

2020

Marine Hydrodynamics

Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information below is subject to change, in particular that concerning the teaching mode (presential, distance or in a comodal or hybrid format).

5 credits	30.0 h + 15.0 h	Q1

Teacher(s)	Deleersnijder Eric ;				
Language :	English				
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve				
Aims	The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".				
Evaluation methods	Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change. Continuous assessment of knowledge through homework assignments.				
Teaching methods	Due to the COVID-19 crisis, the information in this section is particularly likely to change. Flipped classroom.				
Content	The following topics are dealt with: quick introduction to or refresher of continuum mechanics; reactive transport and continuity equations; equation of fluid mechanics in a non-inertial reference frame and their application to marine hydrodynamics; thin layer approximation, hydrostatic approximation, Boussinesq approximation, geostrophic equilibrium; impact of Earth's rotation; reduced-dimension models, with a focus on water column and depth-integrated models and their applications; impact of stratification; notions of turbulence closure schemes; notions of numerical methods to solve the abovementioned equations; model results diagnoses and skill assessment case studies (selected in agreement with the students' areas of interest).				
Inline resources	Slides, list of problems and computer animations available on or through Moodle (https://moodleucl.uclouvain.be/? lang=en).				
Bibliography	Slides and computer animations available on Moodle. Consulter les ouvrages suivants est conseillé (mais non obligatoire): Burchard H., 2002, Applied Turbulence Modelling in Marine Waters, Springer Cushman-Roisin B. and JM. Beckers, 2011 (2nd ed.), Introduction to Geophysical Fluid Dynamics - Physical and Numerical Aspects, Academic Press Dyer K.R., 1997 (2nd ed.), Estuaries - A Physical Introduction, Wiley Fisher H.B. et al., 1979, Mixing in Inland and Coastal Waters, Academic Press Zheng C. and G.D. Bennett, 2002 (2nd ed.), Applied Contaminant Transport Modeling, Wiley				
Faculty or entity in charge	GC				

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims		
Master [120] in Architecture and Engineering	ARCH2M	5		هر		
Master [120] in Civil Engineering	GCE2M	5		٩		
Master [120] in Mathematical Engineering	MAP2M	5		٩		
Master [120] in Physics	PHYS2M	5		٩		