# POZNAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY



EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS**

# Course name

Diffusion processes [S1IMat1>ProcDyf]

| Semester<br>e of study |
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| Other<br>0             |
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### **Prerequisites**

Knowledge: basic knowledge of chemistry, physics and materials science. Skills: logical thinking, use of the information obtained from the library and the Internet. Social competencies: understanding the need for learning and acquiring new knowledge.

## Course objective

Understanding the phenomenon of diffusion in metals and alloys and its application in surface layer manufacturing processes.

## Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge:

1. student should know and apply the laws and characterize the types and mechanisms of diffusion [k\_w03, k\_w16]

2. student should characterize the basic technologies of the manufacture of diffusion layers - [k\_w08, k\_w11, k\_w14]

Skills:

- 1. student can choose diffusion layer for working conditions [k\_u03, k\_u05, k\_u13]
- 2. student can model and calculate diffusion process conditions [k\_u01, k\_u05]
- 3. student can conduct diffusion process studies [k\_u05, k\_u08]

### Social competences:

1. student can collaborate in a group - [k\_k03]

2. student is aware of the role of diffusion processes in the technique and their impact on the formation, protection and degradation of metals and metal alloys. - [k\_k02]

### Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

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Lecture: Ranking based on written test consisting of general and test questions (ranking in case of getting at least 51% of points: <51% 2 - ndst, 51%-62% 3 - dst, 63%-72% 3,5 - dst+, 73%-83% 4 - db, 84%-94% 4,5 - db+, > 94% 5 - bdb).

Classes: Ranking based on the evaluation of the multimedia presentation, answers to the lecturer's questions and participation in the discussion.

## **Programme content**

Diffusion mechanisms and their identification in relation to the most commonly used processes of diffusion saturation with metallic and non-metallic elements. Diffusion laws and their application to describe the kinetics of the growth of diffusion layers. Production and properties of diffusion surface layers.

## **Course topics**

Lecture:

- 1.Crystal lattice and defects of crystal structure.
- 2.Diffusion mechanisms.
- 3. Fundamental diffusion rights.
- 4.Self-diffusion.
- 5.Diffusion of atoms of impurities in metals.
- 6.Reaction diffusion.
- 7.Surface diffusion along grain boundaries and dislocation diffusion.
- 8. The role of diffusion in the phase transformation of metal alloys.
- 9.Manufacture and properties of diffusion surface layers

10.Methods of testing diffusion processes.

Classes:

- 1. Chromizing
- 2. Carburizing
- 3. Titanazing
- 4. Boriding
- 5. Nitriding
- 6. Aluminizing
- 7. Vanadising

## Teaching methods

1. Lecture: multimedia presentation, illustrated with examples on the board.

2. Classes: presentations, discussion, case study.

## Bibliography

Basic

1. Jastrzębski J.: Dyfuzja w metalach i stopach, Wydawnictwo Śląsk, 1988

- 2. Mrowec S.: Defekty struktury i dyfuzja atomów w kryształach jonowych?, PWN , 1990
- 3. Mrowec S.: Teoria dyfuzji w stanie stałym, PWN , 1989

### Additional

1. Młynarczak A., Jakubowski J.: Obróbka powierzchniowa i powłoki Ochronne, Skrypt PP, Poznań, 1998

- Kula P.: Inżynieria warstwy wierzchniej, Politechnika Łódzka, 2000
  Burakowski T. Wierzchoń T., Inżynieria powierzchni metali, PWN, Warszawa, 1998
  Kulka M., Current Trends in Boriding: Techniques, Springer International Publishing, 2019

# Breakdown of average student's workload

|  | Hours | ECTS |
|--|-------|------|
| Total workload   | 65    | 2,00 |
| Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher  | 30    | 1,00 |
| Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory classes/<br>tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation) | 35    | 1,00 |