

ECE 582: Electrical and Computer Engineering Design I

Class Overview

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Goals for this class

- Review Syllabus
 - Texts:
 - Pocket Book of Technical Writing for Engineers & Scientists, Leo Finkelstein, McGraw-Hill;
 - Design for Electrical and Computer Engineers, J. Salt & Rothery, Wiley.
 - Activities
- Brief introduction to ECE 582 Projects
- Assignments Due Next Week
- Complete Course Survey Sheet.

Class web page, syllabus, sheets

- On website: <http://www.ece.osu.edu/~bibyk/ee582/ee582.htm>
- Review syllabus, and the following 582 sheets:
 - TI Design Contest
 - Drew's 682 website (last years contest)
 - Engr. Design vs. Problem Solving
 - Design Swamp
 - Engr. Design Methods by N. Cross

582 Projects

- TI Design Contest – www.ti.com look at TI eStore and Analog Development boards and EVMs. Analog contest link on 582 web page. Engibous (past TI CEO) prize.
- Win10 682 – Bibyk: Use free TI EVMs (\$200) in a variety of embedded system projects.
- Win10 682 - Potter: Also using TI contest for Precision Position and Medical Electronics.
- Engr 658/659 Bob Rhoads in Scott Labs needs ECEs for Engr. Collge projects.
- Others

Assignments

Individual Experience Essay - 2 pages.

- Due next week at beginning of class.
- Around one page describing a significant engineering experience you have had.
- Around one page describing a technical artifact. A technical artifact is a design, component, process, or procedure that you produced during your design experience.
- Technical writing requires clear and concise communication. Organization is key.
- Please see Chapter 3 of Finkelstein on ‘Technical Definitions’.
- Page limits are fixed.
 - 12pt font double spaced type

Assignments (cont.)

Resume

- Due next week at beginning of class.
- One page limit.
- Create a resume that specifically applies your coursework and/or experience toward a ECE 582 project.
- Look at Finkelstein Chapter 18
- <http://career.eng.ohio-state.edu/student/resume-templates.php>
(templates from the College of Engineering's Career office)

Assignments (cont.)

Prepare Individual Presentations

- One slide on a project
 - One slide on your background.
 - Email your slides to both instructors.
 - Name your file with your last name and your section time.
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- All three assignments will help us in assigning project groups.
 - Other direct input for assigning groups and/or project is very welcome.

Other Contests

- <http://www.uvm.edu/~muse/experience/MTT%20Poster%20%2710%20v8.pdf>
 - MTT Alive. Projects that (1) required a high level of systems thinking and (2) incorporated a wireless aspect.
 - 19 prizes from \$1000 - \$250