Fall 2017
Registration Announcement

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CALENDAR - 2017 FALL SEMESTER

Priority Registration................................................................. March 20, 2017 – August 22, 2017
Admission to Candidacy Forms for Fall 2017 Commencement..........................August 11, 2017
Fall 2016 Graduation Application Deadline (submit online at MyUTK)...........August 11, 2017
Graduation Fee Payment Deadline (MS $30, PhD $75).................................August 11, 2017
Payment Due for Priority Registration......................................................August 21, 2017
Late Registration and late fees begin ($100 Late Fee).......................August 23- September 5, 2017
Classes begin ............................................................................................................ August 23, 2017
Last Day to final register, add, change grading options or drop without a “W” .. September 1, 2017
Payment Due for Late Registration..................................................................September 1, 2017
Registration after 14th day late fee ($200 Late Fee) .......................September 6, 2017-End of Term
Labor Day ............................................................................................................ September 4, 2017
Preliminary Thesis/Dissertation Review Deadline (thesis@utk.edu) ...............October 6, 2017
Fall Break (No Classes) ...................................................................................October 5 - 6, 2017
Last day to schedule final exam (non-thesis/thesis/dissertation) .................October 27, 2017
Register to attend the Graduate Hooding Ceremony (http://gradschool.utk.edu/graduation/) .. TBD
Purchase cap and gown and order hood (865-974-3459) .......................................TBD
Last day to take final exam (non-thesis/thesis/dissertation) ................................November 3, 2017
Drop with a “W” ................................................................................................ November 14, 2017
Thesis/Dissertation Deadline 5:00 p.m. EST ..................................................November 17, 2017
Submit report of final examination (Pass/Fail) form ...................................... November 17, 2017
Thanksgiving Holidays .............................................................................November 23 – 24, 2017
Deadline for Submission of Admission to Candidacy for students
  Graduating Spring 2018 and Graduation Application ......................................December 5, 2017
All "INCOMPLETE" must be removed for Graduation ......................................December 5, 2017
Classes End ........................................................................................................... December 5, 2017
Total Withdraw from the University Deadline ................................................December 5, 2017
Study Day .......................................................................................................... December 6, 2017
Final Exam Period ........................................................................................... December 7, 8 & 11, 2017
Graduate Hooding Ceremony (UTK) ..............................................................December 14, 2017
COMMENCEMENT (UTK) ..............................................................................December 15, 2017
Official Graduation Date ..................................................................................December 16, 2017

Second thesis/dissertation deadlines
  Defense Completed by December 5, 2017
  Second Deadline Application Submitted by December 5, 2017
  http://gradschool.utk.edu/forms-central/
  Thesis/Dissertation Submission Deadline by January 5, 2018
(Students will receive diploma spring 2018 semester, but will not be required to register for thesis/dissertation credits)
A new graduation application must be submitted for Spring graduation.  For more Information on graduation steps see http://gradschool.utk.edu/graduation.shtml

SPRING SEMESTER 2018

Priority Registration................................................................. TBD
Final Registration ................................................................................. TBD
Classes Begin .............................................................................................. January 10, 2018
Martin Luther King Day (Holiday) ..............................................................January 15, 2018
Spring Break ............................................................................................... March 12 – 16, 2018
Spring Recess ............................................................................................. March 30, 2018
Classes End ............................................................................................... April 27, 2018
Study Day ................................................................................................................... April 30, 2018
Exam Period .............................................................................................................. May 1, 2, & 3, 2018
Graduate Hooding Ceremony (UTK) ........................................................................... May 10, 2018
University College Commencement Ceremonies ............................................... May 10 – 12, 2018
Official Graduation Date on Transcript ............................................................... May 12, 2018

Dates may be revised without notice. Please refer to the following sites for updates:
http://registrar.tennessee.edu/academic_calendar/index.shtml

FALL SEMESTER 2017
STUDY PERIOD AND FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

LAST DAY OF CLASSES ........................................................................................ December 5, 2017
STUDY DAY ........................................................................................................... December 6, 2017

FINAL EXAMS

REGULAR CLASS TIME (Same Classroom) EXAM TIME

1st Day – Thursday, December 7, 2017

7:45 - 9:00 M/Th 7:45 - 9:45
10:45 - 12:00 M/Th 10:15 - 12:15
9:15 - 10:30 M/Th 1:00 - 3:00
2:30 - 3:45 M/Th 3:30 - 5:30

2nd Day – Friday, December 8, 2017

9:15 - 10:30 Tu/Fri 7:45 - 9:45
10:45 - 12:00 Tu/Fri 10:15 - 12:15
1:00 - 2:15 Tu/Fri 1:00 - 3:00
2:30 - 3:45 Tu/Fri 3:30 - 5:30

3rd Day – Monday, December 11, 2017

7:45 - 9:00 Tu/Fri 7:45 - 9:45
1:00 - 2:15 M/Th 10:15 - 12:15

**** ATTENTION ****
ALL STUDENTS TAKING VIDEOTAPE COURSES
CONTACT INSTRUCTOR FOR DATE AND TIME OF FINAL EXAM
NO CLASSES WILL BE IN SESSION AT THIS TIME

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REGISTRATION ANNOUNCEMENT  
FALL SEMESTER 2017

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

GRADUATE ACADEMIC ADVISING

Graduate students should contact your departmental faculty to arrange an advising appointment. If you’re not accepted into a specific program, the assistant to the dean of graduate studies or the designee may act as your advisor. When the web registration system asks if you’ve discussed your program with your advisor, you must answer yes to continue with the registration process.

