

Department of Petroleum Technology

Erbil Technology Institute

University of Polytechnic-Erbil

Subject: Wastewater Engineering

Course Book - (Year 2)/ Course 4

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Course Book

Wastewater Engineering WWE401		
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Theory: 3 Face to face hours 55		
Practical: 2 Home Hours 112		
Sunday 12:30-2:30 Monday 12:30-2:30		
WWE401		
The general specialty of my academic background is the		
science of geology in University of Sulaimani which		
includes many branches too. However, my specific		
specialty is going toward Environmental Geology and		
Environmental management from the master of science		
from UK predominantly with wastewater engineering.		
Participated and organized in many conferences,		
symposiums, and workshops. Besides, presented many		
seminars in different sectors and organizations. I am also		
an IOSH managing safely certified. IRCA Certified Lead		
Auditor for ISO 45001: 2018 Health and safety and ISO		
14001:2015 Environmental Management system.		
Environment, prevention, control, policy, and procedure.		
Wastewater, Nutrient, coagulation, and flocculation.		

10. Course overview:

the significance of Wastewater in the oil and gas industry now a day is becoming more and more predominant, especially when the case is all about a developing country that we live in. this course intends to propose a basic but not too detailed information about the concept of Wastewater and the related issues especially in the world of oil and gas industry. The ideologies and models of different wastewater engineering challenges will be discussed and deliberated to the students in a way that allows them to be equipped with sufficient information to enhance them in meeting with oil and gas company's expectation. Besides, this course is designed to allow and secure a participant an almost a guaranteed employment if they complete the course successfully.

11. Course objective:

Understand the conceptual and theoretical underpinning of the world of wastewater engineering. Study briefly about wastewater engineering.

Concepts of workplace wastewater engineering will be discussed as they related to the oil, gas, petrochemical and associated industries. Students will develop an understanding of how businesses manage Wastewater and the regulatory responsibilities and be able to prepare for further study in the field. Included is a historical perspective of the legislative process of regulations, explanation of HSE terms especially from environmental point of view, ethics and professionalism, recordkeeping and water component statistics, hazard recognition / evaluation / control, accident investigation and analysis, emergency preparedness, security, workers' compensation, concepts of pollution control, waste management, EIA, and wastewater management systems.

12. Student's obligation

Missed classes will not be compensated including the quizzes and the scheduled assignments. The students will lose marks on unattended classes with quizzes unless a legal document or authorized leave is presented which should explain the excuse of the absence. However, the absent student should take the responsibility for making up the missed lecture.

13. Forms of teaching

many useful tools will be used in this course to enhance the students to get better understanding including coloured markers, slideshows, white board, smart board, and hand-outs.

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14. Assessment scheme

Total grade or mark

The grade of the subject is divided onto several sections as follows:

Seasonal examination 25

Quizzes and report 15

Classroom participation and reporting 10

<u>Final exam</u> 50

ECTS Workload Calculation Form							
Activity	S	Description		Activity Type	No.	Time Factor	Workload
Course	1	Theory	In class	f	6	2	12
	2	Theory	Online	f	6	2	12
	3	Preparation (1.5)* Theory	h	12	3	36
	4	Practical		f	12	2	24
	5	Preparation (1)* practical		h	12	2	24
	6	Tuto	orial	f			
Site Visits Scientific/Field Tri		Field Trips	f				
		Lab. Reports	Lab. Reports & Activities		5	1.25	6.25
	7	Homework		h	2	<u>2</u>	4
As	8	Report		h	1	<u>2</u>	2
sigr	9	Seminar		h	1	<u>5</u>	5
Assignment	10	Paper		h		<u>12</u>	
ent	11	Essay		h		8	
	12	Project		h		<u>10</u>	
	13	Quiz		h	4	<u>1</u>	4
	14		Theory	f	1	<u>2</u>	2
>	15	Mid Term	Preparation	h	1	6	6
Assessment	16	Mid Term	Practical	f	1	<u>1</u>	1
rssr	17		Preparation	h	1	4	4
ner	18		Theory	f	1	<u>2</u>	2
1	19	Final	Preparation	h	1	8	8
	20		Practical	f	1	<u>2</u>	2
	21		Preparation	h	1	6	6
Face to face hours (f) / (12) week		5.08	Fa	ce to face ho	urs (f)	61	
Home hours (h) / (16) week		6.19		Home hours	(h)	99	
Total hours / (16) week			10.00		Total hour	s	160
	ECTS (Total hours / 27) ≈ 6						5.9

Underlined numbers must not be changed.

f: Face to face activity hours

h: Household activity hours

15. Student learning outcome:

This course book has been designed as a reference to acquaint you with the requirements of most oil and gas companies and assist you in compliance for the purpose of achieving incident-free performance. It is meant to provide you with a reference source for policies, safety rules, standards, procedures and guidelines that affect the safety and health of you and your co-workers.

