



CATAS Academy offers a complete training program which responds with competence to the needs of companies operating in the wood and furniture sector, or in close contact with it. Our goal is to spread more knowledge among our clients to enrich their technical and cultural experience.



## TECHNICAL TRAINING FOR THE WOOD AND FURNITURE SECTOR

The **CATAS Academy** catalogue includes courses on raw materials, semifinished products and end products. The subjects relate to the composition, performance, technical and safety standards including formaldehyde and volatile organic compounds emission. Each training course is based on freshly updated contents and it can always be tailored on the specific needs of the company who asks for it.

The courses are held at CATAS sites in San Giovanni al Natisone (UD) and Lissone (MB) or at the premises of the requesting company.

The training programme can include one or more training units. Catas can assist the requiring company to select the more appropriate to fulfil its training needs.

### TRAINING

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### CATAS Brianza

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Lissone (MB)

# Materials and components

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**Technical data sheets, purchasing requirements and quality control of incoming supplies. Critical analysis of the requirements based on the current legislation**

- Wood and wood based panels for furniture: composition and classification
- Decorative materials for furniture facing: characteristics, classification and performance
- Adhesives for non structural use: types, performances, defects
- Coating materials: types, performances, defects
- Hardware for furniture and components
- Glass

# Finished products

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**Chairs, tables and cabinets: requirements of strength, safety and durability**

- Domestic furniture
- Contract furniture
- Office furniture
- Children furniture
- School furniture
- Outdoor furniture

**Playground equipment**

- Requirements and test methods for the evaluation of strength, safety and durability

**Fire reaction**

- Fire prevention requirements

# Chemical safety

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- Emissions from raw materials and finished products (formaldehyde and VOC)
- Chemical composition and possible hazards

# Technical standards and tenders

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- Updating on the industry national, European and international standards
- Drafting of purchasing specifications for the call for tenders
- The consumer code

