Graduate Course Descriptions
Effective Fall 2015

Accounting

ACC 5000 - Accounting Foundations I
Introduction to basic theories, concepts, and practices to understand fundamental accounting principles and the resultant financial statements. Topics include the decisions-making environment, accounting cycle, financial measurement and reporting.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ACC 5000 - Accounting Foundations II
Continuation of ACC5000 with theories, concepts, and practices underlying financial measurement and reporting. Topics include income measurement, cash flows, allocation of costs, budgeting, and decision making.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ACC 5100 - Advanced Auditing and Fraud Examination
An in-depth study of auditing with a focus on fraud examination from an external auditor's perspective. The course utilizes problems, cases, and projects relating to fraud examination and forensic accounting.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): ACC 4100

ACC 5200 - Financial Statement Analysis
Study of financial statement analysis and concepts of valuation utilizing accounting-based financial information. Methods are applied to encompass decision making, communication, and judgement using problems, cases, and projects.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting
Pre-Requisite(s): ACC 5000

ACC 5300 - Financial Reporting and Control
This class covers the collection, reporting, and analysis of financial information with emphasis on the use of that information to support decision making.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting
Pre-Requisite(s): ACC 5000

ACC 5500 - Strategic Cost Accounting
This course focuses on the use of managerial accounting information in making strategic business decisions. Topics include contemporary costing methods, advanced capital budgeting, profit center analysis, transfer pricing, and performance evaluation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting
Pre-Requisite(s): ACC 5300

ACC 5600 - Taxation for Decision Makers
This course focuses on how taxes impact management decision making. Advanced tax planning techniques are studied to develop analytical, research, and professional communication skills.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting

ACC 5800 - Advanced Accounting Systems
This course presents a comprehensive understanding of accounting information systems and advanced technology in the accounting environment. It emphasizes how to use these tools to enhance financial decision making. Topics include contemporary technology and applications.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): ACC 4800

ACC 5900 - Current Issues in Accounting
This course examines current issues in the accounting profession. Designed as a capstone course to further understand concepts introduced through the analysis of contemporary accounting issues.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Accounting

Atmospheric Science

ATM 5010 - Research Methods in Atmospheric Science
A study of measurement techniques used in atmospheric research including instruments used in the lab and field and an introduction to computational methods of analyzing and displaying atmospheric data using programming languages such as IDL.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Spring

ATM 5100 - Atmospheric Sciences Research Discussion
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ATM 5515(C) or ATM 5640(C) or ATM 5880(C) or CE 5515 or PH 5640 or PH 5680

ATM 5200 - Special Topics in Atmospheric Sciences
Advanced study of topics in the atmospheric sciences. The subject matter may vary from term to term depending on the needs and interests of students.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ATM 5512 - Applied Boundary Layer Meteorology
Study of how forcing phenomena affect transport of water and chemicals in the atmospheric boundary layer and how this transport is measured in the field, including relevant aspects of fluid dynamics, boundary layer structure, surface energy balance, and flux measurement.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
### ATM 5515 - Atmospheric Chemistry
Study of the photochemical processes governing the composition of the troposphere and stratosphere, with application to air pollution and climate change. Covers radical chain reaction cycles, heterogeneous chemistry, atmospheric radiative transfer and measurement techniques for atmospheric gases.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Spring  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** CH 3510 or CH 3520 or ENVE 4504

### ATM 5516 - Aerosol and Cloud Chemistry
This course is focused on the chemistry of atmospheric aerosols and cloud processes. Students will learn about methods for chemical characterization, the chemical composition of aerosol and the chemical reactions pertinent to secondary aerosol and cloud composition.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall  
**Restrictions:** May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** ATM 5515(C)

### ATM 5519 - Atmospheric Biogeochemistry
Study of the relationship between atmospheric composition, global change, and the circulation of major elements through the Earth system. Responses of ecosystem emissions to changes in landuse, biodiversity, nutrient supply, plant stressors, and climate change are discussed.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year  
**Restrictions:** May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** CH 1150

### ATM 5640 - Atmospheric Physics
Essential elements of atmospheric physics, including thermodynamics (e.g. adiabatic processes, phase transformations, stratification), aerosol and cloud physics (e.g. nucleation, Kohler theory, growth by condensation and collection), and radiative transfer (e.g. Bethe's law, transfer equations with and without scattering).

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** MA 3530 and PH 2300

### ATM 5680 - Atmospheric Fluid Dynamics
Fundamentals force and conservation laws that govern fluid flow; applications to the atmosphere, including balanced flow (pressure gradient and Coriolis Force), vorticity dynamics, turbulence, waves, and boundary layers.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** MA 3530 and PH 2300

### ATM 5695 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.

**Credits:** 9.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (9-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall, Spring, Summer  
**Restrictions:** Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

### ATM 6999 - Doctoral Research
Independent research conducted in partial fulfillment of the requirements of the Atmospheric Sciences doctoral degree.

**Credits:** variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
**Semesters Offered:** On Demand  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

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## Business Administration

### BA 5200 - Information Systems Management and Data Analytics
Focuses on management of IS/IT within the business environment. Topics include IT infrastructure and architecture, organizational impact of innovation, change management, human-machine interaction, and contemporary management issues involving data analytics. Class format includes lecture, group discussion, and integrative case studies.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

### BA 5300 - Financial Reporting and Control
This class covers the collection, reporting, and analysis of financial information with emphasis on the use of that information to support decision making.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Spring  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

### BA 5400 - Financial Risk Management and Decision Making
Explores the theory and practice of finance and capital markets. Topics include role of the financial manager and goals of the firm, financial mathematics, valuation of assets, cost of capital, project evaluation, capital structure, forecasting, financing vehicles, special topics in finance.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Summer  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** BA 5300

### BA 5610 - Operations Management
Applications and case studies focusing on contemporary issues in operations and quality management to include lean manufacturing practices, ERP, quality and environmental management systems/standards, Six Sigma, statistical process control, and other current topics.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** MA 2710 or MA 2720 or MA 3710

### BA 5650 - Project Management
Focuses on project definition, selection, planning, scheduling, implementation, performance monitoring, evaluation and control. Emphasis will be on product, service and process development and emerging concepts related to development on the internet. Some advanced concepts in resource constraint management and design matrix are included.

**Credits:** 3.0  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (3-0-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall, Spring, Summer  
**Restrictions:** Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Applied Natural Resource Econ., Business Administration  
**Pre-Requisite(s):** MA 2710 or MA 2720 or MA 3710
BA 5700 - Managing Behavior in Organizations
Discusses managing effectively within the environmental context of the organization. Topics include corporate culture, managing in a global environment, planning and strategy, organizational structure, human resources management, managing change, leadership, motivation, communication, conflict management, and teamwork.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

BA 5710 - Business and Corporate Strategies
Introduces students to a repertoire of strategies that have been found useful in the creation of competitive advantage: cost leadership, business model differentiation, vertical integration, diversification, globalization, mergers and acquisitions, tacit collusion, alliance, and flexibility-agility-adaptability strategies.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting
Pre-Requisite(s): BA 5300 and BA 5400(C) and BA 5700 and BA 5800

BA 5720 - Launching Entrepreneurial Ventures
Focuses on the development of new technology-based businesses. Topics include creativity, screening technological opportunities, analyzing markets, testing business concepts, protecting intellectual property, strategy development, entrepreneurial team selection, securing financing, and developing a business plan.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

BA 5740 - Managing Innovation and Technology
An evolutionary strategic perspective is taken viewing how technology strategy evolves from underlying technological competencies, patterns of innovation, sources of external technological knowledge and modes of transfer.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting
Pre-Requisite(s): BA 5700

BA 5770 - Managing Change
This course focuses on theory, research, and practice of both 'planned' and 'unplanned' change. The course considers the dynamics of change in complex organizations, variables which facilitate or impede change, and how to lead change and motivate others to change.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

BA 5780 - Managing in the Global Environment
Course topics may include the following: impact of international political, economic, technological, and social environment forces, currency risks, cross-cultural management issues, strategic challenges for multinational companies, and international joint ventures and alliances.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

Pre-Requisite(s): BA 5700 and BA 5400(C)

BA 5800 - Marketing, Technology, and Globalization
The course facilitates students' improvement of analytical skills, information processing techniques, and cultural competence in the globalized marketing environment. Focuses are placed on strategic marketing management, high-tech product marketing, global consumer behavior, branding, and online marketing.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Business Administration, Applied Natural Resource Econ., Accounting

BA 5900 - MBA Internship
An opportunity to apply the business principles and skills learned in the MBA program to an organizational environment. The guided experience is integrated with coursework to achieve personalized learning objectives.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 3
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Applied Natural Resource Econ., Business Administration

BA 5910 - Global Business Experience International Residency
This course prepares students for an international business residency overseas and provides a structure for debriefing their international residency experience.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-6)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

BA 5990 - Special Topics
Business topics of interest to students. Study is under the guidance of a faculty member.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: OnDemand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Applied Natural Resource Econ., Business Administration

Biomedical Engineering

BE 5000 - Biomedical Masters Research
Includes the study of an acceptable biomedical engineering problem and the preparation of a report or thesis.

Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5115 - Finite Element Modeling
The course teaches both fundamentals of finite element theory and hands-on experience for bio-engineers.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5200 - Cellular and Molecular Biology II
Covers, at an advanced level, the general principles and engineering applications of science and biology, including cell biology, physiology, molecular biology, genetics, and biotechnology.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2009-2010 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
BE 5220 - Stem Cell Engineering
This course will introduce historical review of stem cell research and related policies, current stem cell sources, strategies, review of current progress in stem cell research, and application of stem cells in regenerative medicine.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5250 - Biomedical Optics
Light plays a significant role in modern clinical diagnostics and in the clinical treatment of disease. Examples include non-invasive surgery, optical biopsy, and cancer therapy. This course will focus on the study of how light propagates through biological tissue.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year

BE 5300 - Polymeric Biomaterials
A specialized study of polymers used in biomedical engineering. Topics include: processing-structure-properties relationships for polymers, polymer fibers and composites, degradation of polymers, and medical applications for composite biomaterials.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2009-2010 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5330 - Biomimetic Materials
This course introduces students to biologically inspired approaches to design functional biomaterials. Topics include the discovery and incorporation of biological designs into novel materials and their application in the biomedical field.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5335 - Smart Polymers
This course introduces students to smart polymers that change their physical properties in response to various environmental stimuli. Topics include the molecular origin of the stimuli responsiveness of these materials and their application in the biomedical field.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5350 - Cell Biomechanics and Mechanical Transduction
This course is designed to introduce the mechanical analysis and characterization of mammalian cells. Mechanotransduction, whereby cells detect loading and respond to the morphology and mechanical properties of the surrounding extracellular matrix, will be emphasized.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5390 - Scientific Computing I
Understanding the use and limitations of computers for modeling and solving problems in physical, mathematical sciences, and in engineering. Basic scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Biomedical Engineering

BE 5395 - Scientific Computing II
Designing and administering research computing infrastructure, developing and integrating computing and visualization work flows, writing research proposals with budgetary restrictions and understanding the funding agency regulations for protection of data. Advanced scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Biomedical Engineering

BE 5510 - Cardiovascular Engineering
Fundamental cardiovascular pathology and the biomedical engineering approaches being developed and used toward problems resulting in significant cardiovascular deficiency such as myocardial infarction, chronic kidney disease, atherosclerosis, and heart valve disease.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5550 - Biostatistics for Health Science Research
An overview course of biostatistical methods used in the health sciences. Topics include a review of undergraduate statistical concepts, NIH, CDC, and FDA guidelines for clinical trial research, proper use of biostatistical methods including anova models, logistic regression, risk analysis, survivorship analysis and any other statistical methods that are common in the enrolled students' discipline.
Credits: variable to 4.0
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 2720 or MA 3710

BE 5610 - Biological Microscopy for Engineers
The goal of the course is to inform students of the useful for a particular biomedical engineering application.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5650 - Cell Biomechanics and Mechanical

BE 5700 - Biosensors
This course introduces the student to the fundamentals of biosensor development and applications. It provides an understanding of biological components, immobilization methods, transducers, and fabrication techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2009-2010 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5755 - Medical Devices
An introduction to medical devices used for diagnosis, monitoring, and treatment in clinical medicine. Devices will range from those that are noninvasive to those that are surgically implanted such as cardiac pacemakers. Issues regarding safety and government regulation of devices will be included.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5755 - Medical Devices
An introduction to medical devices used for diagnosis, monitoring, and treatment in clinical medicine. Devices will range from those that are noninvasive to those that are surgically implanted such as cardiac pacemakers. Issues regarding safety and government regulation of devices will be included.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
BE 5770 - Biomedical Microcontrollers
The focus of this course is to provide biomedical engineering students the necessary skills to develop microcontroller-based devices. Provides basic knowledge on computer programming languages, microcontrollers, digital circuits, and microcontroller development kits. Students will design and fabricate a microcontroller-based device using a microcontroller development kit for a specific biomedical application.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5800 - Advanced Biomaterials Interfaces
This course introduces the students to the effects of topography and texture on the performance of biomaterials. Special emphasis is placed on tissue engineering scaffolds and microfabrication and nanofabrication techniques. Some of the topics include: self-organization of biomembranes and supramolecular systems, bioactive materials, and the molecular basis for surface recognition and masking.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5900 - Biomedical Engineering Masters Topics
Biomedical engineering courses will be offered as professional electives dependent upon the interest of the faculty.

Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5940 - Introduction to Tissue Engineering
Explore the application of engineering principles toward the construction/reconstruction of human tissue. Fundamental biological principles involved in tissue engineering are reviewed from an engineering perspective with examples of engineered tissues such as blood vessels, skin, liver, cartilage and bone.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 5975 - Full-Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 6900 - Biomedical Engineering Doctoral Topics
Biomedical engineering courses will be offered as professional electives dependent upon the interest of the faculty.

Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BE 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Biological Sciences

BL 5025 - The Scientific Profession
The practice of sciences for graduate students, including how to plan a research project, grantsmanship, publication, navigating the job market, and timely issues (e.g. ethical conduct, diversity and bias, etc.).

Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

BL 5030 - Molecular Biology
Molecular biology of gene structure, expression and regulation. Molecular techniques and their application to biotechnology and genomes are covered.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5034 - Community Ecology and Evolutionary Dynamics
This is an advanced course that looks at the study of ecology and evolutionary biology at the community level: how populations interact with the abiotic environment and each other to determine patterns of diversity, distribution, and abundance of plants and animals.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 3400 and BL 3190

BL 5035 - Biomaging
Current concepts in light and electron microscopy and scanning probe techniques. Theory and practice of fluorescence (including confocal and multi-photon), atomic force, scanning and transmission electron, and video microscopy as applied to biological specimens with an emphasis on sample preparation. Emphasis will be placed on application of advanced techniques. Half semester course.

Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
BL 5036 - Ecology and Evolution of Interactions Between Plants and Insects
Plants and insects have played major roles in influencing each other's evolutionary diversification. We will examine the ecology and evolution of plant-insect interactions in basic and applied contexts. A solid foundation of tools in ecology and evolution will be established and class will include lectures and interactive discussions from readings of the primary literature.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 3400 and BL 3190

BL 5042 - Scanning Electron Microscopy of Biological Specimens
Hands-on training in operation of the scanning electron microscope (SEM). Students prepare biological specimens of their choice for observation. Emphasis will be placed on application of advanced techniques. Successful completion of course is prerequisite to becoming a certified SEM operator in the ACMAL. Half semester course.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-6)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Co-Requisite(s): BL 5035

BL 5045 - Molecular Basis of Human Disease
The course explores the molecular basis of human diseases, including Cancer, Metabolic Syndrome such as obesity, Diabetes and heart diseases, and Neurological disorders such as Alzheimer’s. Focus on the application of genetic, biochemical, and molecular biological principles to an understanding of the diseases. Course intended for graduate students.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 4030 or BL 5030 and BL 4020

BL 5052 - Fluorescence and Video Microscopy of Biological Sciences
Hands-on training in fluorescence microscopy and video microscopy. Students prepare biological specimens of their choice for observation. Emphasis will be placed on application of advanced techniques. Half semester course.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-6)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 5035

BL 5062 - Transmission Electron Microscopy of Biological Specimens
Hands-on training in operation of the transmission electron microscope (TEM). Students prepare biological specimens of their choice for observation. Emphasis will be placed on application of advanced techniques. Successful completion of course is prerequisite to becoming a certified TEM operator in the ACMAL. Half semester course.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-6)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 5035

BL 5120 - Environmental Remediation and Toxicology
Toxicology of major environmental pollutants, their dose-response relationships and fundamentals of environmental remediation. Topics include physical, chemical, and biological remediation methods and effect of environmental toxins on biological systems. Laboratory will involve the application of chemical and biological remediation techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 1020 or BL 1040

BL 5145 - Plant-Microbe Interactions
Interactions between plants and microorganisms in the environment. Topics include microbial virulence, signaling, gene expression, beneficial interactions and disease resistance in plants. Laboratory will focus on plant biochemical and microbiological methods as they relate to environmental problems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

BL 5200 - Microbial Physiology
Structure and function of microorganisms, with emphasis on mechanisms for responding to changing environmental and nutritional conditions.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2000-2001 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 3210 or BL 3310

BL 5340 - Special Topics in Biology
A discussion of recent developments in the biological sciences. Recent offerings have included population genetics, taxonomy of aquatic insects, herpetology, myology, fungi, and lichens.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5350 - Special Topics in Physiology
A discussion of recent developments in physiology. Recent offerings have included respiratory physiology, renal physiology, clinical cardiology, and neurophysiology.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5360 - Special Topics in Biochemistry
A discussion of recent developments in the field of biochemistry. Topics taught recently include steroid biochemistry, immunology, and metabolic control theory.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5370 - Special Topics in Microbiology
A discussion of recent developments in the field of microbiology. Topics taught recently include bacterial genetics, industrial microbiology, and advanced microbial ecology.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5380 - Special Topics in Ecology
A discussion of recent developments in the field of ecology. Topics taught recently include systems ecology, ecology of Great Lakes fisheries, ecology of algae, aquatic macrophytes, and world ecosystems.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
BL 5390 - Special Topics in Clinical Laboratory Science
A discussion of recent developments in clinical laboratory science.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5400 - Special Topics in Plant Sciences
A discussion of recent developments in plant science. Topics may include biotechnology, physiology, systematics, phylogenetics, biochemistry, and molecular genetics.
Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5421 - Lake Superior Exploration
Field intensive course with significant time spent on a research vessel (R/V Agassiz or some other) where students will learn the use of a variety of state-of-the-art techniques to characterize biological communities and measure important physical and biological processes.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (4-0-6)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5442 - Lake Ecology and Fish Biology
Field course combining lake ecosystem and foodweb study with fishes in lake systems. Students will be exposed to research methods used in lakes for comprehensive abiotic and biotic understanding.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year

BL 5447 - Stream Ecology & Fish Biology
Field course combining river and stream ecosystem and foodweb study with fishes in lake systems. Students will be exposed to research methods used in lakes for comprehensive abiotic and biotic understanding.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year

BL 5451 - Advanced Aquatic Ecology
This course will provide advanced coverage of ecological pattern, science, and theory focused on aquatic systems. Topics will range from populations to landscapes and interactions between terrestrial and aquatic systems. Lectures and discussions guided by published literature.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5455 - Graduate Research Methods in Aquatic Ecology
Guided by ecological, physiological, and evolutionary theory, we will explore and quantitatively sample flora and fauna, ecosystem processes, and habitat in streams and lakes using traditional and current techniques. Students will collect, analyze, and interpret data collected during class.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-4)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Co-Requisite(s): BL 4450

BL 5461 - Ecosystem Ecology
History, key concepts, and practice of ecosystem ecology in aquatic and terrestrial environments. Emphasizes inter-connectedness of energy and nutrient flows globally and in regional case studies.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-3-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): BL 3400 and CH 1122 or (CH 1160 and CH 1161)

BL 5467 - Biological Sciences Field Service
This course provides a supervised field experience in biological sciences, natural resources, and community development.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

BL 5497 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-9)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Biological Sciences

BL 5499 - Masters Research in Biological Sciences
An original investigation in biology that culminates in a thesis.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5500 - Graduate Seminar in Biological Sciences
Analysis, evaluation, and synthesis of primary scientific literature on a specific topic in recitation/discussion format.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5501 - Graduate Research Seminar Ecology/Environmental Seminar is designed to facilitate critical discussions of student research projects at various stages of their development. The presenter will provide an overview or seminar on their project and research goals, which will establish the foundation for the discussion thereafter.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

BL 5503 - Graduate Research Seminar Biomolecular Seminar is designed to facilitate critical discussions of student research projects at various stages of their development. The presenter will provide an overview or seminar on their project and research goals, which will establish the foundation for the discussion thereafter.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

BL 5678 - Biological Sciences Field Service
This course provides a supervised field experience in biological sciences, natural resources, and community development.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 5975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-9)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Biological Sciences

BL 5994 - International Biological Sciences Practicum
Thesis or project work conducted by graduate students enrolled in the Peace Corps Master's International Program in Biological Sciences.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 18
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BL 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-9)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

BMB 6010 - Advanced Biochemistry
Course will focus on the relationships between structure and function of proteins, nucleic acids, lipids, and carbohydrates. Specific topics include enzyme catalysis; binding and allosterism; protein-protein, protein-carbohydrate, and protein-nucleic acid interactions; membrane function, and, signal transduction.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BMB 6020 - Advanced Molecular Biology
Course will focus on gene structure, gene duplication, gene expression, gene regulation, DNA recombination, DNA repair and transposition. Comparison between prokaryotes and eukaryotes will be drawn. Genomics and modern biotechnology methods will be discussed. Classic and current papers may accompany the lecture material. Foundations in basic biochemistry and molecular biology are required for this course.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BMB 6030 - Modern BMB Laboratory
This is an intensive laboratory course that focuses on protein chemistry, nucleic acid chemistry, genomics and biotechnology. Students will rotate between research labs of four faculty where they will gain in-depth laboratory experience in modern biochemistry and molecular biology.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-9)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BMB 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

BMB 6990 - Doctoral Research in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Original research that culminates in a PhD dissertation.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Civil Engineering

CE 5101 - Bituminous Materials
Applications and properties of asphalt binder, aggregates for bituminous mixtures, and analysis and design of asphalt concrete mixtures. Includes asphalt cement production, rheology, chemistry, and grading, aggregate grading and blending, and mixture design and characterization. Also discusses asphalt mixture production, construction, and recycling.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3101

CE 5102 - Advanced Concrete Materials
Properties and applications of portland cement and portland cement concrete. Includes cement production, chemistry and hydration, concrete admixtures, and the properties of fresh and hardened concrete. Presents concrete microstructure and durability. Other topics include high-strength and high early-strength concrete, fiber-reinforced concrete, and advanced cement-based materials.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3101

CE 5190 - Special Topics in Civil Engineering Materials
Advanced study of materials related topics, including discussions of recent research developments at an advanced level.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

CE 5201 - Advanced Structural Analysis
The study of nonlinear structural analysis techniques, especially energy methods, applied to elastic buckling analysis, large deflections of beams, second-order effects in frames, plastic analysis of steel structures, and yield analysis of concrete beams and slabs.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2016-2017 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4201

CE 5202 - Finite Element Analysis
Introduction to the use of finite element methods in structural analysis. Covers the finite element formulation, 1- and 2-D elements, including isoparametric elements, axisymmetric analysis, plate and shell elements, dynamics, buckling, and nonlinear analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4201

CE 5212 - Prestressed Concrete Design
Theory of prestressed and post-tensioned members. Covers analysis and design of prestressed concrete beams, slabs, box girders, and bridge girders by elastic and ultimate strength methods. Precast and cast-in-place system construction techniques will be included.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4213