REGISTRATION

Students will register at http://my.utk.edu. You will need to log in using your NetID and your NetID password. If you do not know your NetID and NetID password, go to http://onestop.utk.edu/your-classes/registering-for-classes/.

*Log in to MyUTK. You can find a link by looking under “M” on the A-Z index (http://www.utk.edu/alpha/) or by typing myutk.utk.edu directly into your browser. You will need to log in by typing utk/your NetID in the “username” field and then your NetID password in the “password” field.

*Before you attempt to register, clear and pay any financial holds (parking tickets, library fines, fees, etc.).

*Look under the “For Your Review” heading on the MyUTK portal page (located in the upper right-hand corner) for notification of any holds you may have.

*Once you are logged into “My UTK,” scroll down to “UTK Student Registration Links.” Click on “Search for Classes” to look up sections and then register.

*Print a copy of your schedule when you are finished registering.

If you have any questions, call the Office of the University Registrar at 865-974-2101 or contact Charlene Hane in Student Services room D-100, phone 931-393-7228, email chane@utsi.edu.

TOLL-FREE NUMBERS

For a specific office: ......................................... 1-888-822-UTSI (8874) and the extension number.  
For general information: ................................................................. 1-888-822-UTSI (8874)  
Admissions Office: ................................................................. 1-888-822-UTSI (8874)-37234  
Budget and Finance Office: ..................................................... 1-888-822-UTSI (8874)-37297  
Student Services................................................................. 1-888-822-UTSI (8874)-37228

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

No student will be allowed to register unless a completed Application to the Graduate School of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville (UTK) is on file in the Registrar's Office. An Application for Admission to the UTK Graduate School must be completed online at https://www.applyweb.com/utg and accompanied by a $60.00 non-refundable application fee made payable to The University of Tennessee Space Institute. All applicants are required to provide one official transcript of all undergraduate and graduate records, GRE test scores and
three letters of recommendation when applying. International applicants will also need to include TOEFL scores. GRE scores are a requirement of all departments at UTSI except the Master of Science degree in Industrial Engineering/Engineering Management concentration. Please select UT Space Institute if you plan to attend the Tullahoma campus location. All applications need to be submitted online to the office of Graduate Admissions Knoxville, TN.

Graduate Research Assistantship applications need to be submitted to Clara Ferguson, Office of Admissions and Recruiting, University of Tennessee Space Institute, MS-6, Tullahoma, TN 37388-9700. Assistantship applications must include GRE test scores and three letters of recommendation. All International applicants will need to provide TOEFL test scores in addition to GRE’s. Official transcripts and test scores should be sent to College Code 1843, Graduate Admissions Office, 201 Student Services Building, Knoxville, TN 37996-0221. Once admitted, a full admission will not be granted until all official test scores and degree confirmation are received in the Graduate Admissions Office in Knoxville. Please contact Clara Ferguson at (931) 393-7234 or 888-822-8874 ext. 37234 if you have questions.

TOTAL WITHDRAWAL FROM THE UNIVERSITY

If, after registering for classes and either returning your fee payment or your Confirmation of Attendance form to the Bursar’s Office, you decide not to enroll for this term, you must immediately notify Charlene Hane, Student Services, at UTSI. If you withdraw officially on or before a Change of Registration deadline, but after the no “W” deadline for a particular session, the grade of “W” will be issued.

GRADES

Students may obtain their grades through the web at MyUTK or contact Charlene Hane, Student Services, Office D-100, (931) 393-7228.

GRADUATE STUDENTS CHANGE OF REGISTRATION AFTER THE DEADLINE

To change registration in any way after the deadline, a graduate student must present a request, signed by the instructor(s) and adviser as evidence of their knowledge of the request to Charlene Hane, Student Services at UTSI. Graduate students must verify that ALL changes have been approved by their academic adviser. If the Office of Graduate Student Services approves the change of registration, the change will be noted on the student’s permanent record. THE DROP DEADLINE FOR GRADES AND THE DROP DEADLINE FOR FEE REFUNDS ARE NOT THE SAME.

FULL-TIME STUDENTS

Students enrolled in at least 9 semester hours during the Fall/Spring/Summer semesters are considered full-time. Full-time enrollment for two consecutive semesters is required to full fill the admission to candidacy doctoral degree residency requirement. Graduate Research Assistants (GRAs) must be enrolled for 9 hours during the Fall/Spring semesters and 6 hours during the Summer. GRAs must also enroll in one of the MABE 595 seminars or a PHYS 599 seminar each semester in which seminars are offered, unless a waiver is granted by the Associate Executive Director.

REMOVAL OF INCOMPLETE GRADES

All Incomplete Grades (I) must be removed prior to graduation. The instructor, in consultation with the student, decides the terms for the removal of the I, including the time limit for removal. If the I is not removed within one calendar year, the grade will be changed to an F. The course
will not be counted in the cumulative grade point average until a final grade is assigned. No student may graduate with an I on the record. Students planning to graduate Fall Semester 2017 must remove all INCOMPLETE GRADES by December 5, 2017. Contact Charlene Hane, Student Services, to remove an Incomplete Grade.

