

**SUMMARY OF THE COURSE: "ELEMENTS OF MECHANICS, MECHATRONICS  
AND ROBOTICS"**

**1. Program data**

<b>1.1 Department</b>	Department Engineering, Mechanical and Computer Sciences
<b>1.2 Institution</b>	Romanian Academy
<b>1.3 Field of study</b>	Mechanical Engineering
<b>1.4 Study Cycles</b>	PHD Doctoral study

**2. Discipline data**

2.1 Name of discipline			Elements of mechanics, mechatronics and robotics				
2.2 Titular of course activities			CSI dr. DHC Veturia Chiroiu, CSI Ligia Munteanu				
2.3 Titular of seminar activities			CSI dr. DHC Veturia Chiroiu				
2.4 Titular of lab activities			-				
2.5 Year of study	1	2.6 Semester	2	2.7 Type of assessment	E	2.8 Discipline regime	DS

**3. Estimated total workload (hours per semester of didactic activities)**

<b>3.1 Number of hours per week</b>	15	<b>From which:</b>				
<b>3.2 cours</b>	9	<b>3.3 seminar</b>	3	<b>3.4 laboratory</b>	3	
<b>3.5 Total hours from the curriculum</b>	210	<b>From which:</b>				
<b>3.6 cours</b>	126	<b>3.7 seminar</b>	42	<b>3.8 laboratory</b>	42	
<b>3.9 Number of hours per semester</b>	210					
<b>3.10 Number of credits</b>	15					

**4. Course content**

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Knowing and mastering the general principles of mechanics, me</li> <li>2. Elements of kinematics, dynamics and statics of the material point, central forces, direct and inverse kinematics.</li> <li>3. Dynamics of material point systems, canonical equations, dynamic models of systems, rigid-body systems, classification of constrained motion control concepts.</li> <li>4. Dynamics and statics of the rigid solid, passive compliance methods, adaptive compliance methods.</li> <li>5. Robot kinematics: position analysis, active motion control methods.</li> <li>6. Dynamic analysis of robots, impedance control, position/force hybrid control, impedance-force control, unified force-position control.</li> <li>7. Trajectory planning, motion planning concepts, sampling-based planning,</li> <li>8. Intelligent control of structures. Estimation and identification of parameters.</li> <li>9. The robustness of the control. Robot modeling with contact tasks.</li> <li>10. Kinematic and dynamic control of a robot. Dynamic identification using ground reaction forces.</li> <li>11. Intelligent control techniques. Visual servoing/Visual tracking. Sensory and perception.</li> <li>12. Obstacle detection methods. Stability and balance of robots.</li> <li>13. Dynamics and robust control of robot-environment interaction. Inertial sensors. GPS, Odometry.</li> <li>14. Planning through potential fields, road maps in higher dimension, differential constraints, constraint discretization them.</li> <li>15. Applications. Robust control of human-robot interaction in haptic systems. Intelligent control of contact tasks in humanoid robotics. Stability and balance of humanoid robots.</li> </ol>
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## 5. Objectives of the discipline and the specific acquired skills

1. The general objective of the discipline: Knowledge and acquisition of the general principles of mechanics, mechatronics and robotics.
2. Specific objectives:
  - Acquiring the specific knowledge to the study of mechanics, mechatronics and robotics.
  - Study of dynamic modeling of mechanical, mechatronic, robotic systems, trajectory planning, intelligent control of structures and control robustness, intelligent control techniques, obstacle detection methods, potential field planning.
  - Knowledge and skills acquired in this discipline will form the basis of future scientific and didactic research activities

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## 7. Assessment

Activity type	5.1 Evaluation Criterias	5.2 Evaluation methods	5.3 Weight of the final grade
5.4 Cours	Acquired Knowledge	Oral Exam	50%
5.5 Seminar+laborator	Activity	Study cases	50%

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<b>5.6 Minimum performance standard: Knowledge of 80% of the information contained in the course</b>
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### Course structure

June 2023 – September 2023 – Didactic activity - Laboratory of Mechanics of  
Deformable Media, IMSAR

Exam

October 2023

Course owner: Dr. Veturia Chiroiu

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