CE 5213 - Concrete and Masonry Building Systems
Design of reinforced concrete two-way slabs and reinforced masonry systems for buildings. Includes design of bearing walls, shear walls, lintels, pilasters, slender columns, torsional beams and connections. A design project may be included during the semester.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4213
CE 5223 - Steel Design II
Additional topics in steel design including beam-columns, floor vibrations, diaphragms, buckling behavior of thin elements, torsional buckling, and beam and column bracing. Includes an introduction to cold-formed steel design.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4223

CE 5233 - Advanced Structural Timber Design
Advanced design of timber structures, including arches and traditional timber frames, advanced shear wall design, advanced connection design, including timber connectors, and advanced analysis and behavior of wood, including cumulative damage modeling.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4233

CE 5241 - Structural Dynamics
Free and forced vibration of undamped and damped single degree of freedom systems. Multiple degree-of-freedom systems, including shear buildings and frames. Basic seismic design.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4201(C)

CE 5242 - Advanced Structural Dynamics
Earthquake engineering and advanced dynamic analysis. Includes time history response of multiple degree-of-freedom systems, seismicity, equivalent static force method, modal analysis, base isolation, soil-structure interaction, and an introduction to random vibrations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 5241

CE 5250 - Special Topics in Structural Engineering
Advanced study of structural engineering topics, including discussions of recent research developments at an advanced level. Topics might include loading analysis, advanced topics in steel design, composite materials for structures, and behavior of a variety of reinforcements for concrete applications.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 5241

CE 5261 - Bridge Design and Construction
Introduction to design and behavior of short and medium span bridges. Topics include aesthetics, preliminary design and layout, design of prestresses and plate girders, deck design, foundation design. Project may alternate between structural steel and prestressed concrete member design.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4213 and CE 4223

CE 5390 - Special Topics in Construction Engineering
Advanced study of construction engineering topics including discussion of recent research developments.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4401

CE 5401 - Advanced pavement Design
Advanced analysis, behavior, performance, and structural design of highway and airport pavements. Focuses on mechanistic characterization of pavement structures and approaches used to characterize existing structures for the purpose of rehabilitation. Subjects include advanced materials characterization, mechanistic modeling, nondestructive testing, and pavement rehabilitation. Also includes airport pavement design and rehabilitation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 4401

CE 5404 - Transportation Planning
An introduction to urban transportation planning, planning data collection, transportation planning models, and development and evaluation of transportation plans. Includes extensive use of transportation planning software to evaluate transportation plans in multimodal networks.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall

CE 5408 - Public Transit
An introduction to public transit, user characteristics, management, transit modes, data collection and surveys, planning, operations, scheduling, transit finances, and future trends.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

CE 5409 - Railroad Track Engineering and Design
Computer aided railroad engineering and design from project idea to implementation. Location and operation, track components, structure and geometry design, rail facility planning and design, environmental and utility constraints. Quantities and cost and development of design plans and cost estimates.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring

CE 5490 - Special Topics in Transportation Engineering
Topics of special interest in transportation engineering.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

CE 5620 - Stochastic Hydrology
Application of statistics to problems in surface hydrology. Topics include the flood flow and streamflow frequency analysis, goodness-of-fit tests, model selection, treatment of historical and censored data, regionalization and regression, time series analysis, Bayesian inference, sensitivity and uncertainty analysis methods.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3620 and MA 3710

CE 5630 - Advanced Hydrology
Students will understand hydrologic processes such as transpiration, evaporation, infiltration, base flow, and surface runoff. Students will learn principles of hydroclimatology, principles of sustainability applied to surface water resources, how to collect/analyze hydrologic data, and how to predict/estimate hydrologic responses.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3620 or CE 3650

CE 5640 - Stormwater Management and LID
Design techniques for stormwater collection, conveyance, infiltration, and detention storage systems are discussed, including tractive forces and geomorphic functions.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3620

CE 5665 - Stream Restoration
Basin mechanics of the transport of sediments in natural systems, including tractive forces and geomorphic functions.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3620
CE 5666 - Water Resources Planning and Management
Economic and environmental aspects of water use. Topics include flood damage reduction, water demand and hydrologic forecasting, water supply planning, and water resource systems operation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3620 and (EC 3400 or EC 3402 or ENT 3402)

CE 5690 - Special Topics in Water Resources
Advanced study of water resources topics including discussion of recent research developments.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

CE 5710 - Modeling and Simulation Applications for Decision-Making in Complex Dynamic Systems
Introduces students to the theory and application of modeling techniques and simulations in the analysis of decision alternatives in complex engineering problems. Topics include queuing theory, system dynamics modeling, agent-based modeling, discrete event simulations, etc. Students will be required to conceptualize and implement an appropriate research/engineering problem of choice (this could be a dissertation/thesis problem).
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CE 5730 - Probabilistic Analysis and Reliability
Examines probabilistic analysis of engineering systems including first-order methods, Monte Carlo simulation, and time-to-failure analysis. Reliability analysis will include capacity/demand reliability and system reliability. Emphasis will be on civil and environmental engineering systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3710 or MA 3710

CE 5740 - Introduction to System identification
Introductory course in system identification theory, emphasis on fitting classical and modern control-theory models to collected data using least squares and ERA. Preliminary topics include sampling theory and frequency domain math.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 3520 or MA 3521 or MA 3530

CE 5800 - Mathematical Modeling of Earth Systems
Introduction to numerical techniques for mathematical modeling of various earth-system phenomena, including groundwater flow, heat transfer, and atmospheric transport. Numerical techniques covered include finite-difference, finite-element, collocation, and characteristic methods. Students write their own mathematical models. Prerequisite: experience in programming computer languages such as FORTRAN.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CE 5810 - Advanced Soil Mechanics
Provides advanced studies in the topics of soil compressibility and soil strength. Develop advanced procedures for determining stress distribution and stress changes from a fundamental basis. Students are strongly advised to take CE5820 concurrently.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3810

CE 5820 - Geotechnical Engineering Laboratory
Hands-on experimental lab course intended to develop understanding of soil behavior and the subtle variables that influence testing results. Tests studied include cyclic and monotonic triaxial drained and undrained strength, triaxial and one-dimensional compression, and as-compact ed vs. long-term behavior of fill materials.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-4)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3810

CE 5850 - Stability of Earth Structures
Investigates the stability of both natural and anthropogenic derived structures. Studies include the application of engineering geology to slope issues, slope stability analysis procedures, computational methods. Also covers the design and analysis of soil nail walls.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3810

CE 5860 - Fundamentals of Soil Behavior
Develop an understanding of the factors determining and controlling the engineering properties of a soil. Topics include crystal structure and surface characteristics, soil mineralogy, soil formation, rock weathering, soil composition, soil water, clay-water electrolyte systems, soil structure and stability, volume change behavior, and strength and deformation behavior.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3810

CE 5890 - Special Topics in Geotechnical Engineering
Advanced study of geotechnical engineering topics including discussion of recent research developments.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CE 5920 - Civil Engineering Independent Study
Approved research or design project in civil engineering, originating with an individual student or assigned by the instructor.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CE 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CE 5990 - Civil Engineering Graduate Seminar
Detailed study and group discussions of current literature and graduate research projects related to the broad field of civil engineering. Topics will be combined to address the student's area of interest, including construction, environmental, geotechnical, structures, transportation, and water resources. External speakers discuss current related issues.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CE 5993 - Engineering with Developing Communities
Study of applying appropriate, community-based, and sustainable engineering in developing communities. Concepts of human-centered design and sustainable development are covered. Topics are drawn from several areas of engineering, including water and wastewater treatment, construction materials, solid waste, energy, and information systems.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
CE 5994 - International Civil & Environmental Engineering Field Experience
Field work and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master's International Program in Civil & Environmental Engineering.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CE 5997 - Natural Resources Engineering Field Service
This course provides a supervised field experience in natural resources engineering and community development.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CE 5998 - Engineering Design Practicum
Advanced independent study for students in the Master of Engineering program. In consultation with student's advisor, develop and execute a project demonstrating capabilities in problem solving, communications, and decision making. The practicum can be done on campus or at the site of a Michigan Tech corporate partner.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CE 5999 - Master's Research
Study of an acceptable civil or environmental engineering problem and preparation of a report or thesis.
Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CE 6213 - Advanced Structural Concrete Design
Advanced topics in behavior of reinforced-concrete structures and relationships with design. Code requirements, reasoning behind theoretical and experimental studies for understanding structural behavior, and current research issues. Other topics include strut and tie, deep beams, corbel design, and yield-line analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 5213

CE 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CE 6999 - Doctoral Research
Original research leading to the preparation of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PhD degree.
Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s); Environmental Engineering, Engineering - Environmental, Civil Engineering

Chemistry

CH 5110 - Pharmaceutical Chemistry: Drug Action
Focuses on structural and mechanistic approaches to pharmaceuticals and drug action. General principles of absorption, distribution, action, metabolism, and toxicity of drugs will be presented followed by action of drug classes such as antibiotics, cardiovascular, and anti-inflammatory drugs.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CH 5120 - Pharmaceutical Chemistry: Drug Design
Focuses on the important concepts in the design and synthesis of drugs. Rational basis for drug design including synthetic, computational, and biochemical concepts will be discussed. Topics include structure-activity relationships, synthesis and reaction mechanism, and case studies of drugs.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CH 5140 - Introduction to Pharmaceutical Analysis
This course will present a systematic introduction to chemical analysis of pharmaceutical raw materials, finished pharmaceutical products, and of drugs in biological fluids, which are carried out in pharmaceutical laboratories worldwide.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s); Graduate

CH 5210 - Analytical Separations
Covers theory and applications of modern gas chromatography, high performance liquid chromatography, and ion chromatography as well as instrumentation for these techniques. Studies trace organic analysis and environmental problems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es); Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

CH 5230 - Mass Spectrometry and Fluorescence
Fundamentals and applications of gas chromatography-mass spectrometry and fluorescence spectroscopy.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es); Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

CH 5240 - Advanced Mass Spectrometry
Advanced instrumentation and methods are the focus of this course. Design of various mass analyzers and their advantages and limitations will be reviewed. Advanced identification methods such as tandem mass spectrometric analysis and exact mass analysis will be discussed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es); Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CH 4212 or CH 4222
CH 5241 - Advanced Mass Spectrometry Laboratory

Students will learn how to perform mass spectrometry (MS) experiments to identify and quantify molecules. The experiments will include the following methods: electrospray ionization (ESI), matrix associated laser desorption ionization (MALDI) and tandem MS analysis (MS/MS).

Credits: 1.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-1)

Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year

Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

Co-Requisite(s): CH 5240

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 4212 or CH 4222

CH 5310 - Advanced Inorganic Chemistry

Covers the organometallic chemistry of the transition elements, beginning with a historical overview of the subject, as well as basic ideas in complex and transition metal chemistry.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: Fall

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 4320

CH 5410 - Advanced Organic Chemistry: Reaction Mechanisms

Advanced study of mechanistic organic and physical organic chemistry intended to bring the student to the level of current research activity. Topics may include methods for determining organic reaction mechanisms, chemical bonding as it applies to organic compounds, structure-reactivity relationships, molecular rearrangements, and molecular orbital theory.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: On Demand

Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 5412 - Spectroscopy of Organic Chemistry

Emphasizes spectral data interpretation to determine structures of organic compounds. Discusses proton and carbon nuclear magnetic resonance (including two-dimensional techniques), training to perform structural analysis (UV, NMR, MS); will be given unknown organic molecules for analysis and structural elucidation.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)

Semesters Offered: Spring

Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 5420 - Advanced Organic Chemistry: Synthesis

Advanced study of organic reactions and synthetic organic chemistry intended to bring the student to the level of current research activity. Topics may include retrosynthetic analysis and synthesis design, synths, protecting groups, and analysis of syntheses from recent literature.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: On Demand

Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 5509 - Transport and Transformation of Organic Pollutants

Assessment of factors controlling environmental fate, distribution, and transformation of organic pollutants. Thermodynamics, equilibrium, and kinetic relationships are used to quantify organic pollutant partitioning and transformations in air, water, and sediments. Use of mass balance equations to quantify pollutant transport.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)

Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2005-2006 academic year

Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 4501 or CH 3510

CH 5510 - Classical and Statistical Thermodynamics

Principles of classical chemical thermodynamics from the viewpoint of Gibbs and DeDonder; principles of applications of statistical mechanics to thermodynamics, including the properties of gases, liquids, electrolytic solutions, solutions of high polymers, and other systems of chemical interest.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: On Demand

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520

CH 5515 - Atmospheric Chemistry

Study of the photochemical processes governing the composition of the troposphere and stratosphere, with application to air pollution and climate change. Covers radical chain reaction cycles, heterogeneous chemistry, atmospheric radiative transfer, and measurement techniques for atmospheric gases.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: Spring

Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3510 or ENVE 4501 or ENVE 4504

CH 5516 - Aerosol and Cloud Chemistry

This course is focused on the chemistry of atmospheric aerosols and cloud processes. Students will learn about methods for chemical characterization, the chemical composition of aerosol and the chemical reactions pertinent to secondary aerosol and cloud composition.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year

Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

Pre-Requisite(s): ATM 5515(C)

CH 5517 - Soil Biogeochemistry

Study of the relationship between soil composition and the circulation of major elements through the earth system. Responses of biogeochemical cycles of the elements in agricultural, forest, grassland, and wetland soils to changes in landuse, biodiversity, nutrient supply, plant stressors, and climate change will be discussed.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year

Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

CH 5519 - Atmospheric Biogeochemistry

Study of the relationship between atmospheric composition, global change, and the circulation of major elements through the earth system. Responses of ecosystem emissions to changes in landuse, biodiversity, nutrient supply, plant stressors, and climate change are discussed.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)

Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year

Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

CH 5520 - Chemical Kinetics

An advanced study of chemical reaction rates, including methods of analysis of reaction rate data and the theory of rate processes.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: On Demand

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520

CH 5530 - Molecular Spectroscopy

An introduction to molecular spectroscopy and molecular structure. Topics include infrared and Raman spectroscopy, electronic spectroscopy, fluorescence, phosphorescence, and resonance techniques.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: On Demand

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520

CH 5540 - Applications of Group Theory in Chemistry

The predictive power of group theory in chemistry is developed through theory and detailed applications. Emphasizes group theoretical applications to molecular orbital theory, orbital symmetry, ligand field theory, and vibrational spectroscopy.

Credits: 3.0

Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)

Semesters Offered: On Demand

Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520
CH 5550 - Solid State Chemistry
Introduces principles of solid state chemistry and the application to produce compounds with the desired physical and chemical properties. Discusses reactivity, preparation techniques, structure, impurity or dopant effects, phase transformations, electric and magnetic properties, and point defect chemistry.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520

CH 5560 - Computational Chemistry
Focuses on the theory and method of modern computational techniques applied to the study of molecular properties and reactivity through lecture and computer projects. Covers classical mechanical as well as quantum mechanical approaches.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520

CH 5570 - Advanced Biophysical Chemistry
A discussion of experimental techniques and applications of physical chemistry principles to the study of the structure, dynamics, and chemical reactions of proteins, nucleic acids, and other biopolymers.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): CH 3520

CH 5730 - Confocal Laser Scanning Microscopy: Principles of fluorescence microscopy, confocal microscope design, practical aspects of confocal microscopy, live cell imaging, high speed imaging, fluorescent stains, quantitative fluorescence, immunofluorescence, fluorescent proteins, biosensors. Confocal applications in biology and health related sciences will be covered.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 5900 - Chemistry Graduate Seminar
Graduate seminar in chemistry.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 5990 - Chemistry Master Research
An original investigation in chemistry for students seeking an MS degree.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 6290 - Special Topics in Analytical Chemistry
Discussion of current research developments at an advanced level. A list of possible topics might include chromatography, magnetic resonance, surface analysis, mass spectrometry, or environmental analysis.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 6390 - Special Topics in Inorganic Chemistry
Discussion of recent developments in inorganic chemistry.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): CH 4320

CH 6490 - Special Topics in Organic Chemistry
Advanced study in special areas of organic chemistry. Topics could include organic synthetic methods, production and reactions of enolate ions, heterocyclic, carbohydrate, bioorganic, or free-radical chemistry.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 6590 - Special Topics in Physical Chemistry
A discussion of recent research developments at an advanced level. Topics could include atomic and molecular structure, kinetic theory of gases, solid-state chemistry, thermodynamics, electrochemistry, and molecular spectroscopy.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 6690 - Special Topics in Polymer Science
Advanced study in special areas of polymer science. Topics could include thermal analysis, polymer surface science, advanced polymerization processes, scaling laws, etc. Some topics may include a laboratory component.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

CH 6800 - Current Topics in Graduate Chemistry
Discussion of recent topics in chemistry at a graduate level.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CH 6990 - Chemistry Doctoral Research
Laboratory research in preparation of the PhD thesis. Requires permission of the student's advisory committee and the graduate faculty.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Chemical Engineering

CM 5100 - Appl Mathematics for CM  
The solution to basic equations for momentum, mass, and heat transfer by use of separation of variables, numerical methods, and other mathematical techniques.  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5200 - Advanced CM Thermodynamics  
Emphasis in phase equilibria and related concepts, such as molecular or statistical thermodynamics, nonideal fluids and solids.  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5300 - Advanced Transport Phenomena  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Spring  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5310 - Laboratory Safety  
Provides the technical and cultural background necessary to operate and manage a safe Laboratory.  
Credits: 1.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall  

CM 5400 - Adv Reactive Systems Analysis  
An analytical study of various aspects of chemical reactor behavior, such as multiple steady-states, dynamics, stability, and control. Also covers transport phenomena in packed beds of solids and mathematical modeling of packed-bed reactors.  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Spring  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5500 - Theory and Methods of Research  
Discusses modern methods of research. Topics could include statistical analysis, presentation of data, modern experimental methods, or oral presentation skills.  
Credits: 2.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-2)  
Semesters Offered: Fall  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5720 - Advanced Mineral Processing  
Topics in mineral processing of current interest. Will cover grinding, flotation, agglomeration, pollution prevention, surface chemistry, and other areas where rapid advancement is occurring.  
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12  
Semesters Offered: On Demand  
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5721 - Literature Reviews in Chemical Engineering  
Literature review course promotes learning and critical scrutiny of chemical engineering literature, on a topic pertinent to the student's research. Discussion of articles will increase knowledge breadth and depth for research. Enhances research communication skills via reviews and discussions.  
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring  
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required  

CM 5760 - Vehicle Battery Cells and Systems  
The behavior and application of batteries will be examined by introducing concepts from thermodynamics, materials science, transport processes and equivalent circuits. The non-ideal power source behavior of rechargeable batteries in applications will be treated using electrolyte: electrode transport and electrode materials chemistry. Prior exposure to freshman chemistry, elementary electrical circuits, and elementary transport theory is assumed.  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year  
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior  
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 2200 or CM 3230 or MY 3100 or EE 2110 or MEEM 5990  

CM 5770 - Advanced Analytical Microdevice Technologies  
Course will provide background in micro/nano-scale technologies for biomedical diagnostic applications. Includes theoretical and experimental advances in chemical, mechanical, optical, and biological analysis. Reading of news and technical articles will develop skills/knowledge to envision microdevice applications for a semester-long project which students taking this course will be leading.  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-1-2)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year  
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required  

CM 5780 - Advanced Biomanufacturing and Biosafety  
Students to perform as an engineer in a biomanufacturing facility. Focus is on mammalian cell culture derived products and federal laws in biosafety. Process design software explored. Regular literature review required. Not open to students with credit in CM4780.  
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5900 - Special Topics in CM  
A discussion of chemical engineering topics of current interest not included in regular graduate courses.  
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9  
Semesters Offered: On Demand  
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5950 - Advanced Special Projects  
This is a course for graduate students who wish to do extensive work on projects or topics not directly related to their thesis topic and not covered in one of the graduate courses.  
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9  
Semesters Offered: On Demand  
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate  

CM 5975 - Full Time Master's Research  
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.  
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer  

CM 5990 - MS Research  
An original investigation of a chemical engineering problem.  
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer  

CM 5990 - MS Research  
An original investigation of a chemical engineering problem.  
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer  

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Computer Science

CS 5090 - Special Topics in Computer Science
Special topics in computer science offered on occasion based on student and faculty demand and interest.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

CS 5091 - Graduate Seminar in Computer Science
From time to time, depending on student demand, a seminar will be offered on advanced topics in current computer science research.
Credits: variable to 3.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CS 5130 - Compiler Design, Theory, and Optimization
Design and theory of programming language translators and the theory and implementation of optimizers. Topics include intermediate representations, advanced code generation, control- and data-flow analysis, advanced compiler optimization, dynamic compilation, global register allocation and instruction scheduling.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4121

CS 5311 - Theory of Computation
Topics covered include Turing machines and their variants, the halting problem and decidability, computability, reducibility, NP-completeness, time and space complexity, and topics from recursive function theory. The course starts with a brief review of the computation models from CS3311.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3311

CS 5321 - Advanced Algorithms
Design and analysis of advanced algorithms. Topics include algorithms for complex data structures, probabilistic analysis, amortized analysis, approximation algorithms, and NP-completeness. Design and analysis of algorithms for string-matching and computational geometry are also covered.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3311

CS 5331 - Parallel Algorithms
Advanced topics in the design, analysis, and performance evaluation of parallel algorithms. Topics include advanced techniques for algorithm analysis, memory models, run-time systems, parallel architectures, and program design, particularly emphasizing the interactions of these factors.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4431 and CS 4331

CS 5411 - Advanced Operating Systems
Advanced concepts in operating systems. Topics include real-time and multiprocessor scheduling, I/O, modern file systems, and performance analysis. Also requires a substantial implementation project.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4411

CS 5431 - Advanced Computer Architecture
An in-depth study of various aspects of parallel processing, with an emphasis on parallel architectures. The course has an analytical focus and investigates models of various aspects of the design and analysis of parallel systems. Topics include simple uniprocessor/multiprocessor performance models, pipelining, instruction-level parallelism, and multiprocessor design issues.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4431

CS 5441 - Distributed Systems
Covers time and order in distributed systems; mutual exclusion, agreement, elections, and atomic transactions; Distributed File Systems, Distributed Shared Memory, Distributed System Security; and issues in programming distributed systems. Uses selected case studies.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4461 or EE 4272

CS 5471 - Advanced Topics in Computer Security
This course covers various aspects of producing trusted computer information systems. Topics may vary; network perimeter protection, host-level protection, authentication technologies, formal analysis techniques, and intrusion detection will be emphasized. Current systems will be examined and critiqued.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4461 and CS 4471

CS 5481 - Systems Performance Analysis
Analysis of the performance of computer systems. Topics include: measurement techniques and tools, probability theory and statistics, experiment design and analysis, simulation, queuing models. Course includes a significant experimental component.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4411 and MA 2720

CS 5491 - Cloud Computing
Overview of the principles, methods, and leading technologies of cloud computing. Topics include cloud computing concepts: Hadoop, MapReduce; Software as a Service (SaaS); Platform as a Service (PaaS); Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS); workload patterns and resource management; migrating to the cloud; and case studies. Students will build their own cloud application using Amazon or IBM cloud services.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3425
CS 5495 - Software/Hardware Design of Multimedia Systems
A comprehensive overview of the design and implementation of the hardware and software of a platform for multimedia applications. Topics include system level design methodology, single-instruction-multiple data processor (SIMD), virtual platform implementation, development of an SIMD parallel compiler, and real-time operating systems (RTOS).
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3411 and CS 3421

CS 5496 - GPU and Multicore Programming
Introduction to Graphics Processing units (GPU) and multi-core systems, their architectural features and programming models, stream programming and compute unified driver architecture (CUDA), caching architectures, linear and non-linear programming, scientific computing on GPUs, sorting and search, stream mining, cryptography, and fixed and floating point operations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3411 and CS 3421

CS 5611 - Computer Graphics: Advanced Rendering and Modeling
Topics include polygonal objects, lighting models, shadows and textures, ray-tracing, radiosity, photon mapping, parametric curves and surfaces, meshes, and mesh modeling.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4611