REPEATING A COURSE

No graduate student may repeat a course for the purpose of raising a grade already received, with the exception of a NC course. A graduate student cannot do additional work nor repeat an examination to raise a final grade.

ADMISSION TO CANDIDACY

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE:

Each M.S. student, including IE Capstone Project students, is responsible for submitting a completed and signed Admission to Candidacy Application at least one semester prior to receiving the degree.

Candidacy committee changes or course changes must be submitted to the committee chairman using a Revision form. If changing from a thesis option to a non-thesis option or vice versa, a new Admission to Candidacy Application must be submitted. All forms must be processed through Student Services.

DOCTORAL DEGREE:

A Doctoral Committee should be formed during the student's first year of doctoral study. Any changes to the doctoral committee (deletions or additions) must be submitted to the Committee Chairman using a Revision form for approval. Each doctoral student is responsible for submitting a completed Admission to Candidacy form signed by the doctoral committee at least one semester prior to receiving the degree. All forms must be processed through Student Services.

CONTINUOUS ENROLLMENT

All degree-seeking graduate students are expected to make a full commitment to their graduate and professional study in order to ensure that they can complete all degree requirements without unnecessary delay. Graduate students are therefore required to maintain an active status through continuous enrollment from the time of first enrollment until graduation.

Continuous enrollment is maintained by registering for a minimum of one graduate credit hour per semester (excluding the summer, unless stipulated otherwise by the program or department). However, students who have started taking dissertation hours (course 600) must maintain a minimum of three credit hours per semester during all semesters, including the summer, as stipulated in the policy on "Registration for Course 600 (Doctoral Research and Dissertation)" in order to comply with the Continuous Enrollment requirement (see under Doctoral Programs for details).

The minimum enrollment for international students may be different, and international students always need to check with the Center for International Education (CIE) in order to determine what minimum enrollment they need to maintain in order to satisfy all enrollment requirements attached to their specific visa.
CONSEQUENCES OF NON-ENROLLMENT WITHOUT LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Graduate students who do not maintain continuous enrollment as stipulated in the "Continuous Enrollment" policy will lose their active student status. A student who has lost his or her active status without having been granted a Leave of Absence for the period of non-enrollment ahead of time will not be allowed to continue in his her graduate program until readmitted. (see policy on "Readmission" in the Graduate Catalog for more details).

Non-enrollment other than during an approved Leave of Absence (LOA) does not alter or affect any of the milestone deadlines, such as admission to candidacy, time to degree, etc.

Upon approval for readmission to complete the interrupted degree program, students will be retroactively enrolled in every semester of missed enrollment for one graduate credit hour of Course 502 or for three graduate credit hours of Course 600 (whichever is appropriate). Students will be responsible for paying the past tuition charges and fees as well as the current university per semester late registration penalty. All past due charges will need to be paid before the Graduate School will approve the student for any future enrollment.

FINAL EXAM FOR NON-THESIS, CAPSTONE PROJECT STUDENTS, THESIS AND DISSERTATION STUDENTS

A candidate presenting a thesis or dissertation must pass a final oral examination on all work offered for the degree. The examination is scheduled through Student Services. Failure to notify Student Services of the examination date will put the student at risk for graduating that semester. Final examinations not properly scheduled MUST be repeated. The final draft of the thesis must be distributed to the committee members at least two weeks prior to the date of the final examination. In case of a grade of "Fail", the candidate may not apply for re-examination until the following semester. The result of the second examination is final.

UT POLICY ON INSURANCE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

All foreign national students registered with the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, are required to have comprehensive medical insurance. The policy for the 2017-2018 academic year is provided by United HealthCare Student Resources. The premium must be paid before registration. Contact the Student Services Office (room C-106 ext. 37267) for further information.

GENERAL SEMINAR

A number of seminars of interest to all UTSI students and general public will be offered throughout the semester.

FINAL EXAM DATES

Study Day – December 6, 2017
Final Exams – December 7, 8, & 11, 2017

FINANCIAL CALENDAR, FEES, REFUNDS, AND TUITION

Please click http://onestop.utk.edu/tuition-fees/ link to the most current information. You may also contact Jennifer Boyles in the Business and Finance Office at jboyles@utsi.edu or phone number 931-393-7297.
The UTSI Budget and Finance Accounts Receivable Office will no longer accept payment for tuition and fees by credit card. All students will need to login to MyUTK One Stop to make secure payments online.

Please see One Stop - Paying Tuition and Fees webpage for more details http://onestop.utk.edu/pay/.

Credit or Debit Cards

There is a 2.75% service fee for these payments. UT has a contract with an outside vendor to provide this service. The vendor retains the fee in full.

HONOR STATEMENT

The following Honor Statement is signed by all students applying to The Graduate School:

"An essential feature of The University of Tennessee, Knoxville is a commitment to maintaining an atmosphere of intellectual integrity and academic honesty. As a student of the University, I pledge that I will neither knowingly give nor receive any inappropriate assistance in academic work, thus affirming my own personal commitment to honor and integrity."

