| Course number and name | END 445 / Lean Production Systems |
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| Credits, contact hours, categorization of credits | 3 credits / 42 hours / Engineering topic |
| Instructor or course coordinator | Ufuk CEBECİ |
| Text book and other supplemental materials | Baudin, M. (2004). Lean Logistics: The Nuts and Bolts of Delivering Materials and Goods, Productivity Press, New York. Black, J.T. & Hunter, S.L. (2003). Lean Manufacturing Systems and Cell Design, Society of Manufacturing Engineers. Gross, J.M. & Mcinnis, K.R. (2003) Kanban Made Simple, American Management Association. Hirano, H. (1995). Pillars of the Visual Workplace: the sourcebook for 5S Implementation. Translated by Bruce Talbot. Portland: Productivity Press. McIntosh, R.I., Culley, S.J., Mileham, A.R., Owen, G.A. (2001). Improving changeover performance [electronic resource]: a strategy for becoming a lean, responsive manufacturer. Oxford; Boston: Butterworth-Heinemann. Monden, Y. (1993) Toyota Production System, An Integrated Approach to Just-In-Time, Industrial Engineering and Management Press. Nicholas, J.M. (1998). Competitive Manufacturing Management. Irwin/McGraw-Hill. Ohno, T. (1988). Toyota Production System: Beyond Large Scale Production. Productivity Press. Tapping, D., Luyster, T., Shuker, T. (2003). Value stream management for the lean office: 8 steps to planning, mapping, and sustaining lean improvements in administrative areas. New York: Productivity Press. |

| Course information | | |
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| Content | Introduce lean thinking and lean manufacturing and provide knowledge and skills required to design a waste-free effective production system. | |
| Prerequisites | None | |
| Type | Selected elective | |

Course learning outcomes

Students who pass the course will:

- I. design a Just-in-Time management system,
- II. apply various techniques of waste elimination in a production system,
- III. sketch a value-stream map of a system,
- IV. perform production smoothing,
- V. comprehend the link between production lead time and inventory costs.

| Student outcomes | Level of contribution |
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| SO1. An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics. | High |
| SO2. An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors. | Partial |
| SO3. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences. | Partial |
| SO4. An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts. | Partial |
| SO5. An ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives. | High |
| SO6. An ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions. | Partial |
| SO7. An ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies. | High |

| Week | Topics | Learning outcome(s) |
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| 1 | Methodology of Just-in-Time Production Management; Types of Wastes (Muda) and Techniques of Eliminating "Muda" in Production Systems | I, II |
| 2 | Industrial Housekeeping (5S), Visual Workplace and A3 Thinking | I, II |
| 3 | Set-up Analysis and Reduction& Total Productive Maintenance (TPM) | I, II |
| 4 | Push, Pull and Hybrid Production Control Systems; Paper Airplane Exercise | III, IV |
| 5 | Types of Kanbans, Kanban System Design and Applications | III, IV |
| 6 | Value Stream Mapping and Management | VI |
| 7 | Value Stream Mapping Application | V |
| 8 | Production Lead Times and Inventory Costs | I, VI |
| 9 | Production Smoothing and Mixed Model Assembly Line Scheduling | I, VI |
| 10 | Lean Supply Chain Management | I, VI |
| 11 | Lean Logistics Application within the Factories | I, II, III, IV, VI |
| 12 | Supply Chain Game | I, II, III, IV, VI |
| 13 | Project Presentations – 1 | I, II |
| 14 | Project Presentations – 2 | I, II |