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ENGINEERING

ENGR 1110

Course Overview – Dr. Hendrix

Why are you here?



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Engineering

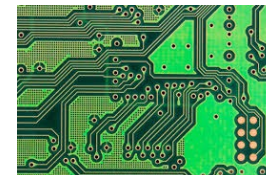


Engineering? A few definitions ...

the science or profession of developing and using nature's power and resources in ways that are useful to people (as in designing and building roads, bridges, dams, or machines and in creating new products)

the application of science and mathematics by which the properties of matter and the sources of energy in nature are made useful to people

the design and manufacture of complex products
<software engineering>



Software Engineering

A young field with exponential progress...

1951

Computing missile trajectories, sorting data



2011

Beating humans at Jeopardy



2022

ChatGPT



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- Communicate technical information in written and oral format.
- Use spreadsheets to perform calculations, analyze data, and present results in graphs and tables.
- Work effectively on a team to execute design projects.
- Understand that effective engineering design includes consideration of ethical, global, cultural, economic, social, and environmental factors.
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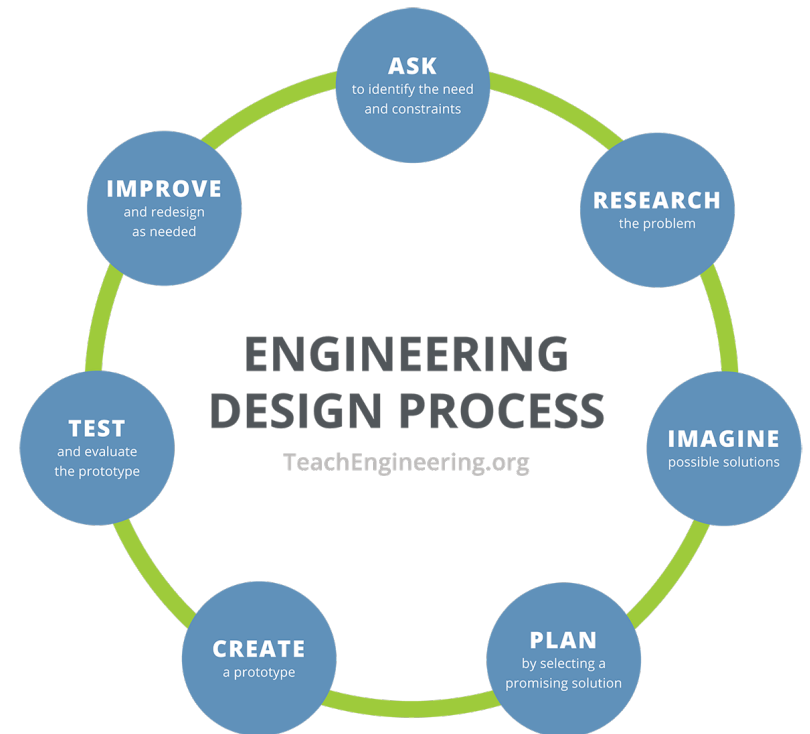
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Engineering Design

“The **engineering design process** is a common series of steps that engineers use in creating functional products and processes. The process is **highly iterative** - parts of the process often need to be repeated many times before another can be entered - though the part(s) that get iterated and the number of such cycles in any given project may vary.”

“It is a **decision-making process** (often iterative) in which the basic sciences, mathematics, and engineering sciences are applied to convert resources optimally to meet a stated objective. Among the fundamental elements of the design process are the establishment of objectives and criteria, synthesis, analysis, construction, testing and evaluation.”

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Engineering_design_process



<https://www.teachengineering.org/populartopics/designprocess>

Culture

Cultural intelligence

Cultural intelligence or cultural quotient (CQ) is the ability to relate and work effectively across cultures, bearing similarity to the term cultural agility. The term has been used in business, education, government, and academic research contexts.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cultural_competence

Cultural agility

Cultural agility is a term employed in talent management to design a complex competency based on skills whose command allows an individual or an organization to perform successfully in cross-cultural situations. The concept appears to overlap with others such as cross-cultural competence and cultural intelligence.