For official information on all UTK Graduate School policies, refer to the current UTK Graduate Catalog available at http://catalog.utk.edu. The student handbook “Hilltopics” is available online at http://hilltopics.utk.edu/index.html

The University of Tennessee Space Institute reserves the right to cancel any class with an insufficient number of students, or for other reasons.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE POLICY ON A DRUG-FREE CAMPUS AND WORKPLACE

In support of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (Public Law 100-690) and the Drug-Free Schools and communities Act of 1989, the University of Tennessee is notifying all students, faculty, and staff of the following university policy approved by the UT Board of Trustees on 21 June 1990.

It is the policy of the University of Tennessee to maintain a safe and healthful environment for its students and employees. Therefore, university policy prohibits the unlawful use, manufacture, possession, distribution, or dispensing of drugs ("controlled substances" as defined in the Controlled Substances Act, 21 U.S.C. 812) and alcohol on university property or during university activities.

Violation of this policy is grounds for disciplinary action--up to and including immediate discharge for an employee and permanent dismissal of a student. Federal and state laws provide additional penalties for such unlawful activities, including fines and imprisonment (21 U.S.C. 841 et seq.; T.C.A. 39-6-401 et seq.). Local ordinances also provide various penalties for drug- and alcohol-related offenses. The university is bound to take all appropriate actions against violators, which may include referral for legal prosecution or requiring the individual to participate satisfactorily in an approved drug use or alcohol abuse assistance or rehabilitation program.
THE UNIVERSITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REVISE
ANY INFORMATION LISTED IN THIS TIMETABLE OF CLASSES

The University of Tennessee Space Institute
Fall 2017 Course Listings

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

AE  500  Master’s Thesis (1-15)
SEC.  001  CRN 42622  Abedi
009  CRN 42638  Brooks
010  CRN 42642  Moeller
011  CRN 42644  Schmisseur
012  CRN 42647  Solies
013  CRN 42648  Vakili
014  CRN 42649  Zhang

Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

AE  502  Registration for Use of Facilities (1-15)
SEC.  002  CRN 42667  Moeller

Required for the student not otherwise registered during any semester when student uses university
facilities and/or faculty time before degree is completed.
Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Restriction: May not be used toward degree requirements.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate

AE  511  Inviscid Flow (3)
SEC.  002  CRN 46062
TEXT: TBD
TIME: Monday & Wednesday 10:10 – 11:25  E-110
PROF: Dr. Ahmad Vakili

Kinematics and dynamics of inviscid fluids; potential flow about body, conformal mapping.
(DE) Prerequisite(s): 541 and Mathematics 425.

AE  515  Air Vehicle Aerodynamics and Performance (3)
SEC.  001  CRN 45152  (Same as AS 503 001 CRN 46835)
TEXT: M. Asselin; An Introduction to Aircraft Performance; AIAA Education Series, Reston, VA
TIME: Tuesday & Friday 1:00 – 2:15  E-111
PROF: Dr. Peter Solies
Application of aerodynamics principles to air vehicles to provide estimates of performance, stability, and control characteristics for subsonic to hypersonic speeds. Relations among thrust, drag, lift and attitude, propulsion systems, vehicle performance characteristics, and trajectory optimization.

AE  517  Finite Elements for Engineering Applications (3)
SEC.  001 CRN  50700  (Same as ME 517 001 CRN 50674)
TEXT: Notes will be provided. Recommended books:
   ISBN: 9780979004902
TIME:  Tuesday & Thursday 10:10 – 11:25   E-110
PROF:  Dr. Reza Abedi

Modern computational theory applied to conservation principles across the engineering sciences. Weak forms, extremization, boundary conditions, discrete implementation via finite element, finite difference, finite volume methods. Asymptotic error estimates, accuracy, convergence, stability. Linear problem applications in 1, 2 and 3 dimensions, extensions to non-linearity, non-smooth data, unsteady, spectral analysis techniques, coupled equation systems. Computer projects in heat transfer, structural mechanics, mechanical vibrations, fluid mechanics, heat/mass transport.

*Cross-listed: (Same as Mechanical Engineering 517)*
*Comment(s): Bachelor’s degree in engineering or natural science required.*

Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.

AE  521  Aerodynamics of Compressible Fluids I (3)
SEC.  001 CRN  45863
TIME:  Monday & Wednesday 8:40 – 9:55   E-110
PROF:  Dr. John Schmisseur

One-dimensional internal and external flow; waves; small perturbation theory; slender body theory; similarity rules; method of characteristics.

AE  536  Continuum Mechanics (3)
SEC.  001 CRN  51929 (Same as ME 536 001 CRN 49773)
TEXT:  Course Notes
TIME:  Tuesday & Thursday  8:40 – 9:55   E-110
PROF:  Dr. Reza Abedi

Cartesian tensors, transformation laws, basic continuum mechanics concepts; stress, strain, deformation, constitutive equations. Conservation laws for mass, momentum, energy. Applications in solid and fluid mechanics.

*Cross-listed: (Same as Mechanical Engineering 536.)*
*Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.*

AE  581  Rocket Propulsion I (3)
SEC.  001 CRN  49770
TIME:  Tuesday & Friday  1:00 – 2:15   E-113
PROF:  Dr. Robert Hiers
Rocket propulsion fundamentals; thermodynamics of nonreacting and chemically reacting ideal gases, rocket nozzle design; ideal rocket performance parameters; rocket heat transfer; chemistry of propellants; liquid rocket engine systems; ground testing; introduction to solid propellant rockets.