16. Course Reading List and References:

Metcalf & Eddy, Wastewater Engineering, Treatment and reuse. (2004) Fourth Edition, McGrawHill

Benjamin O. ALLI, Fundamental principles of occupational health and safety. (2008) second edition, International Labour Organization

Handi-guide to alberta's OH & S act, regulation and codes. (2014) Carswell, a division of Thomson reuters Canada limited

Health and safety test. (2006) Thomson Prometric, printed in UK

The Environmental Impact Assessment of petroleum operations, instruction No.1 (2014) Ministry of Natural Resources

Technical Guideline on The Environmental Impact Assessment of petroleum operations in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq (2014) Ministry of Natural Resources

17. The Topics:	Lecturer's name	
Introduction to Wastewater	Chia Hussain	
 What is a wastewater 	(2 hrs)	
 What are wastewater's main components 		
 Obligations 	Week 1	
Wastewater problem origins	Chia Hussain	
 History of wastewater problems 	(2 hrs)	
 International wastewater outbreaks 		
 Everyone's Responsibilities toward WW 	Week 2	
Mass Balance	Chia Hussain	
 concept of mass balance 	(2 hrs)	
 mass balance calculations 		
 case study and exercise 	Week 3	
Physiochemical Process of Wastewater	Chia Hussain	
 Coagulation and flocculation 	(2 hrs)	
 Physical separation 		
 Membrane separation 	Week 4	

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Biological processes for wastewater treatment	Chia Hussain
Microbial organism	(2 hrs)
Bioremediation	
Biodegradation Concept	Week 5
Introduction to wastewater Treatment	Chia Hussain
Why treat wastewater	(2 hrs)
Sewage-load	
Conventional Sewage Treatment	Week 6
Conventional Sewage Treatment	Chia Hussain
Preliminary treatment	(2 hrs)
Primary sedimentation	=
Secondary Treatment	Week 7
Secondary Treatment	Chia Hussain
Trickling filters	(2 hrs)
Activation sludge plant	
Simplified activated sludge description	Week 8
Tertiary Treatment	Chia Hussain
Cuts and wounds	(2 hrs)
Animal bites	
Basic life support and initial response	Week 9
Sour gas H ₂ S and NORM	Chia Hussain
Deep bed sand filter	(2 hrs)
Submerged Aerated Filters	
Rotating Bio-disc contactors	Week 10
Sludge	Chia Hussain
What is sludge	(2 hrs)
why treat sludge	
 Surplus activated sludge 	Week 11
Digestion	
Trickling Filters	Chia Hussain
Trickling filter layout	(2 hrs)
Drive mechanism	N. 1.43
Design	Week 12
Exercises	
Activated Sludge Plant	Chia Hussain
Activated sludge Plant Process	(2 hrs)
Tank Configuration	144 1 40
Basic Process design Parameters	Week 13
Sludge Age	

• Exer	cises		
The World	of Sludge		Chia Hussain
	rces and Characteristics of se	(4 hrs)	
	ge production calculation		
	ons for treating sludge		Week 14
-	gning an anaerobic digestion	n plant	
Anaerobic [·	Chia Hussain
	at is sludge digestion		(4 hrs)
	es of Digestion		Week 15
• Com	position of sludge		
• Maiı	n Design Consideration		
• Desi	gn a digestion center		
Waste Stab	ilization Pond		Chia Hussain
 Typ 	es of waste stabilization Pon	d	(2 hrs)
	ign Parameters		Week 16
• Ana	erobic pond design		
	ultative pond Design		
Nutrient Removal			Chia Hussain
 What are nutrients 			(4 hrs)
Sources of nutrients			Week 17
	y Remove nutrients		
	v to remove P from sewage		
18. Praction	cal Topics: Four site visit	ts to Kawrgosk water	
treatment	t plant, Italian Village2 v	vastewater	
Treatmen	t plant, PEPSI Erbil wast	ewater treatment	
plant and	KAR Group treatment p	lant.	
Type of		Example	
question			
Multiple choice			
Short			
answer			
Matching	Match the following stateme	nts in the column A with the	e definitions in the column B
pairs	A		
	A		В
	1. Waste water	A. Vessel	
	2. Reactor	B. Municipal and indu	ustrial
	3. Physical properties of	C. Turbidity,tastes	

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	4. River stream contains	D. To take water for small hights	
	5. Lake contains	E. Solids and bacteria	
	6. Low lift pumping	F. Algae,,,solids	
	7.	G.	
	8.	H.	
	9.	I.	
	10.	J.	
	Answer for matching pairs: 1B,2A,3C,4E,5F,6D		
Definition	Define the following terms: Waste water, suspended solid, Heavy metals Answers; Waste water, Is defined as a combination of the liquid or water carried wastes removed from the residences, institutions together with such ground water, surface water. Suspended solid; This can led to the development of sludge deposit and anaerobic conditions when un treated waste water is discharged in the aquatic environment. Heavy metals; Are usually added to waste water from commercial and industrial activities and may have to be removed if the waste water is to be reused.		
Problem situation			
Quiz	yes		

20. Extra notes:

It is NOT intended that this course book be used as an all-inclusive source of safe practices. Our objective is to provide a safe and compliant work environment that is conducive to both personal and professional growth.

21. Peer review

The aim of this course is to direct the student toward a better understanding about wastewater treatments in its detailed processes which Mr. Chia did it clearly in the course syllabus and this course details and covers the main aspects too.

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