Analysis of the Structure of Materials
EMA3513C

Class Periods: MWF Period 3 9:35-10:25
Location: CSEE221
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1. Catalog Description:

Fundamentals of crystallography, x-ray and electron diffraction, scanning and transmission electron microscopy, surface analysis and microprobe techniques. Laboratory. (Credits: 4)

2. Prerequisites:

EMA3010

3. Course Objectives:

EMA 3513 is the Materials Science and Engineering department's introduction to the characterization of materials. As such, the objectives of this course are:

1. to familiarize the student with the basic understanding of photon/matter interactions, specifically x-ray generation and interaction with solids
2. to introduce the students to methods of analytical analysis of materials
3. to introduce the student to basic crystallography including stereographic projections and to then introduce various methods of characterizing the structure of solids
4. to allow the students the opportunity to design and perform the open ended analysis of the composition and structure of the components in a complex engineering system (e.g. a computer) and subsequently present their findings orally in class

The goal of this class is to provide the students with the basic understanding and practical knowledge necessary to characterize an unknown material both chemically and microstructurally.

This 4 credit course will address the professional component of ABET by providing 4 credits on Engineering Topics

This year in the lab we will be characterizing the composition and structure of the components of a variety of devices.

This course addresses the following MSE Program outcomes:

1. an ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics (M)
2. an ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences (M)
3. an ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts (M)
4. an ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives (L)
5. an ability to develop and conduct appropriate experimentation, analyze and interpret data, and use engineering judgment to draw conclusions (M)
6. an ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies. (L)

4. Instructor: Kevin Jones

160 Rhines Hall
5. Laboratory Teaching Assistant

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Office hours by appointment

6. Laboratory Schedule:
Lab starts the Week of January 16th

7. Material and Supply Fees:
$35/student

8. Textbooks and Software Recommended:
Materials Characterization
Yang Leng
Any edition
ISBN: 9780470822982
Recommended Reading:
Elements of X-Ray Diffraction
B.D. Cullity
Any edition
9. Course Outline:

Week 1 - Chapter 1 section 1.1/handout on x-rays
Week 2 - X-Ray Formation and absorption
Week 3 - Chapter 5 SEM and FIB
Week 4 - Chapter 6 EDS/EELS
Week 5 - Chapter 8 XPS/AES
Week 6 - Chapter 8 AES/SIMS
Exam 1  Feb 23 in class
Symposium - Reverse Engineering Symposium Feb 26 evening 5-7PM
Week 8 - Handout FTIR
Week 9- Chapter 1 section 1.2 Crystallography
Week 10- Stereographic Projections
Week 11 - Chapter 2 X-Ray Diffraction
Week 12 - Structure Factor
Week 13 - Diffraction Methods
Week 14 - Transmission Electron Microscopy
Exam 2  April 22
Symposium- Reverse Engineering Symposium April 24 evening 5-7PM

10. Attendance and Expectations:

There are no penalties for class absences, however I do ask you show up punctually and
class participation is considered subjectively as part of your final grade. Lab attendance
is part of your grade.

11. Grading:
Quizzes 30%, Exam 1 20%, Exam 2 20%, Lab attendance 5%, Presentations 20%, Class Participation 5% (based on peer assessment)

12. Grading Scale:

92-100 = A; 91.9-89 = A-; 88.9-86 = B+; 85.9-82 = B; 81.9-79 = B-; 78.9-76 = C+; 75.9-72 = C; 71.9-69 = C-; 68.9-66 = D+; 65.9-62 = D; 61.9-59 = D-; Less than 59 = E.

Grades may be curved up at the end of the course at the discretion of the instructor.

13. Make-up Exam Policy

All missed exams and quizzes must be scheduled ahead of the absence with either the instructor or TA. Emergency and Medical absences will require verification.

Students Requiring Accommodations

Students with disabilities who experience learning barriers and would like to request academic accommodations should connect with the disability Resource Center by visiting https://disability.ufl.edu/students/get-started/Links to an external site.. It is important for students to share their accommodation letter with their instructor and discuss their access needs, as early as possible in the semester.

Course Evaluation

Students are expected to provide professional and respectful feedback on the quality of instruction in this course by completing course evaluations online via GatorEvals. Guidance on how to give feedback in a professional and respectful manner is available at https://gatorevals.aa.ufl.edu/students/Links to an external site.. Students will be notified when the evaluation period opens, and can complete evaluations through the email they receive from GatorEvals, in their Canvas course menu under GatorEvals, or via https://ufl.bluera.com/ufl/Links to an external site.. Summaries of course evaluation results are available to students at https://gatorevals.aa.ufl.edu/public-results/Links to an external site..

In-Class Recording

Students are allowed to record video or audio of class lectures. However, the purposes for which these recordings may be used are strictly controlled. The only allowable purposes are (1) for personal educational use, (2) in connection with a complaint to the university, or (3) as evidence in, or in preparation for, a criminal or civil proceeding. All
other purposes are prohibited. Specifically, students may not publish recorded lectures without the written consent of the instructor.

A “class lecture” is an educational presentation intended to inform or teach enrolled students about a particular subject, including any instructor-led discussions that form part of the presentation, and delivered by any instructor hired or appointed by the University, or by a guest instructor, as part of a University of Florida course. A class lecture does not include lab sessions, student presentations, clinical presentations such as patient history, academic exercises involving solely student participation, assessments (quizzes, tests, exams), field trips, private conversations between students in the class or between a student and the faculty or lecturer during a class session.