Registration Permission: Consent of Instructor.

AE  590  Selected Engineering Problems (2-6)
SEC.  002  CRN  42675  Abedi
        003  CRN  42676  Brooks
        004  CRN  45865  Moeller
        005  CRN  45866  Schmisseur
        006  CRN  45867  Solies
        007  CRN  45868  Vakili
        008  CRN  45869  Zhang

Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 6 hours.
Comment(s): Enrollment limited to students in problems option.
Registration Permission: Consent of advisor.

AE  595  Aerospace Engineering Seminar (1)
SEC.  001  CRN  42679

TEXT: None
TIME: Will be announced through email
PROF: Dr. Trevor Moeller

All phases of aerospace engineering, reports on current research at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, and UTSI.
Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 20 hours.

AE  599  Special Topics in Aerospace Engineering: Computational Fluid Dynamics I (3)
SEC.  001  CRN  42682  (Same as ME 599 001 CRN 43369)
TIME: Monday & Wednesday 11:40 – 12:55 E-110
PROF: Dr. Greg Power

This course uses a commercial CFD code that is widely accepted and used in industries and government labs as a hands-on introduction to computational fluid dynamics. After a brief review of the fundamentals, the course will cover various aspects of the simulation process including geometry modeling, grid generation, solution strategy and post processing primarily through practical examples that bring out the importance of proper understanding of the underlying physics for the problem. Examples will also attempt to cover a wide range of problems that cover different types of flow conditions (incompressible/compressible, laminar/turbulent, steady/unsteady flows, free surface flows, flows with heat transfer and possibly reacting flows).
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 6 hours.

AE  600  Doctoral Research/Dissertation (3-15)
SEC.  004  CRN  42693  Abedi
        005  CRN  42695  Brooks
        006  CRN  42697  Moeller
        007  CRN  42699  Schmisseur
Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

AE  601  Doctoral Research Methodology (3)
SEC.  002  CRN 49204
TIME:  TBD
PROF:  Dr. Kivanc Ekici

Methods of planning and conducting original research and proposal writing.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate / doctoral students.
Registration Permission: Departmental approval.

AVIATION SYSTEMS

AS  500  Master’s Thesis (1-15)
SEC.  001  CRN 45871  Brooks
002  CRN 45872  Solies

Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate

AS  502  Registration for Use of Facilities (1-15)
SEC.  001  CRN 45875  Brooks
002  CRN 45876  Solies

Required for the student not otherwise registered during any semester when student uses university facilities and/or faculty time before degree is completed.
Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Restriction: May not be used toward degree requirements.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate

AS  503  Air Vehicle (Same as AE 515 001 CRN 45152) (3)
SEC.  001  CRN 46835
TIME:  Tuesday & Friday  1:00 – 2:15  E-111
PROF:  Dr. Peter Solies

Focuses on the study of air vehicles as they evolved to enable human flight or unmanned flight missions. In a historical review the development of aviation technology, mission requirements, and economical aspects are emphasized. Fundamentals of aerodynamic principles and their application to air vehicles will
be developed to determine performance in level flight, climb, glide and maneuvering flight, as well as characteristic parameters as range and endurance. The state of the art of present air vehicles is investigated, as well as current problems in aviation and possible solutions. A technology forecast will be offered.

AS  522  Experimental Flight Mechanics: Fixed Wing Stability & Control (3)
SEC.  001  CRN  45880
ISBN 1-56347-564-2
TIME:  Tuesday & Friday  10:30 – 11:45  Airport Classroom
PROF:  Dr. Peter Solies

Fundamental theories, flight test techniques, and data collection and analyses for fixed wing aircraft stability and control. Topics: static and dynamic longitudinal stability, longitudinal maneuvering stability and control, static and dynamic lateral-directional stability, lateral control power, and departure testing. Weekly classroom academics with approximately 4-6 flight labs.

(DE) Prerequisite(s): 516 and 521.

AS  550  Project in Aviation Systems (3)
SEC.  001  CRN  45881  Brooks
SEC.  002  CRN  45882  Solies

Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 15 hours.
Credit Restriction: Maximum of 3 hours may be applied toward degree requirements.
Comment(s): Non-thesis aviation systems majors only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level - graduate.

**BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

BME  500  Master’s Thesis (1-15)
SEC.  012  CRN  46845  Johnson

Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

BME  529  Applications of Linear Algebra in Engineering Systems (3)
SEC.  002  CRN  46935  (Video Recorded)
TEXT:  *Advanced Linear Algebra for Engineers with MATLAB*; Sohail A. Dianat and Eli S. Saber;
TIME:  Tuesday & Friday  9:30 – 10:45  E-111
PROF:  Dr. Monty Smith

Fundamental concepts of linear algebra to problems in engineering systems: steady state and dynamic systems. Geometric and physical interpretations of relevant concepts: least square problems, LU, QR, and SVD decompositions of system matrix, eigenvalue problems, and similarity transformations in solving difference and differential equations; numerical stability aspects of various algorithms; application of linear algebra concepts in control and optimization studies; introduction to linear programming. Computer projects.

