METC 106 - Introduction to Engineering Technology



Course Title:	Introduction to Engineering Technology
Course Number:	METC 106
Section Number:	01C
Term:	Spring 2012
Location:	Fort Wayne North Campus, Technology Center, Room TC1480
Prerequisites:	None - but you should have a working knowledge of Microsoft Excel, Word and Power Point.
School:	Applied Science and Engineering Technology
Program:	Mechanical Engineering Technology
Credit Hours:	3
Contact Hours:	4 (Lecture/Lab/Project)
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Required Text:	Introduction to Engineering Technology 2000 7th od by Bond and Bankinon
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Required	Graphing Calculator (TI-89 or equivalent), USB Flash Drive (min 2 GB) to save your work. 4 GB cost \$10 - \$15. Recommended brands; SanDisk, PNY, Kingston, or Memorex (not Lexar)
Equipment:	You are responsible for maintaining your data. I strongly recommend that you backup your flash drive to your computer's hard drive.
Catalog Description:	Provides a study of the different disciplines of engineering technology and the manufacturing supply chain. Topics include: survey of engineering technology careers, problem solving, and introduction to mathematical and statistical concepts related to engineering technology. Problems and case studies that present process control, data presentation, report writing, engineering calculations, use of computers for data analysis and presentation are presented. This course is part of the Engineering Technology program. The course transfers to Purdue Statewide College of Technology sites that offer Engineering Technology BS programs.
	Topical areas of study will include:
Course Content:	Engineering technology careers Engineering problem solving methodology Engineering mathematical and statistical concepts Computer applications and usage Manufacturing supply chain Data analysis and presentation Spreadsheets



Major Course Learning Objectives:	Upon successful completion of this course the student will be expected to:
1.	Prepare a laboratory report using proper format and data presentation techniques.
2.	Introduce the infrastructure of computer networks.
3.	Define the various career pathways in engineering technology.
4.	Convert units between measurement systems and within measurement systems.
5.	Perform dimensional analysis on complex engineering equations.
6.	Demonstrate understanding and application of basic organizational and management concepts.
7.	Utilize mathematical formulas to design, implement, and troubleshoot manufacturing systems.
8.	Utilize computer graphics software to analyze and explain engineering problems.
9.	Understand the systematic approach to problem solving.
10.	Utilize spreadsheets for engineering calculations, data analysis, and data presentation.
11.	Understand how to set up a laboratory experiment, gather and analyze data, and present the results in a proper format.
12.	Form teams and work in collaboration to solve engineering technology problems.

Semester Outline:

Lecture 1, Assignment = Read Chapter 1
No Class, Assignment = Read Chapter 2
Lecture 2, Assignment = Read Chapter 3
Lecture 3, Assignment = Read Chapter 4
Lecture 4, Assignment = Read Chapter 5
Lecture 5, Assignment = TBD
Review, Assignment = Prepare for Mid-Term
Mid Term, Assignment = Read Chapter 6
No Class, Assignment = Read Chapter 7
Lecture 6, Assignment = Read Chapter 8
Lecture 7, Assignment = Read Chapter 9
Lecture 8, Assignment = Read Chapter 10
Lecture 9, Assignment = TBD
Lecture 10, Assignment = TBD
Lecture 11, Assignment = TBD
Review, Assignment = Prepare for Final
Final
An agenda will be given for each week. The agenda will provide reading and homework

assignments.

Agendas:



	The format of the class includes: Lectures, Labs and Team Projects.
	Lectures will be derived from the Text Book and additional information that the instructor may feels is pertinent. The weekly PowerPoint slides will be posted on Blackboard.
Class Format:	Labs will be conducted at Ivy Tech either in the class room or an appropriate lab. Each student will create and maintain a "Lab Book". The Lab Book will capture all of the lab results, calculations, and observations for all of the labs completed during the semester. Lab Books will be turned-in prior to the end of the class.
	Team Projects will require some contact with other team members during the class and between classes. Each Team will be responsible to present to the class Team Presentations as defined by the instructor.
Class Participation:	You are expected to participate in every class by: (1) listening carefully, (2) taking notes and tests, (3) answering questions asked by the instructor, (4) asking the instructor questions that may arise during class, (5) respecting the instructor and fellow students by refraining from unnecessary talking and discussions during the lecture/demonstration portion of class, and (6) actively work with your team.
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	Mid Term Exam: Chapters 1-5
	Final Exam: Chapters 1-10 with more emphasis on the last 5 chapters