CS 5631 - Data Visualization
Introduction to scientific and information visualization. Topics include methods for visualizing three-dimensional scalar and vector fields, visual data representations, tree and graph visualization, large-scale data analysis and visualization, and interface design and interaction techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4611 or CS 5611

CS 5641 - Immersive Virtual Environments
An introduction to immersive virtual environment technologies and their applications. Topics include: wall-sized displays, head-mounted displays, 3D displays, orientation and position tracking, human perception, and recent research utilizing virtual reality systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4611(C)

CS 5760 - Human-Computer Interactions and Usability Testing
Current issues in human-computer interaction (HCI), evaluation of user interface (UI) design, and usability testing of UI. Course requires documenting UI design evaluation, UI testing, and writing and presenting a HCI survey, concept or topic paper.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4760

CS 5811 - Advanced Artificial Intelligence
Course topics include current topics in artificial intelligence including agent-based systems, learning, planning, use of uncertainty in problem solving, reasoning, and belief systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4811

CS 5821 - Computational Intelligence - Theory and Application
This course covers the four main paradigms of Computational Intelligence, viz., fuzzy systems, artificial neural networks, evolutionary computing, and swarm intelligence, and their integration to develop hybrid systems. Applications of Computational Intelligence include classification, regression, clustering, controls, robotics, etc.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CS 5841 - Machine Learning
This course will explore the foundational techniques of machine learning. Topics are pulled from the areas of unsupervised and supervised learning. Specific methods covered include naive Bayes, decision trees, support vector machine (SVMs), ensemble, and clustering methods.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4821

CS 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CS 5990 - Master's Research in Computer Science
The study of an acceptable computer science problem and the preparation of a thesis
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CS 5994 - International Computer Science Field Experience
Field work and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master's International Program in Computer Science.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CS 5999 - Master's Reading and Research in Computer Science
Individual reading and research on current topics in computer science.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CS 6090 - Special Topics in Computer Science
Special topics in Computer Science offered on occasion based on student and faculty demand and interest.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

CS 6091 - Doctoral Seminar in Computer Science
Seminar covers advanced topics in current Computer Science research for doctoral degree candidates. Offered according to student demand.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
CS 5975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 5990 - Doctoral Research in Computer Science
The study of an acceptable computer science problem and the preparation of a dissertation.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 5999 - Doctoral Reading and Research in Computer Science
Individual reading and research on current topics in Computer Science for doctoral degree candidates.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Computational Science & Engineering

CSE 5091 - Computational Science and Engineering Seminar
From time to time, depending on student demand, a seminar will be offered on current topics in computational science and engineering.
Credits: variable to 3.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3311

CSE 5311 - Theory of Computation
Topics covered include Turing machines and their variants, the halting problem and decidability, computability, reducibility, NP-completeness, time and space complexity, and topics from recursive function theory. The course starts with a brief review of the computation models from CS3311.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3311

CSE 5321 - Advanced Algorithms
Topics include algorithms for complex data structures, amortized analysis, and NP-completeness. Application areas include approximation algorithms, network flow, combinatorics, string matching, and parallel algorithms. Additional topics as time permits.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3311

CSE 5331 - Parallel Algorithms
Emphasizes the principles used in the development of algorithms for parallel computers, including programming paradigms, implementation, analysis, and performance evaluation. Considers algorithms in the areas of scientific computation and nonnumeric processing as well as software tools for performance visualization and debugging.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4321 and CS 4431

CSE 5710 - Modeling and Simulation Applications for Decision-Making in Complex Dynamic Domains
Introduces students to the theory and application of modeling techniques and simulations in the analysis of decision alternatives. Topics include queueing theory, system dynamics modeling, agent based modeling, and discrete event simulation. Students conceptualize and implement an appropriate research/engineering problem of choice (this could be a dissertation/thesis problem).
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 5720 - Descriptive Modeling of Data using Statistical and Graphical Methods
Focuses on the fundamentals of probability theory and graph theory and how relevant concepts apply to describe, model, and analyze data sets. Topics include probability distributions, Bayes theorem, conditional independence, discrete and continuous models, regression models, hypothesis testing, and Markov chain methods.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 5811 - Advanced Artificial Intelligence
Current topics in artificial intelligence including agent-based systems, learning, planning, use of uncertainty in problem solving, reasoning, and belief systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4811

CSE 5890 - Special Topics in Computational Science and Engineering
Special topics in Computational Science and Engineering offered on occasion based on student and faculty demand and interest.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

CSE 6091 - Computational Science and Engineering Seminar
From time to time, depending on student demand, a seminar will be offered on current topics in computational science and engineering.
Credits: variable to 3.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 6990 - Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 6999 - Doctoral Reading and Research
Individual reading and research on current topics in computational science and engineering.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

CSE 6999 - Doctoral Reading and Research
Individual reading and research on current topics in computational science and engineering.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Economics

EC 5000 - Microeconomic Theory
The study of consumer and producer choices, market demand and supply, and market structures. Not open to students with credit for EC3002.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EC 5010 - Macroeconomics
The study of the determinants of the level of income, employment, the rate of inflation, economic growth, and cyclical variations in the economy, including considerations of the rationale for monetary and fiscal policy and their impact on the business community.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EC 3003

EC 5300 - Managerial Economics
Economic analysis of the operation of a business. Topics include optimization, demand theory and forecasting, production/cost analysis, market structure and strategic behavior, risk analysis, antitrust policy and regulation of safety and the environment, and international management.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EC 3003

EC 5400 - Advanced Engineering Economics
Presents and demonstrates procedures and quantitative techniques used in capital budgeting and project evaluation and selection for industry. Topics include cash flow analysis, decision methods, risk and uncertainty, cost of capital, taxes and depreciation, and forecasting market variables. Topics presented with study problems, applying spreadsheet programs.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2002-2003 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EC 3400

EC 5620 - Energy Economics
Examines social and private problems in the supply, distribution, and use of energy resources and the energy industries. Studies production, allocation, and environmental and social problems of petroleum, natural gas, coal, nuclear, electricity, and various alternative energy sources.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EC 5630 - Mineral Industry Economics
Studies the role of minerals and metals in society and the economics of their use. Applies economic principles to examine the supply, demand, markets, and foreign trade for important minerals and metals. Examines the effect of government policies on the minerals industries. Requires a technical report. Not open to students who have credit for EC4630.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EC 5640 - Natural Resource Economics
Studies the economics of nonrenewable resources (energy and minerals) and renewable resources (water, fisheries, forests and species). Discusses the economics of land use change, macroeconomic topics such as economic growth, sustainability and green accounting. Not open to students who have credit for EC4640.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EC 2001 or EC 3002

EC 5650 - Environmental Economics
Considers the efficient and equitable use of environmental resources, including air, water, land, wilderness and parks, wildlife and other ecological systems. Measures the benefits and costs of decreasing pollution, cleaner environment, and protecting scarce ecological resources. Addresses market failures and the economic valuation of environmental amenities. Not open to students who have credit for EC4650.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EC 2001 or EC 3002

EC 5900 - Special Topics
Economic topics of interest to students or independent study in economics under the guidance of a faculty member.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EC 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate. Students enrolled in this course may not register for any other course.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EC 5994 - Field Work in Applied Natural Resource Economics
Field work and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master's International Program in applied natural resource economics.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EC 5999 - Graduate Research
Under the guidance of a faculty member, students will read, conduct research, and prepare a report, paper, or thesis.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Education

ED 5100 - College Teaching
Focuses on instructional planning, delivery, and assessment in a higher education context. Students learn to write objectives, apply backward design, create objective-linked high-engagement classroom activities, and assess student learning. Additional topics include course syllabi, teaching portfolios, and teaching philosophy statements.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5110 - Psychological Foundations of Education
The course examines how human beings grow and learn with major emphasis on the early adolescent and adolescent. Psychological basis of educational procedures and practices are established with special reference to learning disorders, gifted children, and culturally diverse classrooms.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Co-Requisite(s): ED 5110, ED 5410

ED 5210 - Foundations of Education
Contemporary issues in education from historical, philosophical, sociological, and legal perspectives. Emphasizes the structure/function of U.S. education as well as exceptional children, especially the handicapped and culturally different. This course is one component of the Teacher Education Early Block. Requires admission to teacher education program. All three components of the Early Block must be taken concurrently.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5410 - Educational Field Experience
Observation, tutoring and classroom teaching in an area elementary school classroom. This course is one component of the Teacher Education Early Block. Requires admission to teacher education program. All three components of the Early Block need to be taken concurrently.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Co-Requisite(s): ED 5110, ED 5410

ED 5540 - Special Studies in Education I
Individual or group studies of specially selected issues or problems in education. Credit may be granted for scholarly work under the supervision of departmental-approved, authorized University faculty members that results in an acceptable scholarly product-research reports, curricula, computer program, or other.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 3
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

ED 5560 - Ecology of Isle Royale for Educators
K-12 teachers participate in a field-based camping experience on Isle Royale National Park, exploring basic ecological concepts regarding the interrelatedness of plants, animals, geology, climate, and human influences on Isle Royale. Prepares teachers to help students understand interrelationships, energy distribution in ecosystems and change over time.
Credits: variable to 3.0
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5561 - Aquatic Ecology of Isle Royale for Educators
Teachers will study aquatic ecosystems of Isle Royale and develop and implement a teaching unit based on their experiences.
Credits: variable to 3.0
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5562 - Isle Royale Special Studies for Educators
Field course for K-12 teachers to explore specific aspects of the Isle Royale environment with emphasis on integration of the experience into the science classroom.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5570 - Lesson Study
Teachers will engage in an intensive method of improving instruction that includes designing a lesson with a group of colleagues, implementing the lesson in one of their classrooms, and collectively examining the lesson's effectiveness in engaging students in meaningful learning.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 3
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5580 - Fundamentals of Science Instruction
Preparation for graduate students to teach science, based on principles of active learning. Focus on planning and implementation of lessons, use of inquiry-based learning, accommodating diverse learners, and assessment of learning.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5581 - Teaching and Communicating Scientific Research
Discussion of practical aspects of implementing inquiry-based instruction, communicating science and scientific research to the public, and educational resources for science teaching.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5590 - Developing Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Instruction
Designed for beginning teachers in STEM content areas, this course focuses on using student-centered instructional techniques to support student understanding, using appropriate assessments to evaluate instructional outcomes, and analyzing evidence of student learning as means of improving instruction.
Credits: 2.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5600 - Independent Study in Education
Through an independent study, gain additional insights to relevant topics in education and research. Students must work directly with select faculty to develop a structured line of study on select educational topics.
Credits: variable to 8.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
ED 5601 - Special Content Studies in Education
Educators' Science and Mathematics Institute Series Courses. Intensive institutes designed to help elementary, middle and high school educators integrate important concepts in math and science into classroom teaching units. New content areas are designed each year to address the needs of participating teachers.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5602 - Special Applications in Education
Educators' Science and Mathematics Institute Series Practicums. Practical application following special content studies during which elementary, middle and high school teachers implement and evaluate a teaching unit that they designed for their own classroom inspired by the previous content course. A mandatory teachers' forum provides opportunity to share ideas with other participating teachers
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5620 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Earth Science
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of earth science.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5621 - How the Earth Works
Teacher professional development tied to the Michigan State Standards and Benchmarks in Earth Science. The course will assist teachers from multiple science disciplines to strengthen Earth Science content and pedagogy.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5622 - Earth Systems Science Pedagogy
This teacher professional development course will address science content, pedagogy, and personal effectiveness to ensure that teachers' pedagogy allows them to connect to the experiences of all students. Topics will include visualization tools, earth system science data sources, inquiry-based instruction, teaching for understanding, and strategies for engaging diverse and special needs learners.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5630 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Life Sciences
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of life science.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5640 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Environmental Science
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of environmental science.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5641 - Global Change Institute for Teachers
This course will provide teachers with the skills necessary to engage middle/high school students in real-world study of global climate change and its effects on ecosystems. National Content Standards for mathematics, and life, earth, and physical sciences will be addressed.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5650 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Physical Science
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of physical science.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5660 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Mathematics
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of mathematics.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5670 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Technology
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of technology.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5680 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Social Studies
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of social studies.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5685 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Computer Science
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of computer science.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5690 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Geography
Globalization is the organizing core concept of this intensive institute for secondary teachers. A thematic immersion in key topics to be covered in the required high school course on world history and geography, including the global system, empires, revolution, nationalism, industrialization, decolonization, population growth, cultural diversity, settlement, and migration. Emphasis on the Michigan High School Course Expectations for World History and Geography.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5695 - Teaching World History and Geography
Regional content for teachers of World History and Geography focusing on China, India, Africa, Latin America, and the Middle East. Utilizes the Michigan High School Course Expectations for World History and Geography.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5686 - Regional Content for World History and Geography Education
Local content for teachers of World History and Geography covering select regions and countries.
ED 5690 - Professional Development for Educators: Teaching Language Arts
A course for the professional development of professional K-12 educators. Topics address ideas, trends, and applications in the teaching and learning of language arts.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ED 5700 - Introduction to Education Research
In-depth study of education research methods pertaining to classroom practice, curriculum standards, and program evaluation. Action research methods are emphasized.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5701 - Action Research in Depth
A web-based study of education research methods linking classroom practice, curriculum standards, and program evaluation with research about learning. Teachers will learn about data presentation, action learning, and developing students into communities of science learners.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5705 - Action Research Project
Teachers will engage in the systematic study of their own practice by designing an action research study and then collecting and analyzing data to answer a question about their own teaching and/or student learning. Course enrollment is restricted to practicing teachers.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5730 - STEM Learning Materials, Inquiry and Assessment
Examination of learning materials that enable inquiry-based learning as prescribed by state and national standards. Assessment techniques to measure this type of learning will be considered.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5740 - Designing Education Research
Course focuses on designing a research project for the MSAE program. Emphasis on motivating a study, developing research questions, conducting a literature review, and selecting appropriate research methodology. Should be taken within one year of beginning research project.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 5700

ED 5750 - Diagnosis and Remediation of Reading Problems
Identification of problems related to reading and language processing; identification and application of diagnostic, remediation and assessment strategies and instruments. Classroom specific experience in diagnosis and remediation of the total communication process.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5800 - Applied Internship for Educators
Students will work in an industry or on a research project. At the conclusion of the internship, students will write a paper regarding how they will apply what they have learned in their pre-college classroom or in their own research.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Co-Requisite(s): ENG 5100

ED 5820 - Advance Methods of Teaching Science
Application of learning and instructional theories to the teaching of science. Emphasizes methods of materials used to teach early adolescents. Taught from the perspective of science teachers. Lab offers opportunities to refine instructional techniques. Admission to teacher education required.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-2)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 4700(C)

ED 5850 - Science Teacher Leaders Intern
Teachers will work with National Park interpreters about engaging diverse learners in scientific inquiry based on the natural environment and to prepare technology-rich informal modules.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

ED 5860 - STEM Education Practicum
Practical experience in teaching, education research, and/or assessment in a STEM discipline. Students either teach/mentor undergraduate STEM students, work with a faculty member on a STEM education research project or work with STEM assessment activities. A seminar is required.
Credits: variable to 5.0; Repeatable to a Max of 5
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ED 5900 - Graduate Research in Education
Students will conduct a research project/report as a capstone to an approved plan of study. The student should present a project plan to their education advisor for approval, conduct whatever work is necessary for the project, prepare a final report at the conclusion of the project, and defend the project/report in an oral presentation.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor and department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 5700

ED 5910 - Teaching Internship
Knowledge of human growth and learning theories, methods and materials, and individual differences applied to classroom settings, conducted under the supervision of an experienced middle or secondary school teacher. Completion of MTTC Basic Skills Test. See department for application deadlines.
Credits: 12.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-36)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Co-Requisite(s): ED 5810
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 5110 and ED 5210 and ED 5410

ED 5920 - Teaching Internship - Preparation for International Teaching
Application of learning theory, including individual differences and content specific pedagogy, in a classroom setting, conducted under supervision of an experienced secondary teacher. Preparation for placement in teaching position with the Peace Corps. Requires completion of MTTC Basic Skills Test. See department for application deadlines.
Credits: variable to 6.0
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 5810
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 5110 and ED 5210 and ED 5410

ED 5921 - International Teaching Internship
Application of learning theory, including individual differences and content specific pedagogy, in an international classroom through Peace Corps service. Internship is conducted under the supervision of an experienced secondary teacher. Requires completion of MTTC Basic Skills Test.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 18
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ED 4720 or ED 5820

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EE 5200 - Advanced Methods in Power Systems
Advanced analysis and simulation methods for load flow, symmetrical components, short circuit studies, optimal system operation, stability, and transient analysis. Application of commonly used software reinforces concepts and provides practical insights.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering; May not be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 4222

EE 5220 - transient Analysis Methods
A study of transient behaviors and their analysis and prediction. Addresses analytical methods and their numerical implementation, switching and lightning surges, short circuits, and non-linear effects. Includes computer simulations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 4222

EE 5221 - Advanced Electric Machinery and Drives
Advanced electromechanics of rotating and linear machines. Topics include dynamic analysis of machines, reference frame transformations, reduced order models, models of mechanical loads, power electric drives for motors, and digital simulation of machines and electric drive systems. Applications discussed will include renewable energy and electric propulsion systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EE 5223 - Power System Protection
Real-time monitoring and protection of modern power systems. Secure and reliable operation of radial and grid systems. Protection of transmission lines, buses, generators, motors, transformers, and other equipment against disturbances.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year

EE 5224 - Power System Protection Lab
Theory-based application of software and hardware used for power system protection. Fault simulations, protective relay settings and coordination, and test operation of relays under static, dynamic, and transient conditions.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5223(C)

EE 5227 - Advanced Power Electronics
Advanced topics of circuits for electrical energy processing. Covers switching converter principles for dc-dc, ac-dc, and dc-ac power conversion. Other topics include harmonics, pulse-width modulation, classical feedback control, nonlinear control, magnetic components, power semiconductors, and digital simulation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3120

EE 5228 - Advanced Power Electronics Lab
Advanced concepts for design, construction, and control of circuits for electrical energy processing. Covers switching converter principles for dc-dc, ac-dc, and dc-ac power conversion. Other topics include harmonics, pulse-width modulation, feedback control, magnetic components and power semiconductors.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5227(C)

EE 5230 - Computer Modeling of Power Systems
Study of advanced engineering and economic algorithms and analysis techniques for the planning, operation, and control of the electric power system from generation through transmission to distribution.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5240

EE 5240 - Computer Modeling of Power Systems
Topics include modeling and computer methods applied to electrical power systems, matrix formulations, network topology and sparse matrix data structures, loadflow, short-circuit and stability formulations, constrained optimization methods for loadflow and state estimation, and time-domain simulation methods for transient analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5200

EE 5250 - Distribution Engineering
Modeling and analysis of electrical distribution systems; load characteristics, load modeling, unbalanced three-phase overhead and underground line models, and distribution transformers. Analysis of primary system design, applications for capacitors, voltage drop, power loss, distribution system protection, and introduction to advanced distribution automation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 4221
EE 5260 - Wind Power
Wind turbines are the fastest growing segment of the generator mix being added to power systems today. There is a growing need to understand the many issues caused by these additions. This course covers the theoretical background, regulations, integration experience, and modeling.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EE 5290 - Selected Topics in Power Systems 1
Selected topics of current interest.
Credits: variable to 4.0. May be repeated
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering

EE 5295 - Advanced Propulsion Systems for Hybrid Electric Drive Vehicles
Hybrid electric vehicles (HEV) will be studied and simulated using advanced powertrain component analysis and modeling. An in-depth analysis and study of power flows, losses, and energy usage are examined for isolated powertrain components and HEV configurations. Simulation tools will be developed and applied to specify powertrain and vehicle components and to develop control and calibration for a constrained optimization to vehicle technical specifications.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4295 or EE 4295

EE 5296 - Advanced Propulsion Systems for Hybrid Electric Drive Vehicles Laboratory
Hybrid electric vehicles (HEV) and their components will be examined in a series of laboratories. This includes quantification of power flows and losses in components, calibration of component models based upon experimental data, measurement and quantification of drive quality, failure Mode & Effects Analysis, calibration practices and trade-offs. A HEV model will be tuned and validated through analysis and fitting to vehicle test data.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4296 or EE 4296

EE 5390 - Scientific Computing I
Understanding the use and limitations of computers for modeling and solving problems in physical, mathematical sciences, and in engineering. Basic scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering

EE 5395 - Scientific Computing II
Designing and administering research computing infrastructure, developing and integrating computing and visualization work flows, writing research proposals with budgetary restrictions and understanding the funding agency regulations for protection of data. Advanced scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5390 or UN 5390 or BE 5390

EE 5410 - Engineering Electromagnetics
A mathematically rigorous study of dynamic electromagnetic fields, beginning with Maxwell's equations. Topics include scalar and vector potentials, waves, and radiation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3140

EE 5430 - Electronic Materials
A study of the physical principles, operational characteristics, and models of operation of solid-state devices such as p-n junctions, metal-semiconductor junctions and transistors.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EE 5460 - Solid State Devices
A study of the physical principles, operational characteristics and models of basic applications of solid-state devices such as p-n junctions, metal-semiconductor junctions and transistors.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 4272 or CS 4461

EE 5470 - Scientific Computing II
Graduate level introduction to the science and engineering of semiconductor device fabrication.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EE 5471 - Microfabrication Laboratory
A laboratory experience in which the student fabricates micro- and nano-meter devices. This course is intended for graduate students conducting experimental research in Electrical Engineering, Physics, Materials Science and Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Chemistry, or Chemical Engineering. Mandatory basic laboratory safety training for use of the Microfabrication Facility (MFF) is conducted in this course.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EE 5480 - Advanced MEMS
This course will cover advanced topics dealing with MEIXIS technologies, transduction mechanisms, and microfabricated sensors and actuators and is a continuation of EE4240/MY4240
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 4240 or MY 4240

EE 5490 - Solar Photovoltaic Science and Engineering
Solar photovoltaic materials, the device physics of photovoltaic cells and practical applications of solar electric systems engineering.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
EE 5495 - Software/Hardware Design of Multimedia Systems
A comprehensive overview of methods in the design and implementation of the hardware and software of a platform for multimedia applications. Topics include parallel processing, folding and unfolding, design hierarchy methodology, single-instruction-multiple data processor (SIMD).
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3411 and EE 4173

EE 5496 - GPU and Multicore Programming
Introduction to Graphics Processing Units (GPU) and multi-cores, their architectural features and programming models, stream programming, and compute unified driver architecture (CUDA), caching architectures, linear and non-linear programming, scientific computing on GPUs, sorting and search, stream mining, cryptography, and fixed and floating point operations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 3411 and EE 4173

EE 5500 - Probability and Stochastic Processes
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EE 5511 - Information Theory
Mathematical models for channels and sources; entropy, information, data compression, channel capacity, Shannon's theorems, and rate-distortion theory.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5500

EE 5521 - Detection & Estimation Theory
Detecting and estimating signals in the presence of noise. Optimal receiver design. Applications in communications, signal processing, and radar.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5500

EE 5522 - Digital Image Processing
Image formation, enhancement, and reconstruction. Applications in medical imaging, computer vision, and pattern recognition.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3190 and EE 3160

EE 5523 - Radar Systems I
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3140 or EE 3160

EE 5524 - Radar Systems II
Advanced treatment of modern radar systems with emphasis on statistical signal and data processing. Review of the basic concepts from signals and systems, probability, and stochastic processes, with extensions for complex signals and complex stochastic processes. Detection theory and CFAR detection.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5500 and EE 5521(C) and EE 5523

EE 5525 - Wireless Communications
Principles of wireless communications systems. Projects may include cell phones, computer networks, paging systems, satellite communications, radio, television and telemetry.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5500 and EE 5521(C) and EE 5523

