

IN268 JAN 2:1

Microfluidic Devices & Applications

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Course Time: Tue., Thu., 10:00 - 11:00 AM; Fri., 3:00-4:00 PM

Lecture venue:

Detailed Course Page:

Announcements

Brief description of the course

This course is offered to Masters and PhD students to introduce them to the filed of Microfluidics and Lab-on-a-Chip. The course equips the students with the latest and emerging instrumentation and applied physics aspects of Micro and Nano Technologies and their design, fabrication and applications.

Prerequisites

"none"

Syllabus

Basic principles in microfluidics, design principles for microfluidic devices, device fabrication procedures, (such as optical lithography and soft lithography), components of microfluidic devices (micro-pump, mixers, lenses, valves, heaters, sensors, etc.,) utility of microfluidic devices in various biological, chemical and optical sensing applications, opto-fluidics, Inertial-microfluidics, droplet-microfluidics, microfluidics based-flow cytometry. This course also provides hands onexperience in the design, fabrication and characterization of Lab-on-achips or point-of care testing devices.

Course outcomes

Exposure to the design and fabrication techniques of Microfluidic Devices, hands-on experience. Familiarity with various applications of Microfluidics and Lab-on-Chip Technologies and doing a term-project in realizing a specific application.

Grading policy

25% Assignments, 25% Project, 50% Final Exam.

Assignments

Resources

Micro- and Nano-scale Fluid Mechanics: Transport in Microfluidic Devices" by Brian J. Kirby. Introduction to Microfluidics" by Patric Tabeling.

Fundamentals and Applications of Microfluidics" by Nam-Trung Nguyen and Steven T. Wereley. Biological Applications of Microfluidics edited by Frank A. Gomez.

Theoretical Microfluidics― by Henrik Bruus.