Cross-listed: (Same as Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering 529; Civil Engineering 529, Electrical and Computer Engineering 529; Environmental Engineering 529; Industrial Engineering 529; Materials Science and Engineering 529; Mechanical Engineering 529; Nuclear Engineering 529).

Comment(s): Graduate standing or consent of instructor required.

BME 574 Medical Imaging (3)
SEC. 002 CRN 51773
TEXT: TBD
TIME: Tuesday & Thursday 1:10 – 2:25 E-110
PROF: Dr. Jindong Tan

Introduction is provided of the basic principles of image acquisition, formation, and processing, along with clinical applications of different imaging modalities for predicting disease outcome and treatment evaluation. Clinical site visits provide experience with imaging modalities covered in class.

(DE) Prerequisite(s): 503.

BME 595 Biomedical Seminar (1)
SEC. 002 CRN 46522
TEXT: None
TIME: Will be announced through email
PROF: Dr. Jacqueline Johnson

All phases of biomedical engineering, reports on current research at UTK and UTSI.

Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 20 hours.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

BME 600 Doctoral Research/Dissertation (3-15)
SEC. 011 CRN 46523 Johnson

Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

BME 601 Doctoral Research Methodology (3)
SEC. 002 CRN 49205
TEXT: TBD
TIME: TBD
PROF: Dr. Jeffrey Reinbolt

Intensive, individualized experience in reviewing literature, evaluating experimental or theoretical methods, planning a research project, and presenting research project plans orally and in writing.

Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate. PhD students only.
Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.
BME  610  Advanced Topics in BME:  Recent Discoveries in Biomedical Engineering (3)
SEC.  002  CRN  46370
TEXT: N/A
TIME: Monday & Wednesday 1:10 – 2:25 E-110
PROF: Dr. Jackie Johnson

Each week, the class will study and summarize a very recently published biomedical engineering, peer-reviewed article. One student each week will present on the article then the class will discuss the article and how it applies to improving quality of life. Grades will be derived from summaries (5% for 15 summaries = 75%), discussion participation (10%) and presentation (15%).

Current research topics of interest in biomedical engineering.
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 9 hours.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.
Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.

ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT

EM  500  Master’s Thesis (1-15)
SEC.  001  CRN  47874  Simonton
002  CRN  49671  Yu

Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

EM  501  Capstone Project (3-6)
SEC.  001  CRN  43039  Simonton
002  CRN  48653  Yu

Application-oriented project to show competence in major academic area.
Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 6 hours.
Comment(s): Requires enrollment in engineering management.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

EM  502  Registration for Use of Facilities (1-15)
SEC.  001  CRN  43040  Simonton
002  CRN  49676  Yu

Required for the student not otherwise registered during any semester when student uses university facilities and/or faculty time before degree is completed.
Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Restriction: May not be used toward degree requirements.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

EM  532  Productivity and Quality Engineering (3)
SEC.  001  CRN  45208  (Prerecorded)
Improving Performance: How to Manage the White Space on the Organization Chart; 3rd Edition; Geary A. Rummler and Alan P. Brache.

Productivity and quality measures defined and used to analyze current competitive position of important sectors of American industry with respect to national and international competition. Study of management theories and systems which promote or inhibit productivity or quality improvements.

EM 537 Analytical Methods for Engineering Managers (3)
SEC. 001 CRN 45212 UTSI students participating at Tullahoma
SEC. 002 CRN 45213 UTSI students participating elsewhere
SEC. 003 CRN 45214 UTK students participating elsewhere


Survey of management analysis and control systems through industrial engineering techniques. Qualitative and quantitative systems: methods analysis, work measurement, incentive systems, wage and salary development, production and inventory control, facility layout, linear programming, and applied operations research techniques.
Credit Restriction: No credit for student with undergraduate degrees in industrial engineering.

EM 539 Strategic Management in Technical Organizations (3)
SEC. 001 CRN 45216 (Prerecorded)

TEXT: Strategic Management: Concepts & Cases; Frank Rothaermel; 3rd Edition; McGraw-Hill;

Strategic planning process and strategic management in practice; corporate vision and mission; product, market, organizational, and financial strategies; external factors; commercialization of new technologies; and competition and beyond.
Recommended Background: Graduate standing in Engineering or Business.

EM 542 Design of Experiments for Engineering Managers (3)
SEC. 001 CRN 49365 UTSI students participating at Tullahoma
SEC. 002 CRN 49673 UTSI students participating elsewhere
SEC. 003 CRN 49674 UTK students participating elsewhere

TEXT: Design and Analysis of Experiments; Douglas C. Montgomery; 8th Edition; John Wiley & Sons;

Methodology for experiments in product, service, and process improvements. Factorial experiments, screening designs, variance reduction, and other selected topics for engineering managers. Taguchi

(RE) Prerequisite(s): Industrial Engineering 516.

