



**NAAB International Certification**

**Appendix 1: Template for Course Descriptions - Electives [limit 1 page per course]**

**Number & Title of Course (total credits awarded):**

ELTECH4&506 - Wood Construction - Semester - ECTS - Cycle/Profile: - Scientific Area:

**Course Description (limit 25 words)**

Anthological view of timber construction in the West  
Materials, characteristics and use  
Design, detailing and protection by design  
Wood construction systems  
Modularity and prefabrication

**Course Goals & Objectives (list):**

Provide students with the technical knowledge that will enable them to adequately carry out projects in wooden structures with an emphasis on detailing and protection by design

**Student Performance Criterion addressed (list number and title):**

Primary - A.4 Architectural Design Skills; B.5 Structural Systems; Secondary -

**Topical Outline (include percentage of time in course spent in each subject area):**

Lecturing 12h  
Tutoring 18h

**Textbooks/Learning Resources:**

Â· ALMEIDA, PAULO PEREIRA, ConstruÃ§Ã£o de Madeira: Sistemas e Materiais, CaleidoscÃ³pio, 2019  
Â· ALMEIDA, PAULO PEREIRA, Manual de PrescriÃ§Ã£o em Madeira: Light framing, CaleidoscÃ³pio, 2019  
Â· ALMEIDA, PAULO PEREIRA, ConstruÃ§Ã£o em Madeira: GlossÃ¡rio, CaleidoscÃ³pio, 2019  
Â· AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF TIMBER CONSTRUCTION, Timber Construction Manual, 6th edition, John Wiley and Sons, New York, 2012  
Â· HERZOG, T. et al, Timber Construction Manual, Birkhauser, Basel, 2004.

**Offered (semester and year):**

2nd Year - Fall;

**Faculty assigned (list all faculty assigned during the two academic years prior to the visit):**

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