

Syllabus

Descrizione corso

Titolo insegnamento	Mechanics and Design of Sustainable Structures
Codice insegnamento	45551
Titolo aggiuntivo	
Settore Scientifico-	
Disciplinare	
Lingua	Inglese
Corso di Studio	Corso di laurea magistrale in Ingegneria energetica
Altri Corsi di Studio	
(mutuati)	
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Assistente	
Semestre	Primo semestre
Anno/i di corso	2
CFU	6
Ore didattica frontale	60
Ore di laboratorio	0
Ore di studio individuale	90
Ore di ricevimento previste	
Sintesi contenuti	The course investigates good practice in the design of steel
	structures, presenting requirements, standards and methodologies
	that have to be followed in order to design efficient yet reliable
	structures. The students attending this course are expected to
	learn how to design key components in steel structures to be
	implemented in systems for energy and sustainable applications,



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	including wind energy, hydraulic energy, solar energy and bioenergy and relevant industrial plants.
Argomenti dell'insegnamento	 Design based on modern national and European standards. Global analysis of structures. Stiffness and strength of elements. Effect of geometrical and mechanical imperfections on the load-bearing capacity of steel elements. Resistance of steel members to tension, compression, bending, shear and combined actions. Buckling resistance of steel members. Stability of steel shell elements. Bolted and welded connections and joints. Design of bolted connections. Worked examples. Verification of a sustainable structural system: Wind turbine mast.
Parole chiave	Structures; Stiffness and strength of elements; Steel elements; Connections and joints.
Prerequisiti	Recommended preliminary knowledge: For a fruitful attendance of the course basic knowledge of solid and structural mechanics is needed.
Insegnamenti propedeutici	
Modalità di insegnamento	Class lectures (blackboard and/or slides). Some of the lecture material (slides) will be available for download by the students.
Obbligo di frequenza	Not mandatory.
Obiettivi formativi specifici e risultati di apprendimento attesi	The course investigates good practice in the design of steel structures, presenting requirements, standards and methodologies that have to be followed in order to design efficient yet reliable structures. The students attending this course are expected to learn how to design key components in steel structures to be implemented in systems for energy and sustainable applications, including wind energy, hydraulic energy, solar energy and bioenergy and relevant industrial plants.
Obiettivi formativi specifici e	Learning outcomes
risultati di apprendimento attesi (ulteriori info.)	Knowledge and understanding 1. Knowledge of the main static and dynamic mechanical properties of materials and structures, with particular reference to steel, as well as the main technical standards used in steel

	structural applications.
	Applying knowledge and understanding 2. Capability of recognizing where steel and steel structures could be profitably used in energy and sustainable systems, such as those related to wind, hydraulic or solar energy, and capability of defining requirements in the design of the steel structures for energy applications.
	Making judgements 3. The student will be able to assess the validity of the design of an existing steel structure, identify critical aspects and suggest redesign solutions and improvements in both static and dynamic performance.
	Communication skills 4. The student will be able to discuss the learned knowledge with vocabulary and technical terms of the discipline, describing efficiently the outcome of the design activity and the features of different solutions.
	Learning skills 5. Lifelong learning capability through the acquisition of critical tools and critical evaluation of product and systems specifications.
Modalità di esame	Oral examination with questions aimed at verifying the knowledge and the capability to understand the topics of the course and the mastery of the technical language. The capability to transfer these competences to applicative cases and the developed autonomy of judgment will be evaluated through the discussion of the design work assigned during the course. - Formative assessment:
	Development of the assigned design work: during the course; ILOs assessed: (2), (3), (5) - Summative assessment: Oral examination, including discussion of the design work: about 1 hour; ILOs assessed: all, except (5).
Criteri di valutazione	A single final vote will take into account knowledge of the topics presented during the course, ability to synthesize information, correctness of the technical terms and clarity (50 %). With reference to the developed design work, the capability to analyze

	the proposed problem and to design reliable steel components in structures for energy applications will be taken into account (50%).
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Altre informazioni	Connections with other courses: This course complements the knowledge offered by the other courses of the Master programme. Professional applications of the covered topics: The topics presented in this course can be applied in all those professional activities involving the design and the re-design of building systems, as well as specific elements of energy structural systems, that are typically performed in engineering offices and building companies.
Obiettivi di Sviluppo Sostenibile (SDGs)	Innovazione e infrastrutture, Utilizzo responsabile delle risorse, Città e comunità sostenibili

Modulo del corso

Titolo della parte costituente del corso	Mechanics
Codice insegnamento	45551A
Settore Scientifico-	ICAR/08

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CFU	3
Docente responsabile	
Ore didattica frontale	60
Ore di laboratorio	0
Ore di studio individuale	15
Ore di ricevimento previste	
Sintesi contenuti	Overview of the applications and benefits of steel and steel structures in energy engineering systems, with emphasis on sustainability aspects. Mechanical properties of structural materials, with specific attention to steel and concrete. Standards for the design of steel structures according to European rules. Plasticity. Elements of structural dynamics and fatigue. Exercises with theoretical applications.
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