EM  543 Legal and Ethical Aspects of Engineering Management (3)
SEC. 001 CRN  51755 UTSI students participating at Tullahoma
       002 CRN  51762 UTSI students participating elsewhere
       003 CRN  51763 UTK students participating elsewhere
       Wadsworth Publishing, 5th ed (January 9, 2013)
       Optional Text: Legal Aspects of Managing Technology, Lee B. Burgunder, West Legal Studies
       in Business Academic, South-Western College/West; 5 edition (January 20, 2010)
TIME: Monday 4:00 – 6:35 E-113
PROF: Dr. Joe Costa

Legal aspects imposed by government and ethical considerations in engineering practice. Selected
readings, lecture, discussion, and student presentations. Current topics from government and industry.

EM  600 Doctoral Research/Dissertation (3-15)
SEC. 001 CRN  45222 Simonton
       002 CRN  45224 Yu

Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

EM  601 Systems Theory and Engineering (3)
SEC. 001 CRN  51781 UTSI students participating at Tullahoma
       002 CRN  51782 UTSI students participating elsewhere
       003 CRN  51783 UTK students participating elsewhere
TEXT: Systems Engineering and Analysis; Benjamin Blachard and Wolter Fabrycky; 5th Edition;
       ISBN 13: 9780132217354
TIME: Thursday 4:00 – 6:35 E-113
PROF: Dr. James Simonton

Technology course that will examine theoretical foundations of General System Theory applied
to engineering and organizational enterprises addressing issues concerning systems, the effectiveness of
organizations in the context of traditional management related issues, as well as incorporating the critical
impact of systems thinking on the socio-technical environment. Among the topics to be covered in the
course are: the meaning of General Systems Theory (GST); GST and the unity of science; the concept of
Equifinality; the characteristics and modeling of open systems; the concepts of the Learning
Organization; the principle of Leverage; building Learning Organizations; and issues related to Socio-
Technical Systems. Systems Engineering focuses on defining customer needs and required functionality
early in the development cycle, documenting requirements, then proceeding with design synthesis and
system validation while considering the complete problem including operations, performance, test,
manufacturing, cost, and schedule. This subject emphasizes the links of systems engineering to
fundamentals of decision theory, statistics, and optimization.

(RE) Prerequisite(s): 533.
Registration Restrictions(s): Minimum student level – graduate.
Fundamental concepts of linear algebra to problems in engineering systems: steady state and dynamic systems. Geometric and physical interpretations of relevant concepts: least square problems, LU, QR, and SVD decompositions of system matrix, eigenvalue problems, and similarity transformations in solving difference and differential equations; numerical stability aspects of various algorithms; application of linear algebra concepts in control and optimization studies; introduction to linear programming. Computer projects.


Numerical approximation of solutions of partial differential equations including conservation laws and hyperbolic, parabolic, and elliptic problems. Derivation, physical meaning, and implementation of schemes. Recommended Background: A course in partial differential equations or 512 or 515, and familiarity with an operating system and a programming language.

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

ME  500  Master’s Thesis (1-15)
SEC.  021  CRN  43348  Abedi
       022  CRN  43349  Brooks
       023  CRN  43350  Moeller
       024  CRN  43351  Schmisser
       025  CRN  43352  Solies
Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

ME  502  Registration for Use of Facilities (1-15)
SEC.  002  CRN 45888  Moeller

Required for the student not otherwise registered during any semester when student uses university facilities and/or faculty time before degree is completed.
Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Restriction: May not be used toward degree requirements.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

ME  511  Fundamentals of Heat Conduction (3)
SEC.  001  CRN 45434
TIME: Monday & Wednesday     2:40 – 3:55        E-110 (no connection)
PROF: Dr. Feng-Yuan Zhang

Physical and mathematical formulations for Fourier heat conduction problems for lumped systems, transient and steady-state distributed systems. Solutions by separation of variables, generalized integral transforms (Fourier and Laplace) for finite and infinite domains, Green’s function method, and perturbation methods for nonlinear systems.
Recommended Background: Undergraduate heat transfer course.

ME  517  Finite Elements for Engineering Applications (3)
SEC.  001  CRN 50674  (Same as AE 517 001 CRN 50700)
TEXT: Notes will be provided. Recommended books:
ISBN: 9780979004902
TIME: Tuesday & Thursday       10:10 – 11:25       E-110
PROF: Dr. Reza Abedi

Modern computational theory applied to conservation principles across the engineering sciences. Weak forms, extremization, boundary conditions, discrete implementation via finite element, finite difference, finite volume methods. Asymptotic error estimates, accuracy, convergence, stability. Linear problem applications in 1, 2 and 3 dimensions, extensions to non-linearity, non-smooth data, unsteady, spectral analysis techniques, coupled equation systems. Computer projects in heat transfer, structural mechanics, mechanical vibrations, fluid mechanics, heat/mass transport.
Cross-listed: (Same as Aerospace Engineering 517.)
Comment(s): Bachelor’s degree in engineering or natural science required.
Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.
Fundamental concepts of linear algebra to problems in engineering systems: steady state and dynamic systems. Geometric and physical interpretations of relevant concepts: least square problems, LU, QR, and SVD decompositions of system matrix, eigenvalue problems, and similarity transformations in solving difference and differential equations; numerical stability aspects of various algorithms; application of linear algebra concepts in control and optimization studies; introduction to linear programming. Computer projects.


Cross-listed: (Same as Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering 529; Civil Engineering 529, Electrical and Computer Engineering 529; Environmental Engineering 529; Industrial Engineering 529; Materials Science and Engineering 529; Nuclear Engineering 529).

