

# SPIM-MM-906 Non metallic materials

**Master Degree : Mechanical Engineering and Material sciences**

**Reference number: SPIM MM 906**

**Title of the subject : Non metallic materials**

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*Course is given each year*

Semester : *Autumn*

Total hours of classes :                *60 h*                ECTS Credits : 6

Teaching language : French or English.

The course is proposed in English for exchange students : Yes and No

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Course composition	Coef.	Number of hours				
		Lectures	Tutorials	Practicals	Others	
Glass and ceramics		16	8			
Polymers		8	8			
Composite materials (can be in English)		12		8		

**Aim :**

During their master degree, students will have mostly work with metallic alloys. So this course is given to provide an overview of the mechanical behaviour of non metallic materials like glass, ceramic materials, polymers and composites

**Prerequisites**

Continuum mechanics.

**Course syllabus**

Glass and Ceramics

Structures of glass and ceramics  
 Manufacturing processes  
 Mechanical, electrical properties  
 Damage process in ceramics

Polymers :

Processing  
 Thermoset and thermoplastic polymers : difference  
 Rheology, simple model  
 Long term behaviour

Composite :

Composite with short of long fibers.  
 Glass re-imforced composite : mechanical behaviour  
 Ply behaviour, assembly with different orientation

Composite with inclusions, modelling, overview

**Assessment system :**

Continuous evaluation is generalized in this Master Degree. Students will obtain information concerning the evaluation at the beginning of each semester.

When not passed, a second exam is planned after the end of the semester so the student has a second opportunity to obtain the ECTS credit

Mark is a composite between evaluation elements, which are listed below. The relative percentage of each item is provided on due time.

Mid Exam

Final Exam

Practicals

The course syllabus, the academic weekly planning and the assessment system may be subject to variation. Modifications are dully announced in advance.