

Faculty of Architecture

Department: Architecture and Urbanism

Professional area: Architecture, Civil Engineering and Geodesy

Major: Architecture

Educational-and-qualification Degree: Master

COURSE DESCRIPTION

1. **Course unit title:** Pre - Diploma Project 1 – Integrated Complexes, Buildings and Design
2. **Course unit code:**ARC 2048
3. **Type of course unit:** optional
4. **Level of course unit:** Master
5. **Year of study:** fifth
6. **Semester when the course unit is delivered:** ninth
7. **Number of ECTS credits allocated:** 15
8. **Name of lecturer:** Prof. Arch. Positsa Nikiforova, PhD
9. **Learning outcomes of the course unit:** The course aims at mastering methodology for design of contextual urban planning solution for a complex of buildings; mastering methods for design by the use of the tools analysis and complexity.
10. **Mode of delivery:** face-to-face
11. **Prerequisites and co-requisites:** To do the course it is necessary for the students to have successfully designed projects in typology of buildings and urban planning.
12. **Course contents:** Practical work on a chosen topic with variant solutions in a context of the environment.
13. **Recommended or required reading:**
 - E-lectures and theses given by the lecturer;
 - **Chung Ch. J., Inaba J., Koolhaas R., Leong Sz. Ts.,** The Harvard Design School Guide to Shopping, Taschen, 2002
 - **Coleman Peter,** Shopping environments (Evolution, Planning and Design, Architectural Press, 2006, Elsevier Ltd, Oxford UK, Burlington MA, USA
 - **Schittich, Christian** (2009) Exhibitions and Displays *Museum design concepts Brand presentation Trade-fair design.* Institut für internationale Architektur-Dokumentation GmbH&Co. KG
 - **Schittich, Christian (Ed.)** (2010) Small Structures *Compact dwellings, Temporary structures, Room modules.* Institut für international Architektur-Dokumentation GmbH&Co. KG
 - **Kramer A.,** Retail Development Handbook Urban Land Institute (2009)
14. **Planned learning activities and teaching methods:** lectures, seminars, contact hours and independent work
15. **Assessment methods and criteria:** Individual work with each student, discussion of the assignments in group, presenting and defending project assignments
16. **Language of instruction:** Bulgarian
17. **Work placement(s):** none