ECE 434/634 Optoelectronics and Photonics

15:30 - 16:45 Tuesday, Thursday

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Office Hours – by appointment

Exam Time – TBD

Required Materials –

- > Text book: Optoelectronics and Photonics by S. O. Kasap, Second Edition
- Access to Laptop or Desktop Computer
- > Lecture notes
- **Optional: Fundamentals of Photonics,** second Ed., Saleh and Teich, Wiley, 2007 **Quantum Electronics, third Ed.**, by A. Yariv, Wiley, 1989 **Photonics,** sixth Ed., Yariv and Yeh, Oxford, 2007

Grading Policy – Your final grade for this course will be determined by the following: Undergrad Student

Presentation		≈ 30 %
Home Work		≈ 40 %
Mid-term Examination		≈ 30 %
A = 90 - 100, B = 80 - 89, C = 70 - 79,	D = 60 - 69,	F = 0 - 59

Graduate Student

Presentation	≈ 30 %
Home Work	≈ 40 %
Mid-term Examination	≈ 30 %

A = 90 - 100, B = 80 - 89, C = 70 - 79, F = 0 - 69

The final presentation for the graduate student requires a few research journal papers as references.

At the completion of the course, students should be able to understand basic concepts related to optoelectronics and photonics.

Prerequisites – Electromagnetics/ Physics Co Requisites – None

Topics Covered

Electromagnetic Fields and Waves (3 weeks); Guided waves in Dielectric Waveguides (3 weeks); Semiconductor physics for optoelectronic applications (3 weeks); LEDs, Laser Oscillation and Some Specific Laser Systems (4 weeks); Detection of Optical Radiation (2 weeks);

Academic Integrity and Manners – University regulations

Attendance Policy – Attendance is mandatory. You will be responsible for all material covered in class and assigned in the textbook. If I do not arrive within 15 minutes of the scheduled start of class, you may leave after checking my office. *Punctuality is expected* and may be tested for.

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