EE 5526 - Microwave Engineering
Basics of microwave engineering. Topics include: microwave sources; wave equations and their solutions; wave propagation; reflection, and guiding; transmission line theory and practice; microwave network analysis and impedance matching; microwave resonators, filters, and dividers; left-handed materials and devices.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3140 or EE 5140

EE 5527 - Digital Communications
This course focuses on the basic principles that underlie the analysis and design of digital communication systems. Topics covered include: characterization of communication signals and systems, modulation schemes, optimum receiver design and performance analysis in AWGN and band-limited channels, concepts of information theory and channel coding, carrier and symbol synchronization, and ISI channel equalization.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3250

EE 5528 - Antenna Engineering
Topics include: basics of radiation theory, Hertzian dipole and loop antennas, near and far fields, bandwidth, gain and other antenna parameters, Yagi-Uda, bow-tie, cavity-backed and traveling wave antennas, microstrip solutions, miniaturization, substrates and superstrates.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5526
EE 5535 - Wireless Communications II - Advanced Topics
The objective of this course is to identify and understand some of the key research issues and recent research advances in wireless communications. This course will provide a brief introduction to wireless communication systems, visions and challenges, wireless channel characteristics, diversity and fading. MIMO multi-antenna systems and space-time coding, OFDM, as well as selected topics of contemporary interest, such as turbo coding and ultra-wideband systems, time permitting.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3250 and EE 5527

EE 5650 - Biomedical Optics
Light plays a significant role in modern clinical diagnostics and in the clinical treatment of disease. Examples include non-invasive surgery, optical biopsy, and cancer therapy. This course will focus on the study of how light propagates through biological tissue.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring

EE 5715 - Linear Systems Theory and Design
Overview of linear algebra, Modern Control: state-space based design of linear systems, observability, controllability, pole placement, observer design, stability theory of linear time-varying systems, Lyapunov stability, optimal control, Linear Quadratic regulator, Kalman filter, Introduction to robust control.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 3261 or MEEM 4700

EE 5726 - Embedded Sensor Networks
Introduces the concepts of wireless sensor networks. Topics include sensor network coverage and sensor deployment, time synchronization and sensor node localization, network protocols, data storage and very, collaborative signal processing. Introduce sensor network programming network reliability and tolerance.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): (CS 4461 or EE 4272 or EE 5722) and (EE 3170 or EE 3173) and (CS 1129 or CS 2141)

EE 5737 - VLSI Interconnections
Modeling and analysis of high-speed interconnections on VLSI circuits. Topics include parasitic capacitances and inductances, interconnect delays, crosstalk and electromigration.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EE 5750 - Distributed Embedded Control Systems
This course will develop an understanding for the design and application of embedded control systems. Topics to be covered include: embedded system architecture, model-based embedded system design, real-time control, communication protocols, signal processing, and human machine interface. Embedded applications in advanced hybrid electric vehicles will also be introduced. Credit may not be received for both MEEM4750 and MEEM5750.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4700 or EE 4261

EE 5755 - Fault-Tolerant Systems
Covers both the theory and the practice of how to design, model, evaluate, and implement reliable systems out of unreliable components. Includes: Fault Models, Redundancy Management, Agreement, Consensus, Voting, Clock synchronization and reliable broadcast. Material is reinforced with real-world case studies.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): (MA 3710 or EE 3180) and (EE 4173 or CS 4431)

EE 5777 - Advanced Open-Source 3-D Printing
An introduction to distributed additive manufacturing using open-source 3-D printing. Design, use, and maintenance of open-source electronics and self-replicating rapid prototypers (RepRap). Graduate students will be expected to complete coursework and an in-depth project.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

EE 5780 - Advanced VLSI Computer-Aided Design
Nanoscale chip design presents issues for IC designs and new market areas for design automation. This course provides a comprehensive introduction on layout design. Advanced algorithms and optimization techniques are presented to give students the skills needed for nanometer VLSI design.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4321 and EE 4271

EE 5805 - Directed Study in Electrical & Computer Engineering
Directed study on a topic mutually agreed upon by the student and the instructor. Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Electrical Engineering

EE 5821 - Computational Intelligence - Theory and application
This course covers the four main paradigms of Computational Intelligence, viz., fuzzy systems, artificial neural networks, evolutionary computing, and swarm intelligence, and their integration to develop hybrid systems. Applications of Computational Intelligence include classification, regression, clustering, controls, robotics, etc.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EE 5841 - Machine Learning
This course will explore the foundational techniques of machine learning. Topics are pulled from the areas of supervised and unsupervised learning. Specific methods covered include naive Bayes, decision trees, support vector machine (SVMs), ensemble, and clustering methods.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 4090

EE 5900 - Special Topics in Electrical Engineering
Special topics in electrical engineering selected by the student and approved by his/her advisor and the faculty member who will approve the study.
Credits: variable to 5.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering
EE 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EE 5990 - Thesis Research in Electrical Engineering
Study of some acceptable electrical engineering problem and preparation of a thesis.
Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

EE 5991 - Project Research in Electrical Engineering
Study of some acceptable electrical engineering problem and preparation of a report.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

EE 5992 - Practical Experience in Electrical Engineering
A collaboration with industry on some acceptable electrical engineering task and preparation of a report.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

EE 5994 - International Electrical and Computer Engineering Field Experience
Field work and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master's International Program in Electrical and Computer Engineering.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering

EE 6210 - Power System Dynamics and Stability
A study of the dynamic behavior of power systems. A review of synchronous machine modeling, system dynamic equations, and method of analysis. Examines overall system behavior via small signal and transient stability and energy functions. Also studies voltage stability and non-linear effects.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5200

EE 6702 - Nonlinear System Analysis and Control
Studies nonlinear systems from perspective of analysis/control system design. Explores fundamental properties for nonlinear differential equations in addition to describing functions, phase plane analysis, stability/instability theorems. Develops and applies control system design approaches for nonlinear systems, including feedback linearization and sliding mode control.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 5715 or MEEM 5715

EE 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EE 6990 - Doctoral Research
Original research leading to the preparation of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PhD degree.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

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EET 5100 - Test Engineering Fundamentals
Fundamental concepts of testing electrical or mechatronic devices are presented. Topics include design for testability, test economics and product quality, fault models, functional and statistical techniques, IC parametric tests, boundary scans, built-in self tests, and board level design for testability.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EET 5120 - Electronic Manufacturing
Emphasizes fundamentals of signal transmission theory, digital circuit design, the role of packaging in circuit performance, and PCB manufacturing.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EET 3281

EET 5171 - Quality Control
Fundamentals of statistical quality control are studied. Areas of study include process improvement, reduction of variation, root cause analysis, measures and costs of quality, systems thinking, and analysis and use of non-numeric test results such as modeling using ordinal variables.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EET 5221 - EMC Test Engineering Fundamentals
Introduction to concepts and methodologies used in Electromagnetic Compatibility conformance testing. Course will explore common design flaws that result in EMC issues as well as industry standard test methods used to uncover those flaws. Intended as preparation for NARTE EMC Technician and Engineer exam.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EET 5100

EET 5241 - Digital Hardware Testing
The course emphasizes fundamentals of digital hardware design for testability, faults in digital circuits, fault simulation and test generation, memory testing, testing of sequential circuits, microprocessor testing, digital circuit design, the role of packaging in circuit performance and PCB manufacturing.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EET 5100
Kinesiology and Integrative Physiology

EH 5310 - Advanced Exercise Physiology
This course focuses on exercise physiology in both humans and rodents. Topics include detailed muscle physiology, fatigue mechanisms, the autonomic nervous system, advanced cardiovascular adaptations with exercise, exercise metabolism, and environmental exercise physiology. The importance of translational research will be highlighted.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 4210 and EH 4211

EH 5320 - Advanced Biomechanics
This course includes the quantitative analysis of human motion through bioinstrumentation during dynamic performance. A detailed analysis of different movements and movement techniques, as well as investigations into the mechanics of tissues and their function, are included in this course.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 4500 and EH 4511

EH 5330 - Advanced Motor Behavior
Peer-reviewed literature will be utilized to acquaint students with scholarly issues and topics in motor learning and control that are relevant to their fields. The theoretical concepts related to motor control, motor learning, and motor development will be covered. Students will be expected to design a scientific research study related to their specific interest goals.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 4400 or EH 4420

EH 5350 - Special Topics in Kinesiology
Selected additional topics in kinesiology for advanced students based on interests of faculty and students. Interested students should contact the Exercise Science, Health and Physical Education department.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

EH 5500 - Advanced Sport Psychology
This course is designed to educate students for careers dealing with ethical performance enhancement in sport and exercise. Topics include theoretical foundations for improving performance, research and evaluation, normal and abnormal behavior, and various psychological factors that affect performance.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 5310 or EH 5320 or EH 5330

EH 5510 - Advanced Strength and Conditioning
Advanced theory and practice in development and administration of comprehensive strength and conditioning programs for both the athlete and individual of any level. Includes knowledge, safety concerns and skill techniques necessary for teaching and administering any strength and conditioning facility.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 5310 or EH 5320 or EH 5330

EH 5711 - Bioethics
Examination of bioethical issues in biomedical research. Topics include research on human subjects, on vulnerable populations, and animals, principles of ethical research, and societal expectations for researchers. This course qualifies for credit in Advanced RCR training.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

EH 5900 - Laboratory Techniques in Integrative Physiology
This course will expose graduate students to various methodologies in integrative physiology. Student will rotate between various laboratories and observe techniques such as microneurography, electrophysiology, molecular physiology, muscular fatigue, etc.; both human and animal methodologies will be examined.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-3)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 5310 or EH 5320 or EH 5330

EH 5920 - Graduate Seminar
Graduate seminars are designed to facilitate critical discussions of student research projects and peer-reviewed research in related fields. The presenter will provide an overview or seminar of the research of interest, which will establish the foundation for the discussion thereafter.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): EH 5310 or EH 5320 or EH 5330

EH 5950 - Graduate Internship in Kinesiology
Practical experience in the field of kinesiology at an approved internship site. Internships must be approved by department chair or graduate director, and work a minimum of 50 hours for each credit earned.
Credits: variable to 6.0
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required

EH 5990 - Master's Thesis in Kinesiology
An original research investigation in kinesiology that culminates in a thesis.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 20; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Engineering Fundamentals

ENG 5100 - The Engineering Process
This course introduces the engineering problem solving and design processes. Students will learn about the engineering profession and will complete a design/build/test project.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-2)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENG 5200 - Engineering Applications in the Physical Sciences
This class will show how engineers use principles from the physical sciences to solve problems and design systems. Key concepts will be linked to the Michigan Curriculum Frameworks for precollege education.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-2)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ENG 5100 or (ENG 5101 and ENG 5102)
ENG 5300 - Engineering Applications in the Earth Sciences
This course will show how engineers use principles from the earth sciences to solve problems and design systems. Key concepts will be linked to the Michigan Curriculum Frameworks for precollege education.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-2)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ENG 5100

ENG 5400 - Engineering Applications in the Life Sciences
Students will gain hands-on experience linking engineering technologies to the biological sciences. Participants will visit labs and field sites at Michigan Tech to observe and participate in current research. Topics covered include biofuels, environmental restoration, environmental toxins, and ecosystem measurement.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-2)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ENG 5100

ENG 5510 - Sustainable Futures I
Covers introductory and intermediate concepts of Sustainable Development. Explores methods/tools for assessing sustainability (economic, environmental, societal impacts) of current and emerging industrial technologies. Explores relationships between government policies and markets for introducing sustainable technologies into national economies and corporations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

ENG 5520 - Sustainable Futures II
Covers sustainability in developed and developing countries. Topics include policy analysis, regulatory impact & cost benefit analyses, trade & markets, laws & regulations, international disasters, GIS applications, green manufacturing, and evolution of environmental policy in U.S. and other countries.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring

ENG 5540 - Sustainable Forest-Based Biofuel Pathways
This course provides an integrated multidisciplinary education in forest-based biofuel: forest biomass production, conversion by pyrolysis, catalytic upgrading, and vehicular combustion. Sustainability topics will include government biofuel policy, community impacts, techno-economics, and life cycle environmental impacts, with use of software.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENG 5990 - Special Topics in Engineering
Engineering topics of interest to students and faculty that are not normally covered in the existing courses.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENG 5998 - Engineering Design Practicum
An advanced independent study for students in the Master of Engineering program. In consultation with his/her advisor, the student develops and executes a project demonstrating capabilities in problem solving, communications, and decision making. The practicum can be completed on or off campus.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

Enterprise

ENT 5950 - Graduate Enterprise Project Work I
Interdisciplinary teams work as part of an enterprise to address real-world design projects or problems. Graduate students will actively participate in project work as defined by the team advisor, and provide technical expertise and mentorship to undergraduate team members.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENT 5960 - Graduate Enterprise Project Work II
Interdisciplinary teams work as part of an enterprise to address real-world design projects or problems. Graduate students will actively participate in project work as defined by the team advisor, and provide technical expertise and mentorship to undergraduate team members.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Environmental Engineering

ENVE 5453 - Discover. Design. Delight 1
Familiarizes students with the principles and techniques of design thinking through a two-semester real project development sequence: awareness, understanding, discovery, iteration, prioritization, prototyping, art, shipping, and delight. Students will work with real client/communities and aim to transform ideas to opportunities.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5454 - Discover. Design. Delight 2
Continuation of ENVE5453. This course extends the techniques of design thinking through a two-semester real project development sequence: awareness, understanding, discovery, iteration, prioritization, prototype, art, ship, and delight, this course focusing on the latter half. Students will work with real client/communities and aim to transform ideas to opportunities.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 5453 or MEEM 5453

ENVE 5501 - Environmental Process Engineering
Review of mass transfer, kinetics, reactor design, and mathematical modeling principles. Includes illustration by application to several important natural systems and environmental engineering unit processes. Mathematical models of selected environmental engineering systems are developed and solved using PCs.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5502 - Biological Treatment Processes
Application of kinetics, reactor theory, and microbiology to modeling and design of aerobic and anaerobic wastewater treatment systems. Topics include activated sludge process models and application of these models to process design and operation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 4502 or ENVE 4508
ENVE 5503 - Physical-Chemical Treatment Processes
Advanced theory, fundamentals, and application of physical and chemical processes employed in design and operation of drinking water treatment systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 5501

ENVE 5504 - Modeling and Management of Lakes and Rivers
Principles of surface water quality management are introduced and examined in the context of the mathematical models used to design and test lake and river management strategies. Case histories and guest lectures will be provided to broaden students' exposure.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 4505 or BL 4450

ENVE 5505 - Global Biogeochemistry
This course gives an overview of important biogeochemical processes occurring in land, air, and water. An emphasis is put on modeling as an integrating tool.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 4501

ENVE 5509 - Transport and Transformation of Organic Pollutants
Assessment of factors controlling environmental fate, distribution, and transformation of organic pollutants. Thermodynamics, equilibrium, and kinetic relationships are used to quantify organic pollutant partitioning and transformations in air, water, and sediments. Use of mass balance equations to quantify pollutant transport.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): ENVE 4501 or CH 3510

ENVE 5512 - Applied Boundary Layer Meteorology
Study of how forcing phenomena affect transport of water and chemicals in the atmospheric boundary layer and how this transport is measured in the field, including relevant aspects of fluid dynamics, boundary layer structure, surface energy balance, and flux measurement.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5517 - Soil Biogeochemistry
Study of the relationship between soil composition and the circulation of major elements through the earth system. Responses of biogeochemical cycles of the elements in agricultural, forest, grassland, and wetland soils to changes in landuse, biodiversity, nutrient supply, plant stressors, and climate change will be discussed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ENVE 5518 - Aquatic Biogeochemistry
Covers interactions among chemical, biological, and physical processes within aquatic ecosystems as well as role of aquatic ecosystems in global biogeochemistry. Modeling as an integrative tool is stressed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ENVE 5519 - Atmospheric Biogeochemistry
Study of the relationship between atmospheric composition, global change, and the circulation of major elements through the Earth system. Responses of ecosystem emissions to changes in landuse, biodiversity, nutrient supply, plant stressors, and climate change are discussed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

ENVE 5550 - Advanced Topics in Air Quality Engineering
Advanced study of topics related to atmospheric chemistry and/or modeling the transformation and transport of atmospheric pollutants.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

ENVE 5551 - Advanced Topics in Biological Processes
Advanced study of biological processes associated with natural and engineering systems.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

ENVE 5552 - Advanced Topics in Physical-Chemical Processes
Advanced study of physical and chemical processes that occur in natural and engineered systems.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

ENVE 5553 - Advanced Topics in Surface Water Quality Engineering
Advanced topics related to understanding the biogeochemistry of surface waters (lakes, rivers, wetlands) and the mathematical modeling of those systems.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

ENVE 5559 - Special Topics in Environmental Engineering
Advanced study of environmental engineering topics including discussion of recent research developments.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
ENVE 5630 - Advanced Hydrology
Students will understand hydrologic processes such as transpiration, evaporation, infiltration, base flow, and surface runoff. Students will learn principles of hydrometeorology, principles of sustainability applied to surface water resources, how to collect/analyze hydrologic data, and how to predict/estimate hydrologic responses.

Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CE 3620 or CE 3650

ENVE 5800 - Mathematical Modeling of Earth Systems
Introduction to numerical techniques for mathematical modeling of various earth-system phenomena, including groundwater flow, heat transfer, and atmospheric transport. Numerical techniques covered include finite-difference, finite-element, collocation, and characteristic methods. Students write their own mathematical models. Prerequisite: Experience in programming computer languages such as FORTRAN.

Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5930 - Environmental Engineering Independent Study
Approved research or design project in environmental engineering, originating with an individual student or assigned by the instructor.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate. Students enrolled in this course may not register for any other course.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5991 - Environmental Engineering Graduate Seminar I
Presentations and discussion of current literature and research related to the broad field of environmental engineering.

Credits: 1.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall

ENVE 5992 - Environmental Engineering Graduate Seminar II
Presentations and discussion of current literature and research related to the broad field of environmental engineering.

Credits: 1.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)  
Semesters Offered: Spring

ENVE 5998 - Engineering Design Practicum
Advanced independent study for students in the Master of Engineering program. In consultation with student's advisor, develop and execute a project demonstrating capabilities in problem solving, communications, and decision making. The practicum can be done on campus or at the site of a Michigan Tech corporate partner.

Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 5999 - Master's Research
Study of an acceptable environmental engineering problem preparation of a report or thesis.

Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate. Students enrolled in this course may not register for any other course.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

ENVE 6999 - Doctoral Research
Original research leading to the preparation of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PhD degree.

Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only

FW 5000 - Distinguished Ecologist Lecture Series
An opportunity to meet with some of the world's leading ecologists and to discuss their research. Pre- and post-lecture meetings enable students to review some of the research and discuss how it has impacted the field of ecology.

Credits: 1.0; May be repeated  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-0)

FW 5032 - Forest Inventory and Data Analysis
Sampling approaches for estimating overstory, understory, wildlife, and abiotic attributes in forested ecosystems. Includes parameter estimation at different scales such as stand, forest, and landscape and emphasizes data management and statistical analysis techniques.

Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)  
Semesters Offered: Fall

FW 5040 - Ecological Processes of Forests
Abiotic and biotic factors which control composition, structure, and function of forest ecosystems. Emphasis on how ecosystems change across space and time and knowledge needed to sustainably manage forest ecosystems for social, economic, and ecological benefits.

Credits: 2.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-1)  
Semesters Offered: Fall

FW 5060 - Forest Soil Science
The chemical, physical, and biological properties of soil and their relationship to forest development.

Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)  
Semesters Offered: Fall

FW 5076 - Molecular Techniques in Ecology
The course discusses how current advances in molecular biology and genomics can be used in ecological, population biology, and evolutionary research.

Credits: 2.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-1-0)  
Semesters Offered: On Demand

Forest Resources/Environmental Science

FW 5020 - Identification & Biology of Forest Vegetation
Emphasis will be placed on survival and regeneration strategies of forest vegetation. Includes systematic study of the major forest vegetation types of North America. An independent project component may be required.

Credits: 2.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-3)  
Semesters Offered: Fall
FW 5083 - Programming Skills for Bioinformatics
The course is designed for graduate students majoring in Data Science to develop most fundamental but essential skills required for manipulating large-scale data.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5086 - Forest Policy Analysis Seminar
Directed discussions about current natural resource policy issues and analytic evaluation approaches.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Forestry

Semesters Offered:
beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year

FW 5088 - Forest Finance & Economics
Financial analysis and economic theory applied to forestry project analysis and selection, focusing on prices. Covers risk, capital markets, taxation, auctions, and non-market valuation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5098 - Advanced Wood Processing
Wood is an abundant and widely-used raw material. Wood-based manufacturing plants in the upper midwest are toured during the week prior to the start of the Fall semester. Plant characteristics are discussed during class meetings.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year

FW 5100 - Advanced Terrestrial Ecology
Structure and function of terrestrial ecosystems, focusing primarily on upland forests. Roles of climate, population structure, competition for above and belowground resources, natural disturbance, management, and global change on ecosystem community composition, succession, carbon exchange, productivity, and nutrient cycling.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2016-2017 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5111 - Advanced Natural Resource Policy
This course surveys basic important federal policies related to water, land, forest, mineral, and wildlife and fisheries management. It uses policy analysis tools to understand the theory and study of policy development and implementation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2016-2017 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5115 - Restoration Ecology
Study the tools, challenges, and philosophical underpinnings associated with ecological restoration. Restoration of forest, grassland, and wetland communities (plant and animal) will be discussed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5120 - Biometeorology
Studies the quantitative exchange of radiation, heat, mass and momentum between the atmosphere, vegetation, and soils with an emphasis on forest processes. Other topics include the physical and biological controls of water vapor exchange and carbon dioxide exchange, models of stand-scale evaporation, transpiration, photosynthesis and respiration.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

FW 5130 - Forest Vegetation Dynamics
Investigation of how trees grow and interact in a variety of stand structures from a functional standpoint at both the tree- and stand-level. These principles will be used to test the use of silvicultural management tools for meeting a variety of objectives. Linkages will be made between stand development patterns and management options, with an emphasis on disturbance ecology.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): BL 3400 or FW 3010 or FW 3012 or FW 3020

FW 5133 - Intensive Silviculture
Applied forest ecology practices involving interventions to produce high levels of ecosystem services. Covers a full range of ecosystem goods and services, including carbon sequestration and biomaterials. Emphasizes quantitative metrics and methods for assessing and evaluating outcomes, including growth and yield.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

FW 5135 - Plant Community Ecology
Investigation of the theoretical underpinnings and quantitative tools associated with the study of plant communities.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year

FW 5140 - Stable Isotopes in Ecology and Environmental Science
This course will develop necessary skills to think "isotopically". Students will gain general knowledge in stable isotopes in ecology and environmental science; learn to generate novel ideas, hypotheses, and research based on stable isotope methods.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2016-2017 academic year

FW 5150 - Advanced Wetlands and Global Peatlands
This class concentrates on theoretical and technological advances understanding peatlands globally. Readings will pertain to major topics in wetland ecology, hydrology, soils, vegetation, biogeochemistry of arctic, boreal, temperate, mountain and tropical peatlands.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5210 - Microbiology
Studies the quantitative exchange of radiation, heat, mass and momentum between the atmosphere, vegetation, and soils with an emphasis on forest processes. Other topics include the physical and biological controls of water vapor exchange and carbon dioxide exchange, models of stand-scale evaporation, transpiration, photosynthesis and respiration.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