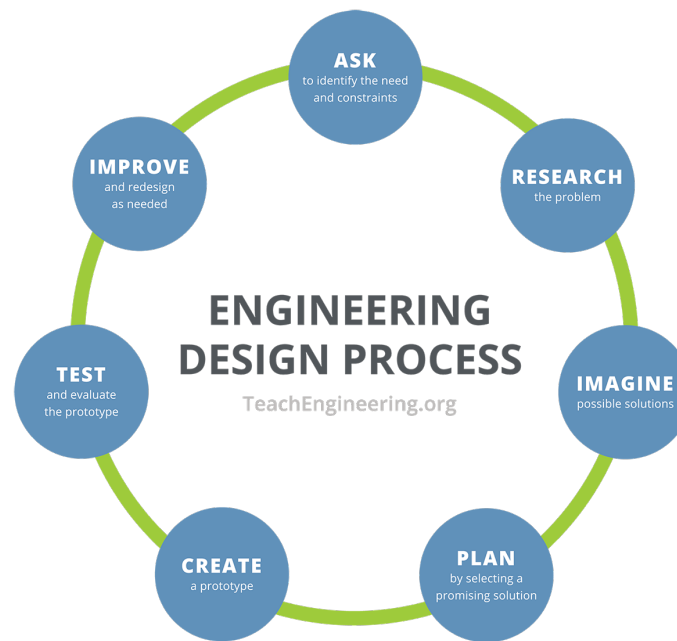
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Cultural competence

Cultural competence, also known as intercultural competence, is a range of cognitive, affective, and behavioral, skills that lead to effective and appropriate communication with people of other cultures. Intercultural or cross-cultural education are terms used for the training to achieve cultural competence.

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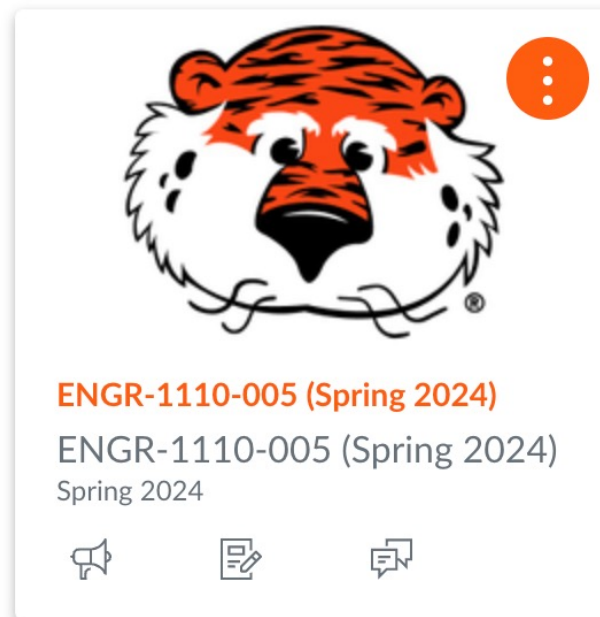
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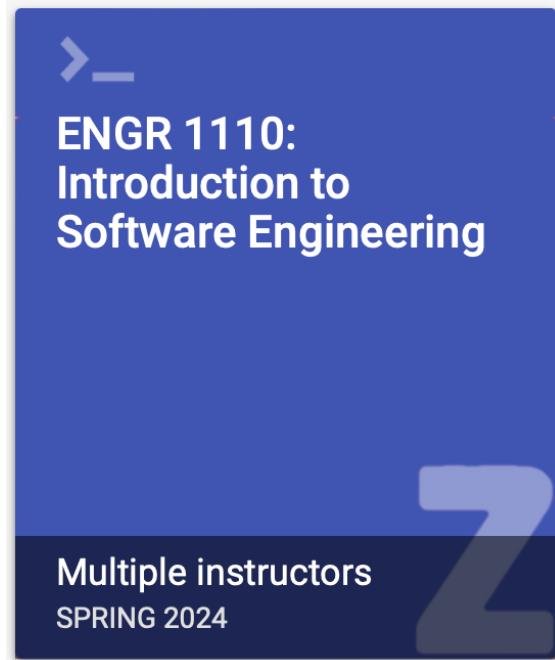
Class materials

All course materials and assignments will be available in Canvas.



Course texts

Payment via AU All Access; Interaction via Canvas



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2. Subscribe.