

# ECGR3142 Electromagnetic Devices

## Course Description

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Principles of operation and basic design features of electromechanical energy converters. Topics Include: The role of the magnetic field in transformers and electrical machines; Generation of induced voltages; Electromechanical torque development; Speed control; Circuit models and machine performance.

## Course Objective

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The purpose of this course is to prepare students for the analysis, operation, and control of electromechanical devices.

## Course Lecturer

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## Course Prerequisite

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ECGR 3121 (Introduction to Electromagnetic Fields) with a grade of C or better

## Course Textbook

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Slemon G. R., *Electric Machines and Drives*, Addison-Wesley Publishing Company, Inc. 1992

## Reference Textbooks

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Guru B. S., Hiziroğlu H. R. *Electric Machinery and Transformers*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, Oxford University Press, 2000

Chapman S. J., *Electric Machinery Fundamentals*, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, McGraw-Hill, 1998

Fitzgerald A. E., Kingsley C., Umans S. D., *Electric Machinery*, 5<sup>th</sup> Edition, McGraw-Hill, 1992

Sarma M. S. *Electric Machines: Steady-State Theory and Dynamic Performance*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, CL Engineering, 1994

## Class Topics

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- **Magnetic systems**: equivalent magnetic and field circuits, alternating excitation, energy in magnetic fields, hysteresis, eddy currents, core losses.
- **Transformers**: ideal transformers, equivalent circuit of a transformer, ratings, per unit system, measurements of transformer parameters, transformer parameters.
- **Basic principles of electric machines**: forces on electric circuits, elementary rotating machines, ferromagnetic actuator, reluctance machines.
- **Commutator machines**: magnetic systems, rotor windings and commutator, torque and generated voltage, equivalent circuit, steady-state performance, motor operation, generator operation.
- **Induction machines**: sinusoidally distributed windings, rotating magnetic field, torque production, squirrel cage rotor, equivalent, machines with multiple poles, single phase motors
- **Synchronous machines**: cylindrical machines, steady state equivalent circuit, operation, starting and excitation of synchronous machines, permanent magnet synchronous machines.

## Grading

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The final grade will be determined as follows:

Homework's	25%
Project	10%
Test 1, Test 2	35%
Final Exam	30%

Late homework can receive a maximum of 75%. No homework accepted after solutions have been released.