

Course Description					
Name	Code	Semester	T+A Hour	Credit	ECTS
INTRODUCTION to PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE	ICT1124050	Fall Semester	2+0	2	2
Prerequisites Courses					
Recommended Elective Courses					
Language of Instruction	Turkish				
Course Level	First Cycle (Bachelor's Degree)				
Course Type	Required				
Course Coordinator	Prof.Dr. Ayşe Zeynep SÖZEN				
Name of Lecturer(s)	Lect. Zeynep YAZICIOĞLU				
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Aim	Describe and analyze the professional framework of architecture, interior design and industrial product design; Describe and analyze the legal and regulatory framework of Professional practice.(This course includes a hypothetical tendering game for Students of Architecture and Interior Architecture and Environmental Design Departments . Students split into design and build firms, with one team undertaking the role of the tender board on behalf of the employer. The tender board develops the tender documents, the contract and the evaluation criteria for a Zen Garden Project and subsequently organizes the sealed bid . The design and build firms prepare their offers on a design and build basis, with a priced bill of quantities. A hypothetical claim/dispute between the winning team and the employer follows.)				
Course Content	This course contains; Professional practice: basic concepts,Actors and resources in professional practice,Work and professional ethics,Relations between professions and related bodies,Introduction to professional bodies and actors,Comparison of professional practice areas in Turkey, EU and USA,Comparison of professional practice areas in Turkey, EU and USA,Comparison of professional practice areas in Turkey, EU and USA,Introduction to international professional organisations (UIA,IFI ICSID) ,Professional approaches of international professional organisations ,Professional approaches of international professional organisations,Communication,Professional practice today and tomorrow.				
Course Learning Outcomes			Teaching Methods	Assessment Methods	
1. Develops an awareness of the professional framework of architecture, interior design and industrial product design;			10, 6, 9	A	
2. Acquires an understanding of the concepts of work ethics, professional ethics and basic responsibilities.			10, 6, 9	A	
3. Identifies the basic actors in the framework of professional practice.			10, 6, 9	A	
4. Acquires an understanding of working and specialization areas in professional practice.			10, 6, 9	A	
Teaching Methods	10: Discussion Method, 6: Experiential Learning, 9: Lecture Method				
Assessment Methods	A: Traditional Written Exam				
Lecture Schedule					
Sequence	Topics	Preliminary Preparation			
1	Professional practice: basic concepts				
2	Actors and resources in professional practice				
3	Work and professional ethics				
4	Relations between professions and related bodies				
5	Introduction to professional bodies and actors				
6	Comparison of professional practice areas in Turkey, EU and USA				
7	Comparison of professional practice areas in Turkey, EU and USA				
8	Comparison of professional practice areas in Turkey, EU and USA				
9	Introduction to international professional organisations (UIA,IFI ICSID)				
11	Professional approaches of international professional organisations				
12	Professional approaches of international professional organisations				
13	Communication				
14	Professional practice today and tomorrow				
Evaluation Methods		Weight(%)			
Midterm Exam		50			
General Exam		50			

Resources
To be distributed by the lecturer1. The Architects Handbook of Professional Practice - Student Edition , American Institute of Architects Press (2002).
2. The Business of Design, Keith Granet, Princeton Architectural Press, (2011)
3. Introduction to Professional Practice, ppt.(2015)