FW 5221 - Advanced Wetlands and Global Peatlands
This class concentrates on theoretical and technological advances understanding peatlands globally. Readings will pertain to major topics in wetland ecology, hydrology, soils, vegetation, biogeochemistry of arctic, boreal, temperate, mountain and tropical peatlands.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5311 - Natural Resource Policy for Professionals
Provides an overview of natural resource policies and organizations. Includes state and federal policy making integrated with human values, attitudes, and beliefs.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Forestry
FW 5340 - Population Genetics and Applied Forest Genetics
The course highlights populations genetic topics and deals with the effects of evolutionary factors on genetic diversity. The relevance of genetic variation patterns for the future management and conservation of forests is stressed. Quantitative methods in population genetics are presented.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
FW 5368 - Forest Ecophysiology
Exploration of both classic and cutting-edge literature on the mechanistic aspects of tree and forest ecosystem function. Emphasis on the interactions between canopy structure, carbon flux, nutrient cycling, and water uptake in the context of global change.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2016-2017 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
FW 5370 - Measuring Plants and the Environment
Hands-on exploration of instrumentation and data analysis techniques used in the study of forest ecophysiology and hydrology. Methods include: measurement of photosynthesis, respiration, sap flux, water potential, and micro-meteorological and hydrological variables.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
FW 5376 - Advanced Forest and Environmental Resource Management I
Application of forest and environmental management practices and topical investigations by teams of students with the assistance of faculty, staff and representatives of state, federal and corporate land management groups as well as non-governmental organizations.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5377 - Advanced Forest & Environmental Resource Management II
Application of forest and environmental management practices and topical investigations by teams of students with the assistance of faculty, staff and representatives of state, federal and corporate land management groups as well as non-governmental organizations.
Credits: 2.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5400 - Advanced Conservation Biology
This course examines the biology that underlies our attempts to conserve genetic, species, and community diversity. Discussion will include current issues from the primary literature and applications to student research projects.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (4-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5411 - Applied Regression Analysis
Regression as a tool for the analysis of forest and environmental science data. Topics include multiple linear, curvilinear and non-linear regression, hierarchical and grouped data and mixed-effects models. Emphasis is placed on application of tools to real-world data.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5412 - Regression in R
Use of R for basic data manipulation, statistical summary and regression. Topics include installing R, data input and export, basic statistics, graphics and fitting of linear, non-linear and mixed-effects models.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Co-Requisite(s): FW 5411
FW 5510 - Special Topics in Natural Resources
Independent study of a specific area of natural resources.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5517 - Soil Biogeochemistry
Study of the relationship between soil composition and the circulation of major elements through the earth system. Responses of biogeochemical cycles of the elements in agricultural, forest, grassland, and wetland soils to changes in land use, biodiversity, nutrient supply, plant stressors, and climate change will be discussed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
FW 5519 - Atmospheric Biogeochemistry
Study of the relationship between atmospheric composition, global change, and the circulation of major elements through the Earth system. Responses of biogeochemical cycles of the elements through the Earth system. Responses of biogeochemical cycles of the elements through the Earth system.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): CH 1150
FW 5521 - Earth System Science
Biology, chemistry, and physics fundamentals are applied to examine the origin and changes in the Earth system. An integrative approach is used to examine the acid-base and redox balances of the Earth and the coupling of biogeochemical cycles and climate.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
FW 5540 - Advanced Terrestrial Remote Sensing
Remote sensing principles and concepts at the graduate level. Topics include camera and digital sensor arrays, types of imagery, digital data structures, spectral reflectance curves, applications and introductory digital image processing.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
FW 5550 - Geographic Information Science and Spatial Analysis
Use of geographic information systems (GIS) in resource management. Studies various components of GIS in detail, as well as costs and benefits. Laboratory exercises use ArcGIS software package to solve resource management problems.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 2710 or MA 2720 or MA 3710

FW 5554 - GPS Field Techniques
This course will provide hands-on experience with various types of GPS units and different applications of the technology. These applications include planning, data collection, data processing, and data management. Emphasis will be on practical applications of Global Positioning System technology.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

FW 5555 - Advanced GIS Concepts and Analysis
This course moves beyond the fundamentals of GIS to explore the application of GIS technology to environmental monitoring and resource management issues. Students learn graphic modeling techniques, network analysis, 3D visualization, geodatabase construction and management, and multivariate spatial analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): FW 5550

FW 5556 - GIS Project Management
Course provides exposure to data collection techniques, web mapping applications, and advanced database structures. Students will investigate GIS system design, GIS project planning and data management, learn map atlas creation and cartographic techniques, and discuss geospatial ethics.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-4)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): FW 5550

FW 5557 - GIS Project Planning
This course involves planning GIS projects, including development of project scope, data collection, data management, software selection, and project coordination.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate

FW 5558 - Spatial Analysis
Basic spatial analysis techniques including distance, direction, overlay, and location. Emphasis on data representation and analysis with ArcGIS.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate

FW 5560 - Digital Image Processing: A Remote Sensing Perspective
Focus on digital image processing methods such as spatial regression, geographically weighted regression and cluster analysis. ArcMap is utilized for analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore
Pre-Requisite(s): FW 5550

FW 5562 - GIS ArcView 3.0
Introduction to GIS software, including data management, analysis, and cartographic output.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate

FW 5567 - GIS Analysis
Advanced spatial analysis concepts and techniques using ArcGIS.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate

FW 5620 - Herpetology
The biology of amphibians and reptiles, including evolution, zoogeography, ecology, behavior and physiology.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate

FW 5678 - Natural Resources Field Service
This course provides a supervised field experience in natural resources and community development.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): Sch of Forest Res & Envir Sci

FW 5700 - Graduate Field Forestry
For graduate students without an undergraduate degree in forestry or a closely related field. Covers field skills in mapping/GPS work, forest diseases and insects, wildlife, timber harvesting, natural resource inventory, and silviculture.
Credits: 8.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-15)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Summer

FW 5720 - International Forestry Seminar
Seminar for students who have completed FW5730. Synthesizes field work in a theoretical framework. Covers macro aspects of development theory.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): FW 5730

FW 5730 - Field Work in International Forestry
Field work and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Loret Miller Ruppe Masters International Program in Forestry.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

FW 5770 - Rural Community Development Planning and Analysis
Context, analysis, and monitoring of development processes of rural communities in tropical countries.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

FW 5800 - Master's Graduate Seminar
Presentation by students of current forest resource-related problems and research. Some instruction on presentation skills.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following
Level(s): Graduate
FW 5801 - Masters Seminar in GIS
Students will review, present, and discuss current research and applications of geospatial technology. This course is designed for students in the professional MS in GIS degree program, but will be open to students in other programs.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 4
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5810 - Research Methods in Natural Resources
Overview of science and scientific research. The process of graduate education including choosing an advisor, selecting a research problem, writing a thesis proposal, scientific hypothesis testing, analyzing data, and communicating results through various media.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5811 - Advanced Responsible Conduct of Research in Natural Resources
Three four-hour workshops on advanced responsible conduct of research drawing on examples in natural resources. It covers the topics necessary for this training including ethical standards, publication practices, peer review process, conflict of interest and societal expectations.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
FW 5999 - Forest Resources and Environmental Science Doctoral Research
An original investigation in theoretical or experimental natural resources and submission of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements of the PhD degree.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Geological/Mining Engineering/Sciences
GE 5001 - Intercultural Natural Hazards
Communication in Latin America
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Freshman, Sophomore
GE 5010 - Research Methods in Atmospheric Science
A study of measurement techniques used in atmospheric research including instruments used in the lab and field and an introduction to computational methods of analyzing and displaying atmospheric data using programming languages such as IDL.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Spring
GE 5020 - Earth Systems Science I
Includes basic geologic content traditionally covered in university-level physical geology and historical geology. The courser contact is a stepping through geologic time from the present in to the past. The course will take a place-based approach, using the geologic record of Michigan.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
GE 5030 - Earth Systems Science II
Focuses on material traditionally covered in courses on astronomy, meteorology, and oceanography. This course will also address content from the field by focusing on the Earth's climate system.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
GE 5100 - Advanced Geomorphology and Glacial Geology
In-depth study of surficial processes that shape landforms and determine the composition and character of the Earth's surface. Processes studied include glacial, fluvial, wind, mass movement, and wave action. Emphasizes the role of past and present climate. In-depth report and presentation on two separate topics required.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2003-2004 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): GE 2000
GE 5130 - Geology of the National Parks: Field Experience
A two-week, field-based course taught in National Parks Course requires a project and special assignments. Lab fee costs dependent upon location.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
GE 5150 - Advanced Natural Hazards
Exploration of how to develop comprehensive plans to mitigate the impact of natural hazards on humans. Requires a project and report.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5180 - Volcanology
Volcanoes and how they work. Volcanic products, their recognition, and significance. Applies chemistry, physics, and fluid mechanics in a volcanological context.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5185 - Special Topics in Volcanology
A special offering class devoted to an advanced topic in volcanology of topical interest, such as Megaeruptions, Convergent Plate Boundary volcanism or Volcanic Landslides. The class will be built around lectures from 6 different universities, linked via videoconferencing.
Credits: 2.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2005-2006 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Geology, Geophysics, Geological Engineering; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

GE 5187 - Volcanological Field Seminar
Field Seminars of 1-3 weeks to volcanological sites of interest. These are offered in association and following GE5185. The field seminars are complemented by the preceding semester's classes, which examine the broad context of the field events. The two classes may be taken together as 4 credits or separately.
Credits: 2.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-6)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Geology, Geophysics, Geological Engineering; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

GE 5200 - Advanced Geochemistry
Introduction to advanced elements of modern geochemistry including aqueous solutions, isotopes, age dating, etc. Emphasizes concepts of quantitative methods. Teaches principles of thermodynamics and phase equilibria from an introductory perspective as they pertain to geologic systems Project and report required.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5230 - Earth Systems Institute I
A professional development course for K-12 teachers that uses the scientific method in earth system science to make observations, develop hypotheses, collect data, test hypotheses, and communicate results. A field-based course conducted primarily on the Keweenaw Peninsula.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

GE 5240 - Earth Systems Institute II
This teacher professional development course will address scientific content, pedagogy, and personal effectiveness to ensure that teachers' pedagogy allows them to connect to the experiences of all students. Topics will include visualization tools, earth system science data sources, inquiry-based instruction, teaching for understanding, and strategies for engaging diverse and special needs learners.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

GE 5250 - Advanced Computational Geosciences
Introduction to quantitative analysis and display of geologic data using R/Matlab, covering basic R/Matlab syntax and programming, and analysis of one-dimensional (e.g. time series) and two-dimensional datasets (e.g. spatial data). Techniques are applied to geological datasets. Requires an in-depth project, report, and presentation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5400 - Global Geophysics and Geotectonics
Plate tectonics and the internal structure of the earth using information from seismology, geomagnetism, gravity, and heat flow. A term project/report is required.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 3160 and PH 2200 and GE 2000

GE 5430 - Advanced Planetary Geology and Geophysics
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore
Pre-Requisite(s): GE 2000 and PH 2200 and MA 2160

GE 5521 - Earth System Science
Fundamentals of biology, chemistry, and physics are applied to understand functioning of Earth as a system.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

GE 5560 - Advanced Earthquake Seismology
Course covers fundamentals of the physics of earthquakes and seismic energy propagation, and seismic methods to determine Earth structure. Emphasis is placed on natural source techniques, with extension to exploration applications. Weekly labs apply techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): GE 3050 and PH 2100 and MA 3160

GE 5600 - Advanced Reflection Seismology
Principles and application of reflection seismic techniques. Includes acquisition, data processing, and 2D/3D data interpretation. Project and report required.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
GE 5670 - Aquatic Remote Sensing
Overview of remote sensing techniques used to observe aquatic systems. Integrative approach to physical and biogeochemical remotely sensed properties emphasized from the perspective of oceanographic phenomena observed with examples/applications to lakes. Imagery processing/interpretation utilizing space agency processing software and MATLAB.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 1200 and (CH 1150 or GE 2000 or BL 1010 or BL 1040)

GE 5785 - Seismic Petrophysics
Seismic petrophysics describes the use of rock physics information and logging data in the interpretation of reflection seismic data. The theories and empirical models relating seismic properties to other properties of rocks will be reviewed, and the logging techniques responsible for identifying those properties discussed. Various approaches to the quantitative interpretation of seismic data are covered. For varying course credit, projects with real data will be conducted by students.
Credits: variable to 3.0
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5800 - Mathematical Modeling of Earth Systems
Introduction to numerical techniques for mathematical modeling of various earth-system phenomena, including groundwater flow, heat transfer, and atmospheric transport. Numerical techniques covered include finite-difference, finite-element, collocation, and characteristic methods. Students write their own mathematical models. Prerequisite: experience in programming computer languages such as FORTRAN.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5850 - Advanced Groundwater Engineering and Remediation
Computer modeling and other advanced topics in the analysis hydrological systems, contaminant transport and fate, and subsurface remediation systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-3)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Graduate

GE 5870 - Geostatistics & Data Analysis
This course covers the handling of spatial and temporal data for knowledge discovery. Major topics include spatial interpolation, clustering, association analysis, and supervised and unsupervised classification. Students will learn how to use geostatistical and pattern recognition tools for geoscience applications.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): GE 3250

GE 5930 - Special Topics in Geological Engineering
Study and discussion of geological engineering topics.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5940 - Special Topics in Geology
Study and discussion of geology topics.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5950 - Special Topics in Geophysics
Study and discussion of geophysics topics.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5960 - Special Topics in Mining Engineering
Study and discussion of mining engineering topics.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5970 - Special Topics in Global Environment Change
Course will focus on emerging topics on global environment change including changes in atmospheric composition and air quality, air pollution meteorology, extreme meteorological events, and ocean chemistry. Anthropogenic contributions to these changes will be presented and analyzed. Students will work on course projects based on historical records from multiple datasets to evaluate and appreciate the long-term changes in the global environment and better understand the perturbations due to human activities.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring

GE 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5994 - International Geological Practicum
Geological field work outside of the U.S. used by Peace Corps Master International students during their field assignments. May be used repeatedly up to 12 credits.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Geology, Geophysics, Geological Engineering

GE 5995 - Domestic Geological Practicum
Project course for students serving in a U.S. based service activity for one or more semesters. The service activities pertain to community development in the context of geological resource development, restoration, or protection or geological hazard mitigation.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5998 - International Geology Master's Research
An original investigation in theoretical or experimental natural geological hazard mitigation and submission of a thesis or report in partial fulfillment of the MS degree conducted while in the Peace Corps Program.
Credits: variable to 9.0; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 5999 - Master's Graduate Research
Research of an acceptable geological engineering, mining engineering, geology, or geophysics problem and preparation of a thesis.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

GE 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
GE 6999 - Doctoral Graduate Research
Original research of an acceptable geological engineering, mining engineering, geology, or geophysics problem and preparation of a PhD dissertation.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5001 - Proseminar in Rhetoric and Technical Communication
An introduction to the issues, goals, and scholarly methods across the disciplinary areas represented in the Rhetoric and Technical Communication Program.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 5
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5002 - Rhetoric and Composition
This course considers key theoretical, pedagogical, and historical issues and events that have linked the fields of rhetoric, composition, and literacy studies.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5003 - Technical and Scientific Communication
This course considers key historical, pedagogical, and theoretical issues in technical communication, scientific communication, and technology studies. Considerable attention is paid to the practice and critique of technical communication and technology in academic and non-academic settings.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5004 - Cultural Theory
This course considers key issues in how cultural contexts and processes of communication affect representation, understanding, and practice.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5006 - Continental Philosophy
Study of major figures and themes in continental philosophy. Topics might include: human being, temporality, historicity, tradition, language, perception, embodiment, intersubjectivity, politics, and technology. Approaches to these issues may include phenomenology, hermeneutics, deconstruction, feminist theory, and critical theory.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5007 - Critical Perspectives on Globalization
How has globalization evolved into the dominant paradigm of our time? This course explores different facets, stage, and manifestation of globalization, with an emphasis on critical discourses analyzing this phenomenon from humanistic and cultural perspectives.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5010 - Organizational Communication
Theoretical review of the role of communication in organizations. Emphasizes critical interpretive approaches.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5011 - Technology, Culture and Communication
Examines philosophical and theoretical concepts for understanding the cultural role of technology such as causality, determinism, progress, identity, agency, articulation, assemblage, social space, control, and change.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5012 - Communication Theory
Traces the development of communication theories. Emphasizes interactions among theoretical, political, historical, and socio-cultural factors.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5020 - Composition Theory
An introduction to such issues in composition theory as the relationships of thought to language, of spoken to written language, of reading to writing, of writing to learning, and of process to product.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5021 - Literacy Theory and Research
A study of the social, cultural, and ideological implications of literacy practices using a variety of historical, theoretical, and ethnographic accounts.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5030 - Linguistic Analysis
The study of linguistic theories and methods for analyzing oral, written, and/or electronic texts. Topics may include how societies construct and are constructed through language; gender, ethnicity, power, class, and region in sociolinguistic variation; theories of discourse, pragmatics; semantics; and methods, ethics, and coding in data collection and analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5050 - Theories of Interculturality
A comparative, critical examination of cross-language and cross-cultural equivalencies and differences through the study of acculturation, values, traditions, role expectations, perceptions, stereotypes, and gender issues.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
HU 5070 - History and Theory of Rhetoric
History and theory of rhetoric, focusing on ancient times but extending into the Middle Ages.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5080 - Writing Creative Nonfiction
Writing and revising creative nonfiction in a workshop format. Course may include introduction to contemporary and historical works in the field, as well as study of its theories, techniques, and sub-genres.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5091 - Writing for Publication
Practice in writing to the requirements of professional publications and in identifying the rhetorical considerations of writing for different publications.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5100 - Qualitative Humanistic Research
Examination of qualitative methodology and compatible methods, with attention to modes of data collection and analysis, and ethical research practices, such as confidentiality and informed consent. Approaches may include ethnographic, phenomenological, narratological; rhetorical, historical; grounded theory; or standpoint theory.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5110 - Backgrounds of Critical Theory
Study of major critical theories that have influenced contemporary theories such as feminist theory, postmodern theory, cultural studies, critical pedagogy, and discourse theory. Focuses on primary texts in Marxist theory, structuralism, poststructuralism, and phenomenology, and introduces students to the challenges of reading theoretical texts and texts in translation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5112 - Theoretical Perspectives on Technology
Philosophical, rhetorical, literary, or cultural studies perspectives on science and technology. Topics may include philosophy of science, philosophy of technology, rhetoric of science, rhetoric of technology, etc.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5113 - Cultural Studies
Introduction to the theoretical history, methods, and practice of cultural studies. Includes the influence of literary humanism, Marxism, structuralism, subcultural studies, feminism, postmodernism, articulation theory, Deleuze and Guattari.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5114 - Visual Theory and Analysis
A critical survey of selected theoretical, philosophical, and methodological issues that inform various disciplinary perspectives on the study of the visual, such as sociology, film and television theory, communication, and art history.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5116 - Rhetorics of Difference/Alterity
A critical examination of discourses, theories, and representations of otherness or difference according to race, gender, sexuality, class, age, nationality, ethnic background, and other socio-cultural categories. May include discussion of issues of self-representation within and among groups, the rhetorics of exile or diaspora, and postcolonial constructions of identity.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5117 - Theories of Language
Study of major theories of language that have influenced contemporary work on discourse, language, and literacy. Focuses on language theorists from one or more of a variety of disciplines, such as philosophy, linguistics, literary studies, psychology, anthropology, and rhetoric.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5119 - Fieldwork in International English Education
Fieldwork and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master’s International Program in Rhetoric and Technical Communication.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5120 - Fieldwork in International Health Education
Fieldwork and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master’s International Program in Rhetoric and Technical Communication.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5711 - Biomedical Research Ethics
Examination of bioethical issues in biomedical research. Topics include research on human subjects, on vulnerable populations, and animals; principles of ethical research, and societal expectations for researchers. This course qualifies for credit in Advanced RCR Training.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

HU 5870 - New Media Theory
Examines development of theories explaining the cultural significance of new media technology in communication. Emphasizes strengths and weaknesses of these theories, the concept of "new", and emergent theories challenging the centrality of media in the digital and biotechnological age.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5900 - Independent Study
Guided research under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty. Open to advanced master's students in RTC only. Students must meet with their supervising instructor and receive approval of their study plan from the Director of RTC before registering.
Credits: variable to 5.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication
HU 5901 - Directed Reading
Directed reading in a focused area under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty, open to advanced MS students in RTC. Students must file a plan of study and receive approval from the supervising faculty and the Director of RTC before registering.

Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5902 - Internship
Work experience under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty, for advanced MS students. May be conducted on or off campus. Work off campus requires additional direction by an off-campus supervisor. Students must receive approval from their supervising instructor and the Director of RTC before registering.

Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5931 - Composition Pedagogy
A study of pedagogical techniques, technologies, evaluation, and assessment. Topics may include practical strategies and theories of rhetorical analysis, reflective speaking practices, critical visual design, and composition. GTAs in the RTC program in their first year of teaching are required to enroll in two consecutive semesters of this course.

Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5932 - Practicum in Teaching Technical Communication
Principles of technical and scientific communication pedagogies and practices. Offers guidance in assignment design, institutional assessment, and policy development through discussion, classroom observation, and reading. One semester required for GTAs new to teaching HU3120.

Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5933 - Practicum in Modern Language Pedagogy
Discussion and development of effective pedagogical practices and reading of research, scholarship, and theory of modern language pedagogy. GTAs will observe modern language classes regularly and reflect on their own and others’ practices. Required of all GTAs in the RTC program in their first year of language teaching at MTU.

Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5934 - Practicum in Communication Pedagogy
Principles of the practice and pedagogy of teaching communications. Offers guidance in class and assignment design, class policy, options for readings, and strategies for teaching. One semester required for graduate students new to teaching communications.

Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master’s degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 5990 - Thesis
Individual research or scholarship under the direction of a graduate faculty advisor. Open to students in the master's program in rhetoric and technical communication.

Students must meet with their advisors before registering.

Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5991 - Special Projects
Individual projects under the direction of a graduate advisor. Open to master's students in RTC only. Students must meet with their advisors before registering.

Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 5992 - Independent Study: Coursework Paper
Students prepare a coursework paper in preparation for the oral coursework defense.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6000 - Special Topics in Literacy Studies
Advanced study of special topics in literacy studies including theories of pedagogy and relationships among literacy, technology, society, and education.

Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6001 - Special Topics in RTC: Colloquium
The study of special topics in rhetoric, technical communication, and the humanities.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6010 - Special Topics in Communication
In-depth examination of topics in communication.

Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6020 - Special Topics in Composition
In-depth examination of theoretical perspectives on composing. May include discussion of current-traditional, expressivist, social constructionist, and postmodern perspectives.

Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6050 - Special Topics in Language and Literature
Advanced study of topics in languages and literature including U.S., British, and world. May include intercultural and comparative studies and the reading of literature, literary and critical theory, translation, and film.

Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
HU 6060 - Special Topics in Philosophy
Advanced study of selected topics in philosophy. Possible topics include philosophy of literature, philosophy of mind, continental philosophy, analytic philosophy, theories of truth, philosophical issues in cognitive science, contemporary feminist philosophy, and issues in social, political, and legal philosophy.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6070 - Special Topics in Rhetoric and Composition
Advanced study of special topics in rhetorical or composition theory, history, or practice.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6110 - Special Topics in Critical Inquiry
Advanced study of contemporary theoretical perspectives in rhetoric and technical communication. Topics might include cultural studies, theories of representation, feminist theory, Marxist theory, postmodern theory, critical perspectives on the environment.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6111 - Special Topics in Gender Studies
An inquiry into the ways in which gender is constituted within and affects rhetorical, representational, and communicative processes, situations, and structures.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6112 - Special Topics in New Media
A study of the design and evaluation of interactive texts on the computer, with emphasis on critical and theoretical issues raised by the visuality, shifting word-image ratio, and interactivity possible on computer screens.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6114 - Special Topics in Visual Representation
A critical examination of selected topics in visual representation, with an emphasis on the psychological, industrial, cultural, international and national, and aesthetic contexts that inform an understanding of particular visual media. May include such topics as genre studies, reception theory and theories of spectatorship, gender and visual representation, etc.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6115 - Special Topics in Technical Communication
Advanced study of special topics in Technical Communication (TC). May include theories of TC; feminist studies of TC; study of TC in international contexts; theories and practices of usability; TC research methods and methodologies.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6900 - Independent Study
Guided research under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty. Open to advanced doctoral students in RTC only. Students must meet with their supervising instructor and receive approval of their study plan from the Director of RTC before registering.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 6901 - Directed Reading
Directed reading in a focused area under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty, for advanced PhD students in RTC. Credit varies according to the nature of the reading. Students must file a plan of study and receive approval from the supervising faculty and the Director of RTC before registering.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 6902 - Internship
Work experience under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty, for advanced PhD students. May be conducted on or off campus. Work off campus requires additional direction by an off-campus supervisor. Students must receive approval from their supervising instructor and the Director of RTC before registering.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 6903 - Doctoral Qualifying Exam
Students prepare for comprehensive examination.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

HU 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

HU 6990 - Doctoral Research
By arrangement with the instructor directing the PhD dissertation
Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Rhetoric, Theory and Culture, Rhetoric & Tech Communication

Mathematical Sciences
MA 5301 - Combinatorial Algorithms
Basic algorithmic and computational methods used in the solution of fundamental combinatorial problems. Topics may include but are not limited to backtracking, hill-climbing, combinatorial optimization, linear and integer programming, and network analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
MA 5221 - Graph Theory
Review of basic graph theory followed by one or more advanced topics which may include topological graph theory, algebraic graph theory, graph decomposition or graph coloring.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2003-2004 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5301 or MA 4209

MA 5222 - Design Theory
Methods for the construction of different combinatorial structures such as difference sets, symmetric designs, projective geometries, orthogonal latin squares, transversal designs, steiner systems and tournements.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4209 and MA 5301

MA 5231 - Error-Correcting Codes
Basic concepts, motivation from information transmission, finite fields, bounds, optimal codes, projective spaces, duality and orthogonal arrays, important families of codes, MacWilliams’ identities, applications.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5301

MA 5280 - Topics in Applied Combinatorics
Topics will vary with instructor but will emphasize real world applications of combinatorial methods. Topics include: cryptography, network reliability, operations research or scheduling, among many other possible choices.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5301

MA 5301 - Algebra I
Theory of finite groups, their actions and applications. Review of basic group theory (Sylow theorems). Simple groups and group actions (transitivity). Symmetric and alternating groups, linear groups and more general classical groups. Applications: finite fields, designs, finite geometries.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5302 - Algebra II
Introduction to polynomial rings, finite fields and field extensions. Review of basic notions concerning rings, polynomials and power series. General theory of finite and algebraic field extensions. The basics of Galois theory (field extensions and their Galois groups).
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5301

MA 5320 - Commutative Algebra
Introduction to commutative algebra and combinatorial algebra. A first description of research issues is also given. Topics include: commutative rings (quotients, morphisms; prime, maximal ideals); modules, Noetherian, artinian rings; combinatorial algebra (gradings, monomials, Hilbert functions, resolutions, level, Gorenstein algebras).
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5304 - Combinatorial Theory
Topics may include, but not limited to, unique factorization, elementary estimates on the distribution of prime numbers, congruences, Chinese remainder theorem, primitive roots, n-th powers modulo an integer, quadratic residues, quadratic reciprocity, quadratic characters, Gauss sums, and finite fields.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5330 - Number Theory
Topics may include, but not limited to, unique factorization, elementary estimates on the distribution of prime numbers, congruences, Chinese remainder theorem, primitive roots, n-th powers modulo an integer, quadratic residues, quadratic reciprocity, quadratic characters, Gauss sums, and finite fields.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5334 - Introduction to Cryptography
Topics will vary with instructor but will emphasize real world applications of combinatorial methods. Topics include: cryptography, network reliability, operations research or scheduling, among many other possible choices.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5301

MA 5360 - Number Theory
Topics may include, but not limited to, unique factorization, elementary estimates on the distribution of prime numbers, congruences, Chinese remainder theorem, primitive roots, n-th powers modulo an integer, quadratic residues, quadratic reciprocity, quadratic characters, Gauss sums, and finite fields.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5380 - Number Theory
Topics may include, but not limited to, unique factorization, elementary estimates on the distribution of prime numbers, congruences, Chinese remainder theorem, primitive roots, n-th powers modulo an integer, quadratic residues, quadratic reciprocity, quadratic characters, Gauss sums, and finite fields.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5390 - Scientific Computing I
Understanding the use and limitations of computers for modeling and solving problems in physical and mathematical sciences, and in engineering. Basic scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4310

MA 5401 - Real Analysis
A graduate-level study of the Lebesgue integral including its comparison with the Riemann integral; the Lebesgue measure, measurable functions and measurable sets. Integrable functions, the monotone convergence theorem, the dominated convergence theorem, and Fatou’s lemma.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2005-2006 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4330

MA 5510 - Ordinary Differential Equations I
First order equations, general theory of linear equations, constant coefficient equations, matrix methods, singular points, infinite series methods, plane autonomous systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2002-2003 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4330

MA 5524 - Functional Analysis
Metric spaces, Banach spaces, Hilbert spaces, fundamental convergence and mapping theorems, spectral theory, weak topologies and weak compactness, unbounded operators and their adjoints, fixed point theorems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2005-2006 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4610 and MA 4450

MA 5548 - Mathematical Continuum Mechanics
Lagrangian and eulerian coordinate systems, stress and strain in elastic, viscoelastic, and plastic materials. Constitutive equations, viscosity, balance laws of fluid and solid mechanics, elasticity, Navier-Stokes equations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4330

MA 5565 - Partial Differential Equations
Theory of partial differential equations. Covers classification, appropriate boundary conditions and initial conditions, PDEs of mathematical physics, characteristics, Green’s functions, and variational principles.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2003-2004 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4330
MA 5580 - Topics in Applied Mathematics
Topics will vary with instructor, but will cover areas in applied mathematics.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Semesters Offered: Fall

MA 5627 - Numerical Linear Algebra
Analysis and design of algorithms for the numerical solutions of linear systems of equations using direct and iterative methods; eigenvalue problems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4350 or MA 4630

MA 5628 - Numerical Ordinary Differential Equations
Analysis and design of algorithms for the numerical solutions of ordinary differential equations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2000-2001 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4610 or MA 4620 or MA 4630 and MA 5510

MA 5629 - Numerical Partial Differential Equations
Analysis and design of algorithms for the numerical solution of partial differential equations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2003-2004 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4620 or MA 4630 and MA 5565

MA 5630 - Numerical Optimization
Numerical solution of unconstrained and constrained optimization problems and nonlinear equations. Topics include optimality conditions, local convergence of Newton and quasi-Newton methods, line search and trust region globalization techniques, quadratic penalty and augmented Lagrangian methods for equality-constrained problems, logarithmic barrier method for inequality-constrained problems, and Sequential Quadratic Programming.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2002-2003 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4330 or MA 4610 or MA 4630 or MA 5627

MA 5701 - Statistical Methods
Introduction to design, conduct, and analysis of statistical studies, with an introduction to statistical computing and preparation of statistical reports. Topics include design, descriptive, and graphical methods, probability models, parameter estimation and hypothesis testing.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4350 and MA 4760 and MA 4770

MA 5711 - Mathematical Statistics I
Review of distribution theory and transformation theory of random variables. Topics include sufficiency, exponential and Bayesian models; estimation methods, including optimality theory; basics of confidence procedures and hypothesis testing, including the Neyman-Pearson framework.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4760 and MA 4770

MA 5712 - Mathematical Statistics II
Optimal tests and decision theory. Other topics may include regression and analysis of variance, discrete data analysis, nonparametric models.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5711

MA 5731 - Linear Models
A unified development of linear statistical models that includes the following topics: matrices and quadratic forms, normal and chi-square distribution theory, ordinary and generalized least squares modeling, estimability, estimation and tests of hypothesis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4710 and MA 4720 and MA 4760 and MA 4330

MA 5741 - Multivariate Statistical Methods
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): (MA 4710 or MA 4720) and MA 2320

MA 5750 - Statistical Genetics
Application of statistical methods to solve problems in genetics such as locating genes. Topics include basic concepts of genetics, linkage analysis and association studies of family data, association tests based on population samples (for both qualitative and quantitative traits), gene mapping methods based on family data and population samples.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2006-2007 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4450 and MA 4760 and MA 4770

MA 5761 - Computational Statistics
Introduction to computationally intensive statistical methods. Topics include resampling methods, Monte Carlo simulation methods, smoothing techniques to estimate functions, and methods to explore data structure. This course will use the statistical software S-plus.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4770(C)

MA 5781 - Time Series Analysis and Forecasting
Statistical modeling and inference for analyzing experimental data that have been observed at different points in time. Topics include models for stationary and non stationary time series, model specification, parametric estimation, model diagnostics and forecasting, seasonal models and time series regression models.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4330 or MA 4610 or MA 4630 or MA 5627

MA 5791 - Categorical Data Analysis
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2005-2006 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 4770(C)

MA 5901 - Teaching College Mathematics I
Survey key issues in undergraduate mathematics education, including course preparation, assessment, student learning, developing assignments, instructional strategies, technology, motivating students and institutional resources. The lab involves practical training in the computer algebra system used in the mathematics lab.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mathematical Sciences, Mathematics; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
MA 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MA 5980 - Special Topics in Mathematics
Special topics in mathematics.
Credits: variable to 12.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

MA 5999 - Graduate Research in Mathematics
Original investigation in theoretical, or applied mathematics, and submission of a thesis in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the master's degree in mathematics.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MA 6222 - Advanced Topics in Design Theory
Advanced topics in design theory.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5222

MA 6231 - Advanced Topics in Coding Theory
Advanced topics in coding theory.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5231

MA 6280 - Advanced Topics in Combinatorics, Algebra, or Number Theory
Advanced topics in combinatorics, algebra, or number theory.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required

MA 6300 - Advanced Topics in Algebra
Advanced topics in algebra.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5302

MA 6500 - Advanced Topics in Applied Mathematics
Advanced topics in applied mathematics.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): MA 5302

MA 6600 - Advanced Topics in Computational Mathematics
Advanced topics in computational mathematics.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Permission of department required

MA 6700 - Advanced Topics in Statistics
Topics may include but are not limited to experimental designs, methods of quality improvement, discrete data analysis, regression analysis, sampling theory, multivariate methods, resampling methods, statistical computing, integral and measure theory, stochastic processes, asymptotic methods, optimization, modeling, nonparametric and parametric statistics.
Credits: variable to 12.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MA 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MA 6980 - Special Topics in Mathematics
Special topics in mathematics.
Credits: variable to 12.0; Repeatable to a Max of 48
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

MA 6999 - Mathematical Sciences Doctoral Research
Taken in partial fulfillment of the doctoral thesis requirement.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Mechanical Eng. – Eng. Mechanics

MEEM 5110 - Continuum Mechanics/Elasticity
Covers development of Cartesian tensors and indicial notation applied to vector analysis; analysis of stress, principal stresses, invariants, strain tensors, material derivatives, and continuity equations; basic conservation laws and constitutive relationships; the theory of elasticity, including 2-D problems in plane stress/strain, stress functions, and 3-D problems with polar symmetry.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5130 - Nanoscience Science and Technology
The course covers fundamentals of nanoscience (synthesis, properties, characterization) and recent technological advances in renewable energy, biotechnology, and nanodevices. This course is appropriate for students with backgrounds in mechanical engineering, materials science, chemistry, chemical engineering, civil engineering, and physics.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
MEEM 5150 - Advanced Mechanics of Matls
A study of incorporating complexities into the classical theories of axial rods, torsion of circular and non-circular shafts, bending of beams and plates. Use of variational principles to obtain boundary value problems of aforementioned structural members.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5160 - Experimental Stress Analysis
Review of elastic stress-strain relationships. Covers theory and use of resistive strain gages, strain gage circuits, rosette analysis, static and dynamic strain measurement; discusses other current strain measuring techniques; introduces photoelasticity, Moire, and other optical techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5170 - Finite Element and Variational Methods in Engineering
Presents fundamental concepts of variational methods including Rayleigh-Ritz technique. Introduces foundations of finite element modeling through direct method, variational method, and weighted residual method. Reviews elements commonly used in static structural analysis and heat transfer problems. Advanced topics such as nonlinearity and time-dependent problems may also be discussed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5180 - Mechanics of Composite Matls
Introduces engineering properties and advantages of fibrous composites, the governing equations of mechanics of anisotropic, laminated materials. Develops micromechanics methods for predicting the elastic properties of the composite and classical lamination theory, including hygrothermal effects, and applies them to stress and failure analysis of composite structures.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2003-2004 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5200 - Advanced Thermodynamics
A study of the principles of thermodynamics, including fundamental concepts and introduction of the analytical treatments of the first, second and combined first and second laws of thermodynamics. Topics include irreversibility, availability (exergy), thermodynamic relations, mixtures, chemical reactions, and chemical equilibrium.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5210 - Advanced Fluid Mechanics
Develops control volume forms of balance laws governing fluid motion and applies to problems involving rockets, pumps, sprinklers, etc. Derives and studies differential forms of governing equations for incompressible viscous flows. Some analytical solutions are obtained and students are exposed to rationale behind computational solution in conjunction with CFD software demonstration. Also covers qualitative aspects of lift and drag, loss of stability of laminar flows, turbulence, and vortex shedding.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5215 - Computational Fluids Engineering
Introduces computational methods used to solve fluid mechanics and thermal transport problems. Discusses theoretical and practical aspects. Modern computer-based tools are used to reinforce principles and introduce advanced topics in fluid mechanics and thermal transport.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5220 - Fuel Cell Technology
Fuel cell technology basics, operating principles and performance will be discussed from energy and thermodynamic viewpoints. Major types will be described and emphasis will be on construction features, performance behavior and analysis. The balance of fuel cell power plant and thermal system design and analysis that affect power generation; as well as hydrogen infrastructure and issues related to delivering electrical power generated from the fuel cell will be covered.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5230 - Advanced Heat Transfer
Advanced topics on conduction, convection, radiation, and heat exchangers are covered. Emphasis is on problem formulation, exact solutions, empirical correlations/results and on computational techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5240 - Comp Fluid Dynamics for Engg
Introduces finite-difference and finite-volume methods used in solving fluid dynamics and heat transfer problems. Covers numerical grid generation, turbulence modeling, and application to some selected problems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2001-2002 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5210

MEEM 5250 - Internal Combustion Engines II
Advanced topics in internal combustion engines with emphasis on CI operation, modeling of engines, modeling of combustion processes, tribology, second law applications, and other topics of current interest.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2001-2002 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4220 and MEEM 5200(C)

MEEM 5255 - Advanced Powertrain Instrumentation and Experimental Methods
Students will be exposed to unique instrumentation used in modern powertrain research and development. Through hands-on experimentation students will learn techniques for installation, usage, and calibration. Students will also be exposed to data quality checks and techniques to mitigate experimental variation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4220(C)

MEEM 5260 - Internal Combustion Engines I
Advanced topics in internal combustion engines with emphasis on SI operation, modeling of engines, modeling of combustion processes, tribology, second law applications, and other topics of current interest.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2001-2002 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4220 and MEEM 5200(C)
MEEM 5270 - Advanced Combustion
The objective is to understand basic combustion processes through detailed chemical reaction step analysis. Introduces both analytical and modern experimental methods. Emphasizes gas liquid fuel combustion, flame propagation, and critical phenomena of ignition and extinction.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4240 or MEEM 5200

MEEM 5280 - Phase-Change & Two-Phase Flows
Considers two-phase flow patterns for air-water, condensing, and boiling flows in the context of interface conditions (surface tension, etc.) and interfacial instabilities that lead to interfacial waves, droplet formation, etc. The course emphasizes development of model equations. Relevant experimental data leading to pressure drop correlations, interfacial shear models, etc., are discussed. The model equations and empirical correlations are used to estimate solutions of problems.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5290 - Principles of Energy Conversion
Introduces background, terminology, and fundamentals of energy conversion and storage. Discusses current and emerging technologies for production of thermal, mechanical, and electrical energy. In-depth analysis of major thermodynamic power cycles. Topics include fossil and nuclear fuels, thermodynamic power cycles, solar energy, wind energy, and energy storage. No credit for both MEEM4200 and MEEMS290.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5295 - Advanced Propulsion Systems for Hybrid Electric Vehicles
Hybrid electric vehicles (HEV) will be studied and simulated using advanced powertrain component analysis and modeling. An in-depth analysis and study of power flows, losses and energy usage are examined for isolated powertrain components and HEV configurations. Simulation tools will be developed and applied to specify powertrain and vehicle components and to develop control and calibration for a constrained optimization to vehicle technical specifications.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4295 or EE 4295

MEEM 5450 - Vehicle Dynamics
This course will introduce the models and techniques needed to predict the performance of a road vehicle during drive off, braking, ride, and steering maneuvers. Topics to be covered include: acceleration and braking performance, drive train performance including an introduction to hybrid electric power train architecture, vehicle handling, suspension modeling, tire models, and steering control. Matlab will be used as a computational tool for implementation of the models.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5453 - Discover. Design. Delight 1
Familiarizes students with the principles and techniques of design thinking through a two-semester real project development sequence: awareness, understanding, discovery, iteration, prioritization, prototyping, art, shipping, and delighting. Students will work with real client/communities and aim to transform ideas to opportunities.

Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5453 or ENVE 5453

MEEM 5454 - Discover. Design. Delight 2
Continuation of MEEM5453. This course extends the techniques of design thinking through a two-semester real project development sequence: awareness, understanding, discovery, iteration, prioritization, prototype, art, ship, and delight, this course focusing on the latter half. Students will work with real client/communities and aim to transform ideas to opportunities.

Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5453 or MEEM 5454

MEEM 5610 - Advanced Machining Processes
Covers mechanics of 2-D and 3-D cutting and their extension to commonly used processes such as turning, boring, milling, and drilling. Topics include force modeling, surface generation, heat transfer, tool life and dynamics.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5615 - Advanced Metal Forming
Introduces fundamentals of plasticity theory and applies to the analysis of deformation processes. Processes considered are forging, extrusion, wire drawing, bending, deep drawing, and stretch forming. Emphasizes sheet metal formability.

Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5625 - Precision Manuf and Metrology
Presents theory and practice involved in the manufacturing and measuring of precision components. Topics include precision machining processes, precision machine/mechanism design, and dimensional metrology. Addresses current manufacturing challenges in the bearings, optics, and microelectronics industries.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
MEEM 5640 - Micromanufacturing Processes
Introduces the processes and equipment for fabricating microsystems and the methods for measuring component size and system performance. Fabrication processes include microscale milling, drilling, diamond machining, and lithography. Measurement methods include interferometry and scanning electron microscopy. No credit for both MEEM4640 MEEM5640.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics

MEEM 5645 - Numerical Analy Manuf Proc
Nonlinear FEM and BEM analyses, modeling of bulk forming processes, sheet forming processes, machining processes, casting processes, grading of ceramics.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5650 - Advanced Quality Engineering
Stresses the concepts and methods for quality and productivity improvement. Topics include principles of Shewhart, Deming, Taguchi; meaning of quality; control charts for variables, individual, and attributes; process capability analysis; variation of assemblies; Monte Carlo simulation, multi-variate situations; and computer-based workshops. No credit for both MEEM4650 and MEEM5650.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5655 - Introduction to Lean Manufacturing
Lean manufacturing is emerging globally as a paradigm by which business units must function to be globally competitive. Quality, cost, and delivery have become critical measures that impact profits and, in turn, the success of an organization. Significant improvements in all three measures come from the continuous elimination of waste, or non-value added activities, in manufacturing. Numerous tools are available for the elimination of waste and making businesses lean. This course is intended to familiarize students with the new philosophy of lean manufacturing and arm them with a basic toolset that enables the identification, measurement, and elimination of non-value added activities.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering, School of Business & Economics

MEEM 5660 - Data Based Modeling & Control
System modeling and analysis from observed data for computer-aided design and manufacturing, providing differential equation models. Computer routines for modeling, forecasting with accuracy assessment and minimum mean-squared error control. Underlying system analysis, including stability and feedback interpretation, periodic and exponential trends. Uses illustrative applications to real-life data, including team projects.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5665 - Micro and Nano Fabrication for Energy Applications
The course will focus on the working principles of energy devices; micro and nanoscale energy science and the relevant fabrication and characterization technologies. The class will also discuss research methodology and the current trends in this research field.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Sciences & Arts, School of Technology, College of Engineering

MEEM 5670 - Experimental Design in Engg

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5680 - Optimization I
Provides introductory concepts to optimization methods and theory. Covers the fundamentals of optimization, which is central to any problem involving engineering decision making. Provides the tools to select the best alternative for specific objectives.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5685 - Environmentally Responsible Design and Manufacturing
Examines impact of engineering and, in particular, design/manufacturing decisions on the environment. Topics include sustainability; energy/material flows; risk assessment, life cycles, manufacturing process waste streams, product design issues, including disassembly/post-use product handling, techniques for pollution prevention. Requires course project. Credit may not be received for both MEEM4685 and MEEM5685.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2001-2002 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5700 - Dynamic Measurement/Signal Analysis
Assessment of measurement system requirements: transducers, conditioners, and displays of dynamic measurements. Time-, frequency-, probabilistic-, and correlative-domain approaches to dynamic signal analysis: sampled data, discrete Fourier transforms, digital filtering, estimation errors, system identification, calibration, recording, Introduction to wafer level analysis. All concepts reinforced in laboratory and simulation exercises.

Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5701 - Intermediate Dynamics
Intermediate study of several topics in engineering dynamics, including three-dimensional kinematics and kinetics, generalized coordinates, Lagrange's equation, and Hamilton's principle. Uses computer-aided dynamic simulation tools for analyzing dynamic systems.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Sciences & Arts, School of Technology, College of Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
MEEM 5702 - Analytical Vibroacoustics
First in a series of two courses on vibro-acoustics to provide a unified approach to study noise and vibration. Emphasizes interaction between sound waves and structures. Presents advanced vibration concepts with computational tools. Discusses wave-modal duality.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics

MEEM 5703 - Exp Methods Vibro-Acoustics
Covers operating data measurement and analysis, including multisource ODS. Includes signature analysis and order tracking; modal theory, modal scaling, FRF estimators; multiple input excitation techniques; parameter estimation methods; sound measurements and acoustic intensity; sound quality; field data acquisition, DAT; binaural recording and playback with equalization.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-3)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5700 and MEEM 5702

MEEM 5705 - Introduction to Robotics and Mechatronics
Cross-discipline system integration of sensors, actuators, and microprocessors to achieve high-level design requirements, including robotic systems. A variety of sensor and actuation types are introduced, from both a practical and a mathematical perspective. Embedded microprocessor applications are developed using the C programming language. A final project is required including analysis, design, and experimental demonstration. Cannot receive credit for both MEEM4705 and MEEMS5705.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4700

MEEM 5715 - Linear Systems Theory and Design
Overview of linear algebra, modern control; state-based design of linear systems, observability, controllability, pole placement, observer design, stability theory of linear time-varying systems, Lyapunov stability, optimal control, linear quadratic regulator, Kalman filter.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4700 or EE 4261 or EE 3261

MEEM 5720 - Advanced Space Mechanics
This course presents the vector-based solution of the two-body problem and the solution for Kepler's equations. The course will also cover basic orbit determination techniques, impulsive orbit transfer maneuvers, interplanetary trajectories, ground tracks, and rendezvous problems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 5750 - Distributed Embedded Control Systems
This course will develop an understanding for the design and application of embedded control systems. Topics to be covered include: embedded system architecture, model-based embedded system design, real-time control, communication protocols, signal processing, and human machine interface. Embedded applications in advanced hybrid electric vehicles will also be introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 4700 or EE 4261 or EE 3261

MEEM 5800 - Advanced Engineering Mathematics with Applications
This course is for engineering graduate students to learn about in-depth ordinary differential equations (ODEs) and partial differential equations (PDEs) widely employed in the field of Mechanical Engineering. 'Vector Calculus' will also be covered. The students will be asked to demonstrate their knowledge of the material covered in this Advanced Engineering Mathematics course.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics

MEEM 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5990 - Special Topics
Study of selected subjects related to mechanical engineering or engineering mechanics.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5994 - International Mechanical Engineering Field Experience
Field work and reporting from students in the Peace Corps Master's International Program in Mechanical Engineering.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 5995 - Graduate Research (Online/Off Campus)
Research/investigation on a topic related to mechanical engineering or engineering mechanics leading to the submission of a thesis in a partial fulfillment of the requirements for the master's degree.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics
MEEM 5999 - Graduate Research
Research/investigation on a topic related to mechanical engineering or engineering mechanics leading to the submission of a thesis or report in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the master's degree.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering Mechanics, Engineering Mechanics

MEEM 6000 - Graduate Seminar
Presentations/seminars on issues related to mechanical engineering and engineering mechanics. May include invited speakers from industry, government labs, and academia.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 6010 - Engineering Research Communications
Guides students through the process of publishing research in technical journals and presenting research at conferences and other venues, with a focus on practical application of rhetorical concepts. Students will prepare papers and presentations related to their own research.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering Mechanics

MEEM 6110 - Advanced Continuum Mechanics
Presents fundamental concepts in hyperelasticity, damage mechanics, linear viscoelasticity, quasi-linear viscoelasticity, poroelasticity, continuum jump conditions, plasticity, and viscoplasticity. These theories are applied to describe the mechanical behavior of a wide range of engineering materials and biomaterials such as polymers, metals, soil, collagen, muscle tissue, bone tissue, and cartilage.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5110

MEEM 6120 - Dynamic Behavior of Materials
Covers the dynamic stress-strain aspects of material behavior, discusses elastic waves in bounded media, describes the Hopkinson bar, an experimental tool for the determination of the dynamic strength of materials, and includes impacts of bars and response of high strain rate.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2001-2002 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MEEM 6130 - Engineering Fracture Mechanics
Development of the stress and deformation fields present near the tips of cracks. Uses elasticity solutions, plasticity corrections, and numerical methods in modeling these fields. Introduces fracture criteria and explains the various parameters used to develop these criteria.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring, Summer - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5110

MEEM 6230 - Conduction
Fundamental aspects of conductive heat transfer applied to steady-state and transient conditions. Studies multidimensional conduction problems with exact and approximate solutions techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5230

MEEM 6240 - Convective Heat Transfer
An introduction to flow and boundary layer theory for forced and natural convection heat and mass transfer. Includes derivation and application of the equations for conservation of mass, energy, and momentum; dimensional analysis and correlation of experimental results.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5230

MEEM 6250 - Radiative Heat Transfer
Fundamentals of thermal radiation for black, gray, nongray, diffuse, and specular surfaces. Includes radiation combined with conduction and convection at boundaries; properties for radiation in absorbing, emitting, and scattering media; and the engineering treatment of gas radiation in enclosures.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5230

MEEM 6701 - Advanced Acoustics
Advanced concepts in acoustics with emphasis on modeling of sound sources, sound interaction with solid structures, transmission and radiation of sound. Includes numerical acoustics, statistical energy analysis, and sound quality concepts. Provides beneficial background in basic vibrations and noise control.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5230

MEEM 6702 - Nonlinear Sys Analy & Control
Studies nonlinear systems from perspective of analysis/control system design. Explores fundamental properties for nonlinear differential equations in addition to describing functions, phase plane analysis, stability/instability theorems. Develops and applies control system design approaches for nonlinear systems, including feedback linearization and sliding mode control.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MEEM 5715

MEEM 6703 - Advanced Vibrations
Free and forced vibration of continuous systems with applications to strings, shafts, beams, plates and membranes. Problems formulated using Hamilton's principle and Lagrange's equations. Approximate methods of solution include the Rayleigh-Ritz method and Galerkin's method.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering Mechanics
MEEM 6705 - Advanced Dynamics
Systematic study of principles of mechanics from a modern perspective. Includes rates of change of position and orientation; angular velocity and acceleration; linear velocity and acceleration; generalized coordinates and velocities; properties of distributed mass; generalized active and inertia forces for holonomic and nonholonomic systems; potential energy, kinetic energy, and virtual work.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 6990 - Special Topics
Study of selected subjects related to mechanical engineering or engineering mechanics.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MEEM 6995 - Graduate Research (Online/Off Campus)
Research/investigation on a topic related to mechanical engineering or engineering mechanics leading to the submission of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PhD degree.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics

MEEM 6999 - Doctoral Research
Research/investigation on a topic related to mechanical engineering or engineering mechanics leading to the submission of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PhD degree.
Credits: variable to 15.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Mechanical Eng-Eng Mechanics

Materials Science & Engineering

MY 5100 - Thermodynamics and Kinetics I
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5104 - Introduction to Materials Science and Engineering with Advanced Topics
A survey of the processing structure property relationships including metals, ceramics, and polymers. The course will cover the same material as in MY2100 plus advanced topics on materials structure, characterization, processing, and properties.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (4-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Materials Science and Engrng

MY 5110 - Thermodynamics and Kinetics II
The kinetics of liquid-to-solid and solid-to-solid phase transformations. Diffusion-controlled phase transformations, including nucleation, growth, coarsening, spinodal decomposition, eutectic and eutectoid transformations, cellular transformations, and massive transformations. Martensitic transformations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): MY 5100

MY 5190 - Advanced Materials Processing for Mechanical, Energy, and Biomedical Applications
Advanced materials processing technologies will be instructed with examples of various applications in mechanical, energy, and biomedical areas. Powder production, surface chemistry, separation, agglomeration, composites, forming, shaping, conventional and microwave heating, and nano materials and structures will be introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

MY 5250 - Advanced Scanning Electron Microscopy
Basic design and operating principles of scanning electron microscope (SEM) with discussions on interactions of electrons with solids and resulting signal production, for analysis of heterogeneous materials using X-ray microanalysis, and applications to surface science. Includes practical training on advanced operation of SEM and FE-SEM (FE=field emission)* instruments with an emphasis on the production of high resolution images and quantitative X-ray analysis of specimen composition based on real and virtual standards. (*if available)
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5250 - Transmission Electron Microscopy
Practical aspects of materials characterization by transmission electron microscopy.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5260 - Crystallography & Diffraction
Crystallographic concepts and diffraction analyses in materials science.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5400 - Mechanical Behavior of Materials
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
MY 5410 - Materials for Energy Applications
Advanced solid materials for hydrogen energy will be introduced, including hydrogen storage materials, hydrogen production catalysts, and proton exchange membranes with emphasis on structures and properties. Silicon semiconductors, compound semiconductors, and nanostructured semiconductors will be discussed for solar energy applications.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

MY 5430 - Electronic Materials
A study of the physical principles, operational characteristics, models, and basic applications of selected solid-state devices.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5440 - Solid State Devices
A study of the physical principles, operational characteristics and models and basic applications of solid state devices such as p-n junctions, metal-semiconductor junctions and transistors.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring

MY 5460 - Semiconductor Fabrication
Graduate level introduction to the science and engineering of semiconductor device fabrication.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

MY 5480 - Advanced MEMS
This course will cover advanced topics dealing with MEIXIS technologies, transduction mechanisms, and microfabricated sensors and actuators and is continuation of EE4240/MY4240.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 4240 or MY 4240

MY 5490 - Solar Photovoltaic Science and Engineering
Solar photovoltaic materials, the device physics of photovoltaic cells and practical applications of solar electric systems engineering.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5500 - Solid Surfaces
The performance, durability, and stability of composites, coatings, films, advanced ceramics, implants, and nano-technological products rely on the understanding, control and manipulation of surfaces and interfaces. This course provides both a fundamental and practical introduction to the concepts and theories of solid surfaces and solid-liquid interfaces. The capillary effects, electrical aspects of interfaces, and adsorption at materials surfaces, with their practical applications and consequences, are emphasized.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5580 - Introduction to Scanning Probe Microscopy
Students will learn basics of design and fundamental physics behind the scanning probe microscopy techniques. The lectures will also discuss analysis of the solid surfaces regarding roughness, topography, composition, heterogeneity, and adhesion properties using atomic force microscopy (AFM). Artifacts associated with inappropriate conditions in atomic AFM imaging will be discussed as well. Training in the operation of the AFM instrument and exploration of its capability during the laboratory sessions will complement the lectures.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5600 - Powder Processing
Processing of metal and ceramic powders into bulk products. Powder manufacture and characterization, compaction, sintering, pressure-assisted consolidation to full density. Emphasis on principles underlying consolidation practices.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2005-2006 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): MY 2100

MY 5610 - Materials Recycling: Processing and Utilization
Methods for materials recycling is the emphasis. Topics include the recycling of materials for steel, aluminum, automobile, foundry, glass, plastics, energy, construction, and other industries. Background of the industry, characteristics of materials, materials flow, and the processing and utilization methods to recycle the materials are presented.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

MY 5700 - Vehicle Battery Cells and Systems
The behavior and application of batteries will be examined by introducing concepts from thermodynamics, materials science, transport processes and equivalent circuits. The non-ideal power source behavior of rechargeable batteries in applications will be treated using electrolyte: electrode transport and electrode materials chemistry. Prior exposure to freshman chemistry, elementary electrical circuits, and elementary transport theory is assumed.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): EE 2200 or CM 3200 or MY 3100 or EE 2110 or MEEM 5990

MY 5777 - Advanced Open-Source 3-D Printing
An introduction to distributed additive manufacturing using open-source 3-D printing. Design, use, and maintenance of open-source electronics and self-replicating rapid prototypers (RepRap). Graduate students will be expected to complete coursework and an in-depth project.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following College(s): College of Engineering

MY 5900 - Graduate Seminar
Graduate student presentations at departmental seminars.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

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MY 5970 - Special Topics - Graduate Materials Science and Engineering
Special Topics in Materials Science and Engineering at the Graduate level.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 8
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 5990 - MS Thesis Research
Fundamental and applied research in metallurgical and materials engineering. Taken by graduate students in partial fulfillment of the MS thesis requirements.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 6100 - Computational Materials Science and Engineering
Computational and analytical techniques applied to materials science and engineering problems. Develops student facility with modern computational techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 6110 - Advanced Topics in Materials Processing
Advanced treatment of various unit operations of materials processing. Operations may include deformation processing, powder and particulate technology, solidification processing, thermomechanical processing, optimum process selection, etc.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 6200 - Advanced Topics in Materials Characterization
Advanced concepts in materials characterization. Specific course content is tailored to meet the interests of the students and faculty.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 6400 - Advanced Topics in Mechanical Behavior of Materials
Advanced concepts in mechanical behavior of materials. Specific course content is tailored to meet the interests of the students and faculty.
Credits: variable to 4.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

MY 6990 - PhD Thesis Research
Fundamental and applied research in metallurgical and materials engineering. Taken by graduate students in partial fulfillment of the PhD thesis requirements.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Physics

PH 5010 - Graduate Journal Club
Presentation and discussion of current issues in physics and recent research by departmental faculty and others. One credit in journal club is required for all graduate degrees in physics. Attendance is required in the physics department colloquium series.
Credits: 1.0; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 5110 - Classical Mechanics
Lagrangian methods, symmetries and conservation laws, variational formulation, small oscillations, Hamilton's equations, contact transformations, Poisson brackets, Hamilton-Jacobi theory, Lorentz-invariant formulation.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 5210 - Electrodynamics I
Electrostatics and magnetostatics, boundary value problems, multipoles, Maxwell's equations, time-dependent fields, propagating wave solutions, radiation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 5320

PH 5211 - Electrodynamics II
Scattering and diffraction, special relativity, relativistic particle dynamics, Lorentz transformation, 4-vectors, transformation of fields, charges and currents, Thomas precession, retarded potentials, radiation from moving charges.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 5310

PH 5310 - Statistical Mechanics
Ensembles, partition functions and distributions, thermodynamic potentials, quantum statistics, ideal and nonideal gases, interacting systems. Applications may include classical and quantum liquids, phase transitions and critical phenomena, correlation functions, linear response and transport theory, or other topics.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
PH 5320 - Mathematical Physics
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 5410 - Quantum Mechanics I
Study of the postulates of quantum mechanics framed in Dirac notation, the Heisenberg uncertainty relations, simple problems in one dimension, the harmonic oscillator, the principles of quantum dynamics, rotational invariance and angular momentum, spherically symmetric potentials including the hydrogen atom, and spin.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 5411 - Quantum Mechanics II
Continuation of PH 5410. Includes the study of symmetries and their consequences, the variational method, identical particles, the Hartree-Fock approximation time-independent perturbation theory, time-dependent perturbation theory, diatomic molecules with applications to H2+, many-body perturbation theory, and the Dirac equation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 5410

PH 5510 - Theory of Solids
Free electron theory, Bloch's theorem, electronic band structure theory, Fermi surfaces, electron transport in metals and semiconductors. Lattice vibrations and phonons, other topics as time permits.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2000-2001 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 5410

PH 5520 - Materials Physics
Materials classification and structures; phase diagrams; lattice imperfections; quasiparticles; boundaries and interfaces; mechanical, electronic, optical, magnetic and superconducting properties of materials.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2001-2002 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 5320 and PH 5410

PH 5530 - Selected Topics in Nanoscale Science and Technology
Presentation and discussion of selected topics in nanoscale science and engineering. Topics include growth, properties, applications, and societal implication of nanoscale materials. Evaluation: attendance and assignment.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

PH 5610 - High Energy Astrophysics
An introduction to the ideas and results of astrophysics and high energy physics.
Credits: 2.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 5640 - Atmospheric Physics
Essential elements of atmospheric physics, including thermodynamics (e.g. adiabatic processes, phase transformations, stratification), aerosol and cloud physics (e.g. nucleation, Kohler theory, growth by condensation and collection), and radiative transfer (e.g. Beer's law, transfer equations with and without scattering.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 2300 and (MA 3520 or MA 3521 or MA 3530 or MA 3560)

PH 5680 - Atmospheric Fluid Dynamics
Fundamental forces and conservation laws that govern fluid flow; applications to the atmosphere, including balanced flow (pressure gradient and Coriolis force), vorticity dynamics, turbulence, waves, and boundary layers.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2007-2008 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 2300 and (MA 3520 or MA 3521 or MA 3530 or MA 3560)

PH 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate. Students on campus are required to attend the physics department colloquium series.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 5999 - Master's Research
Master's-level research conducted under the direction of a graduate faculty advisor. Attendance is required in the physics department colloquium series.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor and department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate. Attendance is required in the physics department colloquium series.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PH 6999 - Doctoral Research
Independent research conducted in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PhD degree. Scheduled by arrangement. Attendance is required in the physics department colloquium series.
Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor and department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
PSY 5000 - Advanced Responsible Conduct of Research Training: Basic and Human Subjects
This course will meet MTU requirements for RCR education for human subjects research. All MTU RCR Advanced and Program specific requirements, except Animal Subjects and Intellectual Property, will be covered. Program Specific requirements utilize the American Psychological Association (APA) ethical principles.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5010 - Cognitive Psychology
A systematic survey of classical and contemporary research topics in human information processing and learning. Topics include models of cognition, perception/pattern recognition, attention, the nature of mental representation and processing; the architecture of memory, imagery, concepts, and prototypes; reasoning, decision making, problem solving, and cognitive development.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5060 - Cognitive Systems
Advanced topics in the psychology of cognitive systems. Topics may include the cognitive requirements of work, and human factors efforts to support those requirements via the analysis, design, and evaluation of complex socio-technical systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5095 - Practicum
Independent activity where students apply their existing knowledge, skills, and methods already acquired in the program and demonstrate acquisition of new design-based knowledge, skills, and methods from the operational setting in which the practicum takes place.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5100 - Applied Cognitive Science
Survey of applied human information processing literature, detailed review of recent developments in applied cognitive science, and examination of the purposes, role and scope of cognitive engineering.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5110 - Sensation and Perception
Examination of basic sensory mechanisms and perceptual phenomena. Sensory mechanisms reviewed will include vision, audition, olfaction, gustation, vestibular system and touch.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5120 - Advanced Statistical Analysis and Design I
An overview of research ethics, experimental design, proposal writing, and univariate statistics such as t-tests and ANOVA.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5220 - Advanced Statistical Analysis & Design II
A continuation of PSY 5210 covering multivariate and nonparametric statistics such as MANOVA, ANCOVA, Multiple Regression, factor analysis, and Chi Square.
Credits: 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PSY 5110

PSY 5300 - Human Performance
An overview of cognitive task analyses and process tracing methods used to examine human performance in complex socio-technical systems. Topics include knowledge elicitation, concept mapping, critical decision method, and protocol analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5390 - Testing and Measurement Advanced Psychometrics
Provides an advanced foundation in concepts, theories, and methods of psychological testing and measurement. Topics include: validity and reliability; cognitive process-tracing; test construction and evaluation; data analysis and interpretation; applications in clinical, industrial, neuropsychological, and educational contexts; test administration, ethics, laws, and standards. Satisfies some requirements for professional administration of psychological and educational assessments.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required
Pre-Requisite(s): PSY 5210

PSY 5400 - Ergonomics and Biomechanics
An overview of the physical aspects of user-centered design. Specific topics include anthropometry, repetitive strain injuries, and physical workload evaluation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5410 - Computational and Mathematical Models of Human Cognition and Behavior
This course focuses on analysis and use of computational and mathematical models of human cognition and behavior. Topics include models of memory, learning, information theory, decision making, vision, semantics, production systems, game theory, and network analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

PSY 5500 - Supervised Teaching Practicum
An experiential course in which student gain practical experience with course design and instruction.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

PSY 5510 - Memory and Learning: Review, Synthesis, and Applications
Review of literature on human memory and learning from behavioral, neural, and applied perspectives. Readings and discussion will focus on foundational research studies that have formed the basis for our knowledge about human memory and learning, with a focus on the implications for applied work in learning, training, and human factors.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required

PSY 5520 - Advanced Statistical Analysis and Design II
An overview of research ethics, experimental design, proposal writing, and univariate statistics such as t-tests and ANOVA.
Credits: 4.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-4-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required
PSY 5610 - Automation
An overview of the changing role of human users in automated systems. Topics include levels of automation, automation trust issues, automation uses and misuses, and the role of automation in human performance.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5620 - Displays and Alarms
An overview of display and alarm display design principles for human-machine systems. Topics include visual, auditory, and tactile display design, masking and alarm detection, and the cry wolf effect and alarms.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PSY 5160

PSY 5750 - Judgment and Decision Making
How can we make better decisions? Using examples from medicine, politics, law, business, and daily life, we review "descriptive" (psychological), "normative" (rational), and "prescriptive" (decision-engineering) theory. Topics include judgment, cognition, emotion, risk, uncertainty, optimization, heuristics, biases, morality, and applications.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5850 - Human Factors Psychology
Advanced concepts critical to the design of human-technological systems, such as capitalizing upon human capabilities and compensating for human limitations. Topics may include perceptual and motor abilities, human error and cognitive engineering.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PSY 5160

PSY 5860 - Human Factors II
An overview of the tools and techniques used by human factors researchers and practitioners. Topics include task analysis, link analysis, human error in systems, workload analysis, and physiological assessment techniques.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PSY 5850

PSY 5880 - Current Issues in Human Factors
An overview of the state of the field of human factors, trends, ethics for human factors practitioners, and career development.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PSY 5850

PSY 5900 - Graduate Research Project
Proposal and data collection phases of masters level research project.

Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5910 - Independent Research
Research experience, preparation, and data collection.

Credits: variable to 12.0; Repeatable to a Max of 21; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 5999 - Graduate Research
Fundamental and applied research in cognitive science and/or human factors leading to the submission of a thesis or report in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the master's degree.

Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate. Students enrolled in this course may not register for any other course.

Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 6990 - Special Topics in Cognitive Science
Study of special topics in cognitive science as designed by section title.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 6991 - Special Topics in Human Factors
Study of special topics in human factors as designed by section title.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 6999 - Doctoral Research
Fundamental and applied research in cognitive science and/or human factors. Leading to the submission of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PHD degree.

Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

PSY 6999 - Doctoral Research
Fundamental and applied research in cognitive science and/or human factors. Leading to the submission of a dissertation in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the PHD degree.

Credits: variable to 12.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Systems Administration Technology

SAT 5001 - Introduction to Medical Informatics
Course covers fundamental subjects such as medical decision support systems, telemedicine, medical ethics and biostatistics. Topics include consumer health informatics, international health care systems, global health informatics, translational research informatics and eHealth. Students will see medical informatics from diverse perspectives. Scientific writing and communication will be encouraged.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
SAT 5002 - Application Programming Introduction
Students will develop problem solving skills through the application of a commonly used high-level programming language. Topics include: nature of the programming environment; fundamentals of programming languages; structured programming concepts; object-oriented programming concepts; desirable programming practices and design; and debugging and testing techniques.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5111 - Security and Privacy
Examines key health information security, policy, and procedures. Investigates how to distinguish elements of a security audit and key security policies. Analyzes the roles of people maintaining health information security and explains elements of these roles within the organization.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5121 - Introduction to Medical Sciences, Human Pathophysiology, Healthcare
Course provides basic concepts in medicine and human pathophysiology to introduce a molecular understanding of human metabolism and disease. Topics also include physical examination of patient, taking medical history, laboratory medicine, disease management and treatment, medical diagnostics, clinical workflow, and medical special/subspecialities.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5131 - System Analysis and Design
Provides knowledge of tools available to perform systems analysis, examines key factors in systems design, emphasizes importance of communication, and an understanding of the primary factors in systems implementation. Course will examine strategies, risks, and key factors in purchasing systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5141 - Clinical Decision Support and Improving Healthcare
Course addresses complex medical decisions, evidence-based medicine, disease management and comprehensive laboratory informatics. Topics include improving physical order entry and healthcare, using medical literature, clinical case discussions, meaningful use of medical data, enhancing patient and care-giver education, disease prevention, and public health and environmental health informatics.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5151 - Application Integration and Interoperability
Defines and explains the role of interoperability in the development of a functioning EHR. Analyzes predominant standardization in the healthcare field such as ASTM and HL7. Examines the challenges to the development of interoperability in healthcare.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5161 - Data Warehousing and Business Intelligence
Identifies database solutions and key elements of an enterprise data warehouse. Explains how to apply best practices for development of data warehouses, the role of business intelligence and data mining in supporting the strategic business decision process, and OLAP (Online Analytical Processing) and its use in reporting and analyzing database and data warehouse information. Defines security practices for a data warehouse environment.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): SAT 3210

SAT 5171 - Human-Computer Interaction in Healthcare
Addresses human-computer interaction (HCI) evaluation methods and their applications in the healthcare domain. Topics include: user-centered design; measurements in HCI; usability testing; experimental research; data collection methods; statistical analysis; and qualitative data analysis. Software programming language R will be used.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5231 - Statistical Methods for Intrusion Detection
An introduction to the data and methodologies of computer intrusion detection. Focuses on statistical and machine learning approaches to detection of attacks on computers. Topics include network monitoring and analysis, network-based attacks such as probes and denial of service, host-based attacks such as buffer overflows and race conditions, and malicious code such as viruses and worms. Statistical pattern recognition methods will be described for the detection and classification of attacks.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SAT 5241 - Designing Security Systems
Provides an overview of techniques used in the design of secure systems with a primary focus on real-world case studies. Students will examine attacks on deployed systems and investigate how these vulnerabilities have been addressed. Practical advantages and shortcomings of several notions of provable security will also be examined. Students will be expected to read, understand, and present recent research papers.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): SAT 5111