Publication without permission of the instructor is prohibited. To “publish” means to share, transmit, circulate, distribute, or provide access to a recording, regardless of format or medium, to another person (or persons), including but not limited to another student within the same class section. Additionally, a recording, or transcript of a recording, is considered published if it is posted on or uploaded to, in whole or in part, any media platform, including but not limited to social media, book, magazine, newspaper, leaflet, or third party note/tutoring services. A student who publishes a recording without written consent may be subject to a civil cause of action instituted by a person injured by the publication and/or discipline under UF Regulation 4.040 Student Honor Code and Student Conduct Code.

**University Honesty Policy**

UF students are bound by The Honor Pledge which states, “We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to hold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honor and integrity by abiding by the Honor Code. On all work submitted for credit by students at the University of Florida, the following pledge is either required or implied: “On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment.” The Honor Code ([https://sccr.dso.ufl.edu/process/student-conduct-code/](https://sccr.dso.ufl.edu/process/student-conduct-code/)](https://sccr.dso.ufl.edu/process/student-conduct-code/), specifies a number of behaviors that are in violation of this code and the possible sanctions. Furthermore, you are obligated to report any condition that facilitates academic misconduct to appropriate personnel. If you have any questions or concerns, please consult with the instructor or TAs in this class.

**Commitment to a Safe and Inclusive Learning Environment**

The Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering values broad diversity within our community and is committed to individual and group empowerment, inclusion, and the elimination of discrimination. It is expected that every person in this class will treat one another with dignity and respect regardless of gender, sexuality, disability, age, socioeconomic status, ethnicity, race, and culture.
If you feel like your performance in class is being impacted by discrimination or harassment of any kind, please contact your instructor or any of the following:

- Your academic advisor or Graduate Program Coordinator
- Jennifer Nappo, Director of Human Resources, 352-392-0904, jpennc@ufl.edu
- Curtis Taylor, Associate Dean of Student Affairs, 352-392-2177, taylor@eng.ufl.edu
- Toshikazu Nishida, Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, 352-392-0943, nishida@eng.ufl.edu

**Software Use**

All faculty, staff, and students of the University are required and expected to obey the laws and legal agreements governing software use. Failure to do so can lead to monetary damages and/or criminal penalties for the individual violator. Because such violations are also against University policies and rules, disciplinary action will be taken as appropriate. We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to uphold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honesty and integrity.

**Student Privacy**

There are federal laws protecting your privacy with regards to grades earned in courses and on individual assignments. For more information, please see: [https://registrar.ufl.edu/ferpa.html](https://registrar.ufl.edu/ferpa.html)

**Campus Resources:**

- **Health and Wellness**

  **U Matter, We Care:**

  Your well-being is important to the University of Florida. The U Matter, We Care initiative is committed to creating a culture of care on our campus by encouraging members of our community to look out for one another and to reach out for help if a member of our community is in need. If you or a friend is in distress, please contact umatter@ufl.edu so that the U Matter, We Care Team can reach out to the student in distress. A nighttime and weekend crisis counselor is available by phone at 352-392-1575. The U Matter, We Care Team can help connect students to the many
other helping resources available including, but not limited to, Victim Advocates, Housing staff, and the Counseling and Wellness Center. Please remember that asking for help is a sign of strength. In case of emergency, call 9-1-1.

**Counseling and Wellness Center:** [https://counseling.ufl.edu](https://counseling.ufl.edu) and 392-1575; and the University Police Department: 392-1111 or 9-1-1 for emergencies.

**Sexual Discrimination, Harassment, Assault, or Violence**

If you or a friend has been subjected to sexual discrimination, sexual harassment, sexual assault, or violence contact the [Office of Title IX Compliance](https://title-ix.ufl.edu), located at Yon Hall Room 427, 1908 Stadium Road, (352) 273-1094, title-ix@ufl.edu.

**Sexual Assault Recovery Services (SARS)**

Student Health Care Center, 392-1161.

**University Police Department** at 392-1111 (or 9-1-1 for emergencies), or [http://www.police.ufl.edu](http://www.police.ufl.edu).

**Academic Resources**

**E-learning technical support**, 352-392-4357 (select option 2) or e-mail to Learning-support@ufl.edu. [https://lss.at.ufl.edu/help.shtml](https://lss.at.ufl.edu/help.shtml).

**Career Connections Center**, Reitz Union, 392-1601. Career assistance and counseling; [https://career.ufl.edu](https://career.ufl.edu).

**Library Support**, [http://cms.uflib.ufl.edu/ask](http://cms.uflib.ufl.edu/ask). Various ways to receive assistance with respect to using the libraries or finding resources.

**Teaching Center**, Broward Hall, 392-2010 or 392-6420. General study skills and tutoring. [https://teachingcenter.ufl.edu](https://teachingcenter.ufl.edu).
Writing Studio, 302 Tigert Hall, 846-1138. Help brainstorming, formatting, and writing papers.  
https://writing.ufl.edu/writing-studio/Links to an external site..

Student Complaints Campus: https://sccr.dso.ufl.edu/policies/student-honor-code-student-conduct-code/Links to an external site.; https://care.dso.ufl.eduLinks to an external site.;

On-Line Students Complaints: https://distance.ufl.edu/state-authorization-status/#student-complaintLinks to an external site.;