record existing landscape conditions
- To translate human and physical activities in the landscape as a series of cycles and interchanges which are part of a changing living system of landscape ecology and to apply this knowledge to design proposals

Course Contents:

- Introduction to history of landscape architecture.
- Examination of Landscape in relation to buildings and public spaces.
- Methods of organizing landscape elements.
- Analysis of the physical landscape, relating to; landscape art, land use, planting, materials and site analysis.
- Case studies of contemporary landscapes.

Learning Activities & Teaching Methods:

Lectures, discussions with class participation, practical mappings /field studies/ drawn and written assignments

Assessment Methods:

Assignment 1 , Assignment 2 (related to studio projects), Assignment 3, Class participation/ Workshop

Recommended Textbooks/Reading:

| Authors | Title | Publisher | Year | ISBN |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------|------------------------|
| Geoffrey & Susan Jellicoe | The Landscape of Man | Thames & Hudson | 1995 | ISBN 13: 9780500278192 |
| Margolis,Liat; & Robinson, Alexander | Living Systems : Innovative Materials and Technologies for Landscape Architecture | Birkhauser | 2007 | ISBN-13: 9783764377007 |
| Mark Kingwell and Patrick Turmel | Rites of way: The politics and Poetics of Public Space | Gazelle Book Services | 2009 | 9781554581535 |