SAT 5251 - Advanced Topics in Network Security
Focuses on advanced research topics in communications security. The course is structured as a research seminar where students present research papers. Topics include protocol analysis, security in inter-domain routing, broadcast authentication protocols, covert channels and anonymous communication, key management, advanced trace-back schemes, and attack propagation modeling. A course project is required.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
SAT 5261 - Medical Image Analysis
Overview of medical image analysis techniques. Topics will include: fundamentals of medical imaging; image enhancement; image compression; image segmentation; noise reduction; image registration; content-based medical image retrieval, feature extraction and image recognition; and computer-aided diagnosis and detection systems.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): CS 1111 or SAT 1200

SAT 5281 - Healthcare Security Management
Addresses information security in the public health and medical fields, with special emphasis on clinical care, research, and the role of the academic medical center. Also focuses on disaster recovery and response, anonymization of records, billing, communication of public health information to EHRs, along with physical and administrative security.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): SAT 5241

SAT 5600 - Web Application Development
An introduction to the building and administration of web applications. Topics covered include: Apache web server development; Tomcat application server; HTML; cascading style sheets; JavaScript; jQuery; server side includes; server side application development; web services; SSL/TLS; and authentication/authorization.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): SAT 5241

Social Sciences

SS 5001 - Advanced Social Science Methods
Introduction to quantitative and mixed methods research in the social sciences. Topics include: survey design, sampling frames, data collection and analysis, error estimation, and the application of statistical methods. Literature will highlight the use and misuse of advanced methods.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand

SS 5003 - Survey Methods
A general introduction to survey methods. Students will learn the basics of survey design from questionnaire construction to the measurement of complex social science concepts. Students will also demonstrate their ability to conduct an original survey through a class project.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

SS 5004 - Statistics for the Social Sciences
A general introduction to quantitative analysis for the social sciences. The course uses common statistical software tools, such as SPSS, to aid in the analysis of data. Students apply their data analysis techniques to social science problems of their choosing in a semester-long project.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

SS 5005 - Introduction to Computational Social Science
An introduction to computational methods for the social sciences. The course provides an introduction to complexity theory and Agent-Based Modeling. Students will apply what they have learned in this course to develop a pilot simulation to understand any social phenomena of their choosing.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore

SS 5010 - Directed Study
Directed readings or research conducted under the direction of a member of the graduate faculty. Students must meet with their supervising instructor and receive approval of their study plan before registering.
Credits: variable to 4.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5015 - Cultural/Environmental Office of Surface Mining VISTA Field Service Internship
Students enroll in this course during a supervised field experience dealing with natural and cultural heritage, natural or cultural resources, and/or community development. This course allows progress toward MS degrees in Industrial Archaeology and Environmental and Energy Policy while serving as an intern through OSM VISTA.
Credits: 1.0; May be repeated
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-3)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate; Must be enrolled in one of the following Major(s): Industrial Archaeology, Environmental Policy
SS 5050 - GIS Applications for Social Scientists
Application of Geographic Information Systems in social sciences as a tool to collect and analyze qualitative and quantitative data for socio-spatial and historical research. Students gain hands-on experience in data collection, analysis, and output, spatial problem solving, and report writing.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5111 - Advanced Natural Resource Policy
This course surveys basic important federal policies related to water, land, forest, mineral, and wildlife and fisheries management. It uses policy analysis tools to understand the theory and study of policy development and implementation.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year

SS 5150 - Natural Hazards and Human Impacts
The interaction of humans and environment is examined through field study on the Keweenaw Peninsula. Focus on natural hazards, geological and geographical landscapes and processes. Integrates scientific and social scientific content knowledge with pedagogical approaches for K-12 teachers.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-6)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

SS 5201 - Cultural Dimensions of International Immersion and Research
Students reflect on their culture and assumptions about the world; discuss conducting research responsibly; consider structural, material, and historical dimensions of social problems and social change, and explore how to live and work effectively with people from other cultural groups.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-0-2)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5300 - Environmental & Energy Policy
An overview of environmental and energy policymaking and politics in the U.S. and internationally. Emphasizes policies regarding air and water pollution, energy and global climate change, pesticides, toxic and hazardous waste. Discussion of administration of laws by EPA and DOE.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5301 - The Policy Process
This course introduces key concepts in the policy making process (agenda, setting, formulation, decision-making, implementation, and evaluation). Theories of policy change are also introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall

SS 5302 - Environmental Governance and Decision Making - Nature, Culture, and Power
Reviews the dominant social scientific narratives related to understanding interactions between society and the environment. Involves learning to think critically about environmental problems and the social, political, and cultural contexts in which these problems arise.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5310 - Ecological Economics
Ecological economics starts with a preanalytical vision that the economy is a sub-system of the Earth's ecological systems. Foundational topics include examination of the optimal scale of the economy, efficient allocation of resources, and the equitable distribution of resource flows.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5313 - Sustainability Science, Policy, and Assessment
Foundational scientific concepts (dynamic systems and catastrophe theory) as applied to socioecological systems. Use of indicators and indices to track progress towards sustainability goals. Review of local, national, and global sustainability policies to avoid catastrophes and guide sustainable development.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5315 - Population and Environment
This course investigates relationships between the world's population, population change, population distribution, resource consumption, and environmental and social consequences. Addresses local and global relationships and the population processes (mortality, fertility, and migration) involved.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Pre-Requisite(s): SS 5400(C) or SS 3760 or FW 3760

SS 5318 - Public Sector Management
The main theories, philosophies, current themes, and critical issues in public sector management are examined.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

SS 5320 - Special Topics in Environmental Policy
An intensive, student-led seminar focused on environmental and sustainability policy issues at local, regional, or global scales. Topics may include climate change, pollution, sustainable agriculture or development, environmental justice, globalization, or other current topics. May be repeated if topic differs.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5325 - Water Policy, History, and Governance
This seminar will explore the global history, politics, and governance of freshwater resources. Topics will include the effects of forestry, mining, watershed management, sanitation systems, privatization, climate change, fisheries, emerging contaminants, and agriculture on water systems and policies.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2015-2016 academic year

SS 5330 - Special Topics in Energy Policy
An intensive student-led seminar focused on energy policy issues at local, regional, or global scales. Topics may include climate change, renewable energy, energy efficiency, nuclear wastes, and government mandates. May be repeated if topic differs.
Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 9
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
SS 5340 - Principles of Interdisciplinary Team Science
Drawing on the team science literature and over 20 years of faculty experience, this class focuses on building student skills in effective development of and work with interdisciplinary, environmentally-related scientific research teams.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year  
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate  
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

SS 5350 - Environmental Policy Analysis
An overview of the policy process, including a detailed review of the major instruments that are used by federal, state, regional, and local governments.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Spring  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate  
Pre-Requisite(s): SS 5300 and EC 2001

SS 5400 - Sociology of the Environment
Provides students with an introduction to basic sociological concepts as they apply human relationships to the environment. Topics include social values, organizations, norms, ideologies, and political systems. Themes will include the relationship of expertise to lay knowledge, public participation, and urban-rural relationships.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5410 - Critical Cartography
The course will examine: available datasets for human variables; and the interpretation of maps based on scale, boundaries, projection system, and other information that affect messages regarding power and influence, and assumed relative importance of environmental, social, and economic issues.
Credits: 1.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Summer  
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following  
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

SS 5500 - IA Proseminar: History of Technology
Provides a basic introduction to work in the history of technology.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5501 - IA Proseminar: Industrial Communities
A graduate seminar covering studies of industrial communities. Introduces the methods and approaches of this field through reading and discussion of selected articles and case studies.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5502 - IA Proseminar: Historical Archaeology
Graduate seminar covering the essential elements of historical archaeology through reading and discussion of selected articles and case studies.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5503 - IA Proseminar: Material Culture Studies
Graduate seminar covering the basic elements of material culture studies through readings, discussion, and projects.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5530 - Deindustrialization and Urban Environments
This course examines economic, environmental, and social problems associated with deindustrialization in postwar American cities and the strategies adopted to ameliorate them. Major topics include labor relations, segregation and housing, environmental regulation, environmental justice, and economic and community development policy.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)  
Semesters Offered: On Demand  
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following  
Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

SS 5550 - Global Environmental History
Examines changes in human interactions with earth systems over time, starting with the development of agriculture and continuing to the present--with flows of material through economies and ecologies now intertwined in complex ways. Places the notion of sustainability in historical perspective.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year

SS 5600 - Industrial Archaeology
Directed readings and lectures in industrial archaeology using wide range of material from the historical engineering and archaeology literature. Central focus is on regional case studies. Students complete a substantial directed research project.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5635 - International Environmental Policy
This course delves into the international law associated with environmental issues. Students begin with the treaty language and associated jurisprudence (if any) and then study how the treaty was negotiated, adapted by national governments, and used in political discourse.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5655 - International Environmental Policy
This course delves into the international law associated with environmental issues. Students begin with the treaty language and associated jurisprudence (if any) and then study how the treaty was negotiated, adapted by national governments, and used in political discourse.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: On Demand - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2011-2012 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5700 - Archaeological Field Methods
Practical experience in methods and techniques of field archaeology. Background readings followed by participation in site survey, testing, excavation, and record keeping. Students involved in ongoing research projects in upper Great Lakes Region. Offered with SS 3210. Graduate students complete independent project in addition to regular work. Recommended SS2020.
Credits: variable to 8.0; Repeatable to a Max of 16  
Semesters Offered: Summer  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate

SS 5800 - Documentation of Historic Structures
Principles and practice of survey and documentation of historic structures. Techniques include reconnaissance survey, in-depth survey, measured drawings, architectural photography, primary research, and written descriptions. Students use survey and documentation to analyze historic structures.
Credits: 3.0  
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)  
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year  
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following  
Level(s): Graduate
SS 5820 - Advanced, Ethical, Legal and Societal Implications (ELSI) of Nanotechnology
Advanced exploration of the implications of molecularism as brought about by emergent nanotechnology and nanoscience. Involves comparative investigations, extended reading and writing assignments in seminar setting.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5900 - Heritage Management
Introduces the current field of heritage management; the legislation that underwrites its practice; the articulation of federal, state, and local governmental activity; the evolving philosophies of archaeologists and historic preservationists operating in the public interest; parallels on the international scene; and the impacts of heritage tourism.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5905 - Heritage Ecologies: Heritage, Culture, Environment
Course examines cultural and natural heritage from an interdisciplinary perspective. We ask: How are natural and cultural heritages interpreted, managed, and defined? This course uses case studies to examine key issues in heritage including conservation, indigenous rights, cultural landscapes, conflict, policy, and expert knowledge in heritage contexts.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Semesters Offered: Spring - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2014-2015 academic year
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman

SS 5975 - Full Time Master's Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all the required courses as well as the required number of credits for the master's degree. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 5990 - Graduate Research
Individual research work leading towards master's thesis or project. Open by arrangement to students in master's programs in the Department of Social Sciences.
Credits: variable to 10.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 6020 - Special Topics in Industrial History
Examines themes or topics related to the study of industrial history of technology. Topics may include global history of industrialization; theoretical models of industrial evolution; and social history of technology and work. May be repeated.
Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 6100 - Advanced Seminar in Energy and Climate Policy
This course will review the complex process of energy policy making in the U.S. focusing on political, economic, social, organizational, and technological dimensions. Students will examine the prospects for policy change in the light of global climate change.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 6500 - Directed Reading/Independent Study
Directed reading or independent study with appropriate faculty at the graduate level.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 6600 - PhD. Dissertation Research
Fundamental and applied research in industrial heritage, industrial archeology, history of technology, and in environmental and energy policy. Taken by graduate students in partial fulfillment of the PhD thesis requirements.
Credits: variable to 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SS 6975 - Full-Time Doctoral Research
Open to students who have successfully completed all required courses as well as the comprehensive and proposal defense exams. Students in this course are involved in full-time research. Tuition for this course is charged at the graduate full-time research rate.
Credits: 9.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-9-0)
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Surveying

SU 5001 - Practicum in Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) Guidance Navigation and Control
Review of the robotics platform guidance navigation and control algorithms with emphasis on geospatial terrain modeling and 3-D visualization. Extensive hands-on experience will include the practical task of operating a small UAV-26" wingspan plane with GPS autopilot and on-board camera.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5002 - Infrared Technology, Sensors, and Applications
Infrared remote sensing fundamentals, current and future technologies, and applications are considered. Remote sensing for both civilian applications such as environmental resource mapping and military applications will be included.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
SU 5003 - Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Technology Fundamentals
Course provides review of Geographic Information Systems applications and analysis. Includes core concepts such as data acquisition and management, topology, accuracy, metadata, output, quality control, analysis methods, new and traditional software options, web mapping, and GIS implementation/management for research and production.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5004 - Introduction to Geospatial Image Processing
Introduction to the basic concepts of Image Processing and Understanding. Applications focus on preprocessing of satellite and aerial images, remote sensing, and image/video enhancement. This course will provide mathematical foundations and explore modern practical algorithms and methods.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5010 - Geospatial Concepts, Technologies, and Data
High-level review of geospatial data acquisition systems, sensors and associated processing technologies. Course considers geospatial metadata generation principles, interoperability, and major tools for manipulation with geospatial data. Course may help in transition of non-geospatial majors to geospatial field.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5020 - Data Analysis and Adjustments
Course explores fundamentals of mathematical error propagation theory including various observation equations, least squares adjustment, and Kalman filter methods. Blunder detection, decorrelation, and inversion of patterned large matrices processes are considered. Involves analysis of position estimation deploying geospatial measurements.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5021 - Geodetic Models
Course provides solid geospatial background in geodetic reference frames: datums, geoids, and reference ellipsoids. 2D and 3D geodetic network adjustments are considered based on 3D spherical models.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5022 - Positioning with GNSS
In-depth study of GPS, GLONASS, Galileo, COMPASS satellite systems, theory, and processing of global positioning measurements. Strongly recommended for geospatial practitioners.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5023 - Geospatial Positioning
High-level summary of GPS-GAP courses. This course is intended for interdisciplinary graduate students who seek just ONE combination course in adjustments, geodesy and GPS (with emphasis on GPS/GNSS). Not available to students who have taken SU5020, SU5021, SU5022.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5041 - Geospatial Data Processing
Advanced data collection techniques; raster to vector; data conversion and map projections; topology; principles and application via advanced spatial analysis; advanced database structure; geo-database; geo-relational data model versus object-component data model; advanced 3D applications - vector and raster data model application; network analysis; linear referencing and conflation; geo-coding; GIS-CAD integration; web-based GIS innovations.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5042 - Digital Cartography
Spatial relations - topology, relations and relationships, directions and distances; hierarchy; generalization - vector (linear, polygonal, fractals) and raster; labeling - automatic name placement, text arrangement and deletion text; computational geometric algorithms - line intersection polygonal relationships, grid model, route analysis.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5043 - Topographic Analysis
LIDAR measurements; DSM - data sources, accuracy analysis, quality control, vector data analysis; terrain representation and TIN; grid analysis - interpolation, visibility, fillers (smoothing, edges, median), shading; merging overlapping DSMs; spatial analysis; spectral analysis; shape analysis; automatic feature extraction from DSM.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5044 - Remote Sensing and Cartography
Course topics include: reference and coordinate systems in modern and historic cartography, digital cartographic products, production technologies, cartographic spatial planning, cartographic product management, content validation for cartographic products, and communication of spatial themes on different cartographic products.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5045 - Geospatial Data Fusion
Fundamentals of GIS data, aerial photographs, satellite imagery, and airborne/terrestrial laser scanning data. Characteristics of remotely sensed data and the information that can be extracted. Term project on how to combine and fuse to a specific application.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5050 - Data Mining for Geospatial Applications
Overview of current techniques, including theory and applications of data mining and big data for geospatial techniques. Application focuses on open source programming and library development (Python), writing a research plan suitable for grant/ internal research competition submission, and proof-of-concept study.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5142 - 3D Surveying and Modeling with Laser Scanner Data
Theory and application of terrestrial LiDAR scanning. Typical application scenarios are also included. Intensive lab component provides hands-on experience in LiDAR point cloud processing and visualization.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-1)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
SU 5301 - Acquiring Aerial Images Using Unmanned Aerial Systems for Geoscience Applications

Topics include: aerial imagery; aerial systems (manned, unmanned, full-scale aviation versus small UAVs); small format aerial photography; LiDAR, RADAR, SONAR; unmanned aerial platforms for geoscience; aerial imagery missions; image processing and analysis; geomorphology corrections; and mapping and interpretation.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5480 - Geospatial Science and Technology to Support Land Cadastre

Introduction and description of land rights. Land ownership, land lease, land access, traditional rights, mortgaging and land as capital, boundary descriptions. Cadastre 2014 by FIG, different examples for cadastre types over the globe, and modern technical approaches will be covered.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5540 - Advanced Photogrammetry - Satellite Photogrammetry

Fundamentals of spaceborne imaging systems relevant to topographic mapping. Imagery products: preprocessing levels and metadata. Specific methods of space photogrammetry. Review of contemporary spaceborne imaging systems and imagery products available. Airborne non-frame sensors and photogrammetric processing of the imagery.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-2-3)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): SU 4140

SU 5541 - Close-range Photogrammetry

The main topics that will be covered are: math fundamentals; imaging technology; the photogrammetric process; image acquisition planning; interior orientation; bundle block adjustment; 3D plotting; orthophotograph; image-matching techniques; and close range photogrammetry applications.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): SU 4140

SU 5800 - Geospatial Master's Graduate Seminar

Student presentations of geospatial related research. Graduate committee organization assistance, presentation skills training and guidance for final Master's research presentation.

Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5930 - Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) Fundamentals and Applications

Review of radar concepts; applications of SAR (InSAR) data, types of available satellite/airborne systems, and data processing methods. Applications for creating topographic data, recognizing targets, classifying ice and vegetation, and oceans/large lakes will be presented based on real-world examples.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5990 - Special Topics in Integrated Geospatial Technology

Integrated Geospatial Technology topic of interest to the faculty and student.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5998 - Graduate Practicum

Advanced independent study for students in the Integrated Geospatial Technology Masters program. In consultation with student's advisor, develop, and execute a project demonstrating capabilities in problem solving, communications, and decision making. The practicum can be done on campus or at the site of a Michigan Tech corporate partner.

Credits: variable to 6.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

SU 5999 - Master's Graduate Research

Research of an acceptable geospatial related problem and preparation of a thesis.

Credits: variable to 10.0; Repeatable to a Max of 10; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Semesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

Technology

TE 5000 - Independent Study in Technology

Students undertake an independent study in an approved technology topic under the guidance of a School of Technology faculty member. The course of study may either be research or academic and is decided upon between the student and faculty member.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 6
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Senior

TE 5001 - Special Topics in Technology

Topics of special interest in technology will be offered depending on student demand and faculty interest or expertise.

Credits: variable to 3.0; Repeatable to a Max of 12
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Senior

TE 5100 - Systems Design and Integration

System specification and design with an overview of technical performance measurements, activity management, risk management, decision analysis, cost analysis, and concurrent engineering. A broad view of customer and vendor integration, design reviews, quality systems, producibility, and sustainability are also presented.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

TE 5200 - Systems Quality and Reliability

Technology and methodology for setting standards and measuring component performance. Testing and methods for evaluating internal and external subcontractor components and data are also presented. Contemporary issues of continuous improvement in quality and manufacturing, 6-sigma, and service industries are examined. Documentation related to offshore manufacturing is also introduced.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior

TE 5300 - Systems Project Management

Management techniques for large scale projects with multiple components and subsystems. Includes establishing and tracking responsibilities and costs of both internal and external value streams. Methods of investigating delivery, payment, and mechanical performance are also presented.

Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-3-0)
Semesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: May not be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Freshman, Sophomore, Junior
University Wide

UN 5000 - Graduate Cooperative Education I
Credits may count as free or technical electives based on academic department. Requires advisor approval, good standing, registration with Career Services, and an official letter.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Seminesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

UN 5001 - Advanced Responsible Conduct of Research
Three, 4 hour workshops on advanced responsible conduct of research. Covers topics necessary for this training, including ethical standards, publication practices, peer review process, conflict of interest and societal expectations.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (1-0-0)
Seminesters Offered: Summer - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2004-2005 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

UN 5002 - Graduate Cooperative Education II
Credits may count as free or technical electives based on academic department. Requires advisor approval, good standing, registration with Career Services, and an official offer letter.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Seminesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): UN 5000

UN 5003 - Graduate Cooperative Education III
Credits may count as free or technical electives based on academic department. Requires advisor approval, good standing, registration with Career Services, and an official offer letter.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Seminesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): UN 5000 and UN 5002

UN 5004 - Graduate Cooperative Education IV
Credits may count as free or technical electives based on academic department. Requires advisor approval, good standing, registration with Career Services, and an official offer letter.
Credits: variable to 6.0; May be repeated
Seminesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): UN 5000 and UN 5002 and UN 5003

UN 5100 - Center for Water and Society Colloquium
Seminar based class covers current topics in water resources. Objectives: build towards a common literacy on water resources issues; identify areas of common interest among students and faculty in water resources topics.
Credits: 1.0; Repeatable to a Max of 2
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Seminesters Offered: Spring

UN 5390 - Scientific Computing I
Understanding the use and limitations of computers for modeling and solving problems in physical, mathematical sciences, and engineering. Basic scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Seminesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Senior, Graduate

UN 5395 - Scientific Computing II
Designing and administering research computing infrastructure, developing and integrating computing and visualization work flows, writing research proposals with budgetary restrictions and understanding the funding agency regulations for protection of data. Advanced scripting and parallel programming methods are introduced.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (2-0-3)
Seminesters Offered: Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Class(es): Senior, Graduate
Pre-Requisite(s): PH 4390 or UN 5390

UN 5500 - Advanced Research Integrity
Three 4-hour workshops introduce students to the principles, practices, and regulations of responsible conduct research. Topics might include: societal expectations; professional and ethical standards; conflicts of interest; peer review; collaboration; publication and authorship; research misconduct; violations and sanctions.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Seminesters Offered: On Demand
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

UN 5540 - Pan American Biofuels and Bioenergy Sustainable Development
This course provides an integrated multidisciplinary education in forest-based biofuel; forest biomass production, conversion by pyrolysis, catalytic upgrading, and vehicular combustion. Sustainability topics will include government biofuel policy, community impacts, techno-economics, and life cycle environmental impacts, with use of software.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Seminesters Offered: Fall - Offered alternate years beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year
Restrictions: Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

UN 5550 - Introduction to Data Science
Course provides an introduction to Big Data concepts, with focus on data management, date modeling, visualization, security, cloud computing, and data science from different perspectives: computer science, business, social science, bioinformatic, engineering, etc. Course introduces tools for data analytics such as SPSS Modeler, R, SAS, Python, and MATLAB. Two case study projects which are integrated with communication and business skills.
Credits: 3.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (3-0-0)
Seminesters Offered: Fall
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required

UN 5555 - Integrated International Studies
An overview of cultural differences of implementing research in a foreign country. Case studies and history of universities in other countries are included.
Credits: 1.0
Lec-Rec-Lab: (0-1-0)
Seminesters Offered: Fall, Spring
Restrictions: Permission of instructor required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

UN 5951 - Graduate Status - Maintenance of Continuous Enrollment
Meets continuous enrollment requirement for graduate students needing “time out” for special circumstances (such as active military duty) and for online programs with inactive terms.
Credits: 0.0; May be repeated; Graded Pass/Fail Only
Seminesters Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer
Restrictions: Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate
UN 5953 - Final-Term Graduate Registration  
Course can be used to meet the minimum one credit enrollment requirement for graduate students. Students enrolled in research-oriented degree programs must instead register in one credit of research with the appropriate faculty member. Not available to students who need to be enrolled fulltime with 9 credits.  
**Credits:** 1.0; Graded Pass/Fail Only  
**Lec-Rec-Lab:** (0-1-0)  
**Semesters Offered:** Fall, Spring, Summer  
**Restrictions:** Permission of department required; Must be enrolled in one of the following Level(s): Graduate

UN 5990 - Special Topics - Interdisciplinary  
Study of interdisciplinary special topics as specified by section title.  
**Credits:** variable to 6.0; May be repeated  
**Semesters Offered:** On Demand  
**Restrictions:** Permission of instructor required