

ME 423 B&X3 – Syllabus

Stevens Institute of Technology

Course Title: Engineering Design VII, ME 423

Time & Location: Tues & Thurs, 2:30pm – 4:20pm (K228 & Zoom)

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Grading Percentages: Phase 1: Report (15%) and Presentation (15%) – 30%

Phase 2: Progress Presentation – 15 %

Phase 3: Report (15%) and Presentation (15%) – 30%

Project Website – 5%

Alpha prototype demo – 5%

Individual contribution to project (CATME peer survey) – 15%

Peer evaluation of other projects – +5% (Extra credit)

Website: Canvas (All course content)

Schedule (Subject to change – lookout for course announcements on Canvas):

Tuesdays will primarily be used for lectures, workshops, and invited speakers

Thursdays will primarily be used for team/advisor meetings and milestone presentations

Tuesday	Topic	Thursday	Topic
		Sep 1 (Friday)	Project Sign-ups open on Canvas
Sep 5	Course Introduction & Section Migration	Sep 7	Interdisciplinary Projects Sign-ups
Sep 12	Phase 1 Overview Lecture	Sep 14	Advisor/Team Meeting
Sep 19	Library Info Session (Courtney Walsh) ¹	Sep 15 (Friday)	Add/Drop Deadline
Sep 26	Office hours / Workshop/ Invited Speaker*	Sep 21	Advisor/Team Meeting
Oct 3	Phase 1 Reports Due	Sep 28	Advisor/Team Meeting
	Phase 2 Overview Lecture	Oct 5	Phase 1 Presentations
Oct 10	No Class (Monday class schedule)	Oct 12	Advisor/Team Meeting
Oct 17	Office hours / Workshop/ Invited Speaker*	Oct 19	Advisor/Team Meeting
Oct 24	Purchasing, Vendors, and Prototyping	Oct 26	Advisor/Team Meeting
Oct 31	Machine Shop, EH&S, and RP ³	Nov 2	Advisor/Team Meeting
Nov 7	Initial Project Websites Due	Nov 9	Phase 2 Presentations
Nov 14	Phase 3 Overview Lecture	Nov 16	Advisor/Team Meeting
Nov 21	Office hours / Workshop/ Invited Speaker*	Nov 23	Thanksgiving Recess
Nov 28	Office hours / Workshop/ Invited Speaker*	Dec 30	Advisor/Team Meeting
Dec 5	Office hours / Workshop/ Invited Speaker*	Dec 7	Advisor/Team Meeting
Dec 12	Phase 3 Reports Due	Dec 14	Phase 3 Presentations

1) Information Literacy Workshop (review of library resources) – Courtney Walsh (Stevens Library)

2) Product Development Lifecycle Webinar – Mark Biamonte (Director of Engineering at Collins Aerospace)

3) Machine shop safety, Environmental Health & Safety, Rapid Prototyping Lecture

*Additional workshops and invited speakers may be scheduled throughout the semester. Dates will be announced on Canvas.