Comment(s): Graduate standing or consent of instructor required.

Cartesian tensors, transformation laws, basic continuum mechanics concepts; stress, strain, deformation, constitutive equations. Conservation laws for mass, momentum, energy. Applications in solid and fluid mechanics.

Cross-listed: (Same as Aerospace Engineering 536.)
Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.

Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 6 hours.
Comment(s): Enrollment limited to students in problems option.
Registration Permission: Consent of advisor.
ME 595 Mechanical Engineering Seminar (1)
SEC. 001 CRN 43367
TEXT: None
TIME: Will be announced through email
PROF: Dr. Trevor Moeller

All phases of mechanical engineering, reports on current research at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, and the University of Tennessee Space Institute.

Grading Restriction: Satisfactory/No Credit grading only.
Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 20 hours.

ME 599 Special Topics in Aerospace Engineering: Computational Fluid Dynamics I (3)
SEC. 001 CRN 43369 (Same as AE 599 001 CRN 42682)
TIME: Monday & Wednesday 11:40 – 12:55 E-110
PROF: Dr. Greg Power

This course uses a commercial CFD code that is widely accepted and used in industries and government labs as a hands-on introduction to computational fluid dynamics. After a brief review of the fundamentals, the course will cover various aspects of the simulation process including geometry modeling, grid generation, solution strategy and post processing primarily through practical examples that bring out the importance of proper understanding of the underlying physics for the problem. Examples will also attempt to cover a wide range of problems that cover different types of flow conditions (incompressible/compressible, laminar/turbulent, steady/unsteady flows, free surface flows, flows with heat transfer and possibly reacting flows).

Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 6 hours.
Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.

ME 599 Special Topics in ME: Gas Turbine Engine Modeling and Simulation Techniques (3)
SEC. 003 CRN 48003
TIME: Tuesday & Thursday 4:00 – 5:15 E-111
PROF: Dr. Milt Davis

This course will concentrate on numerical simulation of gas turbine engines and their components. The student will be exposed to gas turbine simulation technology for engine performance – how a cycle code is constructed, what assumptions are inherent in cycle codes, and how cycle codes are typically used in design, testing and evaluation and by the end user. A majority of the course will deal with engine cycle codes such as PERF, PARA, GASTURB and GECAT will be studied and utilized. Students will be exposed to compression system codes for both performance and operability issues. Students will be expected to become proficient in the use of cycle codes and the interpretation of the results.

Repeatability: May be repeated. Maximum 6 hours.
Registration Permission: Consent of instructor.

ME 600 Doctoral Research/Dissertation (3-15)
SEC. 015 CRN 43386 Abedi
016 CRN 43387 Brooks
018 CRN 43389 Moeller
019 CRN 43390 Schmisseur
ME  601 Doctoral Research Methodology (3)
SEC.  002 CRN 49772
TEXT: TBD
TIME: TBD
PROF: Dr. Kivanc Ekici

Methods of planning and conducting original research and proposal writing.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – doctoral student.
Registration Permission: Departmental approval.

ME  613 Advanced Radiation Heat Transfer (3)
SEC.  001 CRN 47703
TIME: Monday & Thursday  1:00 – 2:15  E-113
PROF: Dr. Trevor Moeller

Radiation heat transfer in absorbing, emitting and scattering media; interaction of thermal radiation with conduction and convection heat transfer.
(DE) Prerequisite(s): 511 and 512.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

PHYSICS

Phys  500 Master’s Thesis (1-15)
SEC.  002 CRN 41887  Davis
003 CRN 41966  Parigger

Grading Restriction: P/NP only.
Repeatability: May be repeated.
Credit Level Restriction: Graduate credit only.
Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.

Phys  599 Seminars (1)
SEC.  009 CRN 48699
TEXT: Classic Texts and Literature
TIME: 2nd, 4th Thursday /each month  3:00 - 4:30  H-111
PROF: Dr. Christian Parigger
(a) Mechanics; (b) Radiation; (c) Heat and Thermodynamics; (d) Electricity and Magnetism; (e) Modern Physics.

*Repeatability: May be repeated with consent of department. Maximum 18 hours.*

**Phys 600** Doctoral Research/Dissertation (3-15)

SEC. 002 CRN 42013 Davis
SEC. 003 CRN 42014 Parigger

*Grading Restriction: P/NP only. Repeatability: May be repeated.*

*Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.*

**Phys 601** Atomic Physics (3)

SEC. 002 CRN 49611


*TIME: Thursday 1:00 – 3:30 E-111

*PROF: Dr. Christian Parigger*

Survey of research problems and methods. Topics of current interest.

*Comment(s): Intended for all graduate students.*

*Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.*

**Phys 606** Nonlinear Optics (3)

SEC. 001 CRN 51876


*TIME: TBD

*PROF: Dr. Lloyd Davis*

Nonlinear optical susceptibilities, wave propagation in nonlinear media, sum-frequency and difference frequency generation, harmonic generation, parametric amplification and oscillation, stimulated Raman processes, two- and multi-photon processes, four-wave mixing and phase conjugation, transient coherent optical effects and free induction decay, optical breakdown and nonlinear effects in plasmas.

(DE) **Prerequisite(s):** 522.

*Registration Restriction(s): Minimum student level – graduate.*