

Hardware Fellowship Syllabus:

Project 1: Basic Remote Controlled Car

4 Lectures

- Simple electronic components
 - Resistors
 - Push button
 - Dip switches
 - Diodes
- Encoder & Decoder
 - Introduction
 - Functions
 - Truth Table
 - HT12E & HT12D ICs
- Wireless Communication
 - Introduction with block diagram
 - Amplitude shift keying (Basic Ideas Only)
 - Introduction
 - Generation of ASK signal
 - Introduction
 - Op Amp as multiplier (product modulator)
 - Detection of ASK signal
 - Introduction
 - Band-pass Filter
 - Rectifier
 - Low-pass Filter
 - RF 433MHz module
- Diode based control logic
 - Working principle
 - Truth table
 - Circuit Diagram
- Power Supply
 - Battery
 - Voltage Regulator
- Relay H-bridge
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 - Relay switching
- Motors
 - DC motors
 - Brushless DC motors
 - Stepper motors and servo-motors

- PCB design
 - Schematic Design
 - Footprints & component placement
 - Tracks & pads design
 - Printing

Project 2: Remote Controlled Car With Microcontroller

3 Lectures

- Components
 - Crystal oscillator
 - Capacitor
 - Potentiometer
 - Joystick Module
 - Transistor
 - BJT
 - MOSFET
 - IGBT
- Atmega 328p
 - Pinouts
 - Internal and external clock signals
 - Circuit Layout
 - Pin comparison with Arduino Uno
 - Programming using Arduino IDE
- Wireless communication using NRF24L01+ module (SPI communication)
 - NR24L01+ module
 - SPI communication with Atmega 328p
- H-bridge
 - BJT as a switch
 - H-bridge using BJTs
 - Replacing BJTs with power MOSFETs

Extra Projects:

3 Lectures

- Autonomous line following robot
 - IR sensor
 - Interfacing with Atmega 328p
 - Line detection and following
- Self balancing stick with manual tuned PID controller
 - MPU 6050
 - Open and closed loop control systems (introduction only)
 - Tuning PID manually
- Self balancing stick with reinforcement learning (introduction only)