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CE 631 Hydrometry

College: Engineering
Department: Civil
First: Course Definition
1- Course Code: CE 631
2- Units: 3
3- Semester:
4- Prerequisite:
5- Co-requisite:
6- Location (if not on main Campus):

Second: Course Objectives

- 1- To develop understanding of *performing measurements related to water engineering* and meteorology.
- 2- To develop understanding of the basic principles and concepts of data acquisition analysis and interpretation.
- 3-To ensure that students know how to perform measurements related to water quality.

Third: Course Specifications

1- Topics to be covered				
Subject	No of Weeks	Units		
Measurement of velocity, discharge, pressure, shear,	3	9		
turbulence in open and closed conduits.				
Measurement of precipitation, infiltration, and hydro-	3	9		
meteorological variables.				
Measurement of water levels, stage discharge	2	6		
relationships.				

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Collection and analyses of sediment data. 3		6
Measurement of water quality variables.	2	6
Data acquisition, analysis and interpretation.	2	6

2- Course components (Total hrs in the Semester): 42

Lecture	Lab	Other
42	-	0

3- Intended Learning Outcomes of the Course (ILO's)

a. Knowledge

i) Description of the knowledge to be acquired:

- Velocity, discharge, pressure and shear measurement's methods in open and closed conduits.
- Precipitation and infiltration relationship.
- Hydro-meteorological data collection and analysis.
- Measurement of water levels, stage discharge relationships.
- Collection and analyses of sediment data.
- Measurement of water quality variables
- Data acquisition, analysis and interpretation.

ii) Teaching strategies to be used to develop that knowledge

- Class lectures.
- Term projects.
- Students' presentations.
- Group discussion.

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iii) Methods of assessment of knowledge acquired

- Exams.
- Quizzes.
- Homework assignments.
- Term projects.

b- Cognitive (Intellectual) Skills

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i) Cognitive skills to be developed

- Data acquisition, analysis.
- Hydro-meteorological data modeling.
- Investigation of water levels, stage discharge relationships.

ii) Teaching strategies to be used to develop these cognitive skills

- Class lectures.
- Case studies analysis.
- Term projects.

iii) Methods of assessment of students' cognitive skills

- Students' seminars and presentations.
- Term projects.
- Written reports.

c. Interpersonal Skills and Responsibility

i) Description of the interpersonal skills and capacity to carry responsibility to be developed

- Decision making based on engineering analysis.
- Communication skills.
- Team work.

ii) Teaching strategies to be used to develop these skills

- Class lectures.
- Term projects.
- Case studies analysis.

iii) Methods of assessment of students' interpersonal skills and capacity to carry responsibility

- Term project.
- Written reports.
- Students' seminars and presentations.

d. Communication, Information Technology and Numerical Skills

i) Description of the skills to be developed in this domain

- Literature research.
- Problems modeling.
- Field data collection.
- Utilization of computer applications in analysis and design.

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ii) Teaching strategies to be used to develop these skills

- Class lectures.
- Case studies analysis.
- Computer lab sessions.
- Term projects.
- Filed trip.

iii) Methods of assessment of students numerical and communication skills

- Term projects.
- Written reports.
- Students' seminars and presentations.

e. Psychomotor (if applicable) & Other Non-cognitive Skills

i) Description of the psychomotor or other skills to be developed and the level of performance required

NA

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ii) Teaching strategies to be used to develop these skills-

- NA

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iii) Methods of assessment of student's psychomotor skills

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4- Student Assessment Schedule

Serial	Assessment tool (test, group project, examination etc.)	Week due	Weight
1	Report – 1	3 rd	10 %
2	Mid Term Exam -1	7 th	20 %
3	Reports 2,3	10 th	10 %
4	Reports 4,5	12 th	10 %
4	Term Project	13 th	10 %
5	Final Exam	16 th	40 %

5- Student Support

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- Providing electronic library of textbooks and scientific periodicals.
- Providing the necessary computer applications for the course.

6- Learning Resources

i) Essential Books (References)

- Strangeways , I. "Precipitation: Theory, Measurement and Distribution," Cambridge University Press; Reissue edition, 2011.
- Herschy R. W. "Hydrometry: Principles and Practice," 2e/, Wiley. USA, 1998.
- Boiten W. "Hydrometr: IHE Delft Lecture Note Series," CRC Press, Taylor & Francis; 3th edition, 2000.

ii) Course Notes

- NA

iii) Recommended Books

- - Quevauviller, P.P and Thompson, C. "Analytical Methods for Drinking Water: Advances in Sampling and Analysis (Water Quality Measurements)," Wiley; 1st edition, 2005

iv) Electronic Books & Web Sites:

- Scientific journals and forums.
- Instructor's instruction.

v) Periodicals

- ASCE scientific journals.
- Journal of hydrometeorology.
- Journal of Geography and Regional Planning

7- Course Evaluation and Improvement Processes

i) Strategies for Obtaining Student Feedback on Effectiveness of Teaching

- Students' questioners.
- Students' evaluation of course and instructor.

ii) Other Strategies for Evaluation of Teaching by the Instructor or by the Department

- Public faculty seminars.
- Assessment by external evaluators of students achievements.
- Instructor (Course) Report

iii) Processes for Improvement of Teaching

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- Assessment of students' work by external examiners.
- Analysis of students' evaluation of course and instructor.
- Seminars by industry professionals.

iv) Processes for verifying standards of student achievement

- Check marking by an independent faculty member of a sample of student work.
- Periodic exchange and remarking of a sample of assignments/exams with a external evaluator.

v) Describe the planning arrangements for periodically reviewing course effectiveness and planning for improvement.

- Assessment and evaluation of the level of achieving the course outcomes through a continuous improvement process (part of a quality assurance system established by the university),
- Consequently, actions are to be taken to improve the course delivery when necessary.
- Review of the course objectives, outcomes and curriculum every 2 years.