Make-Up Policy:	A missed test or other other graded material may be made-up only at the discretion of the instructor. If you miss a class you will need to contact the instructor via email or phone. There is no make-up for quizzes, labs, homework or exams without the instructor's approval. You are responsible to provide all group project team information to your team prior to any presentation.
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Lab:		The lab is owned by the college. You are guests in this lab. As such I expect that you will conduct yourself accordingly. Drinks with a sealed cap are allowed (i.e. water or soda bottles). Drinks with an open top are not allowed (i.e. coffee cups or soda cans). Non-messy food items are allowed. If you have a spill or make a mess you are expected to clean it up. You must log-on using your campus connect username and password. Please notify the instructor of any problems.
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Grading Policy:	Discussions: 5%
	Quizzes: 15%
	Paper/Presentation: 15%
	Labs: 20%
	Mid-Term Exam: 20%
	Final Exam: 25%

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Grading Scale:	A: 90.0 - 100%
	B: 80.0 - 89.9%
	C: 70.0 - 79.9%
	D: 60.0 - 69.9%
	F: less than 60.0%
	I: An Incomplete course grade is only given for medical reasons with a doctor's note.

Attendance Policy:	You are expected to attend every class. Attendance is taken and recorded. Registered students are expected to arrive on time and prepared for scheduled activities. Please note that after missing (4) classes you will receive a grade of "F" for the class. NOTE: Failure to attend is not an official class withdrawal. Students wanting to withdraw must complete and sign an official Drop/Add form and return it to the registrar within approved time limits, otherwise a Grade of "F" for the class will be entered on the student's grade record.
Last Date to Drop Without a Grade:	Sunday, Apr 8, 2012
	If you are not able to withdraw using campus connect then you must go to the Registrars' office to withdraw.

Feel free to ask questions during and after each class.Please see me during my office hours if you find yourself struggling with this course.The College is committed to academic integrity in all its practices. The faculty value intellectual integrity and a high standard of academic conduct. Activities that violate academic integrity undermine the quality and diminish the value of educational achievement.Academic Honesty Statement:Cheating on papers, tests or other academic works is a violation of College rules. No student shall engage in behavior that, in the judgment of the instructor of the class, may be construed as cheating. This may include, but is not limited to, plagiarism or other forms of academic dishonesty such as the acquisition without permission of tests or other academic materials and/or distribution of these materials and other academic work. This includes students who aid and abet as well as those	Comments:	You must keep up with the pace of the class. It is very difficult to catch up, if you allow yourself to fall behind.
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Copyright	Students shall adhere to the laws governing the use of copyrighted materials. They must insure that their activities comply with fair use and in no way infringe on the copyright or other proprietary rights
Statement:	of others and that the materials used and developed at Ivy Tech Community College contain nothing unlawful, unethical, or libelous and do not constitute any violation of any right of privacy.

ADA Statement:	Ivy Tech Community College seeks to provide reasonable accommodations for qualified individuals with documented disabilities. If you need an accommodation because of a documented disability, please contact the Office of Disability Support Services.
	If you will require assistance during an emergency evacuation, notify your instructor immediately. Look for evacuation procedures posted in your classroom.

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Disability Support Services:	DSS Assistant, Harshman Hall Room 1532, phone 480-2067 Todd Nichols, Harshman Hall Room 1655, phone 481-2210 Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM and Friday 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Ivy Tech Growing Greener:	Ivy Tech Community College–Northeast is committed to the development and implementation of a comprehensive sustainability plan. We're emphasizing our responsibility to go green. To that end, we are asking students, faculty, and staff to actively participate in energy conservation measures and proper recycling on campus. The recycling bins located in classrooms and offices are for paper and paper products only. Ivy Tech participates in single-stream recycling for other items. All aluminum, glass, and plastic beverage containers can co-mingle in the same recycling bins located in the hallways. Please remember to empty the liquid from your containers before depositing them in the bins. Any materials that cannot be recycled should be placed in garbage cans. It is also important to turn off lights and computers when leaving a room. Together, we can make an impact on conserving our limited resources. Remember to reduce, reuse, and recycle!
ATMAE - Requirements:	Students wishing to graduate from a School of Applied Science and Engineering or the School of Technology, from Ivy Tech Community College Northeast must complete at least 12 semester hours of Management and/or Technical training. This requirement is concurrent with the college requirement that each student must complete 15 semester hours at this institution Students transferring to Ivy Tech Community College Northeast and entering into the School of Applied Science and Engineering or the School of Technology must also meet the 12 semester hours of Management and/or Technical training. Credits considered for transfer may be from another Ivy Tech ATMAE accredited campus or obtained from an ATMAE accredited institution.

How to Access	
the Ivy Tech	The Ivy Tech Virtual Library is available to students' on- and off-campus, offering full text journals
Community	and books and other resources essential for course assignments. Go to
College Virtual	http://www.ivytech.edu/student-services/library.html and choose the link for your campus.
Library:	

	This is a tentative course syllabus. The Instructor reserves the right to make changes to the syllabus at any time. You are responsible to know and comply with all of the information contained
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	in this syllabus and, if necessary, any revisions announced or handed out in class.