

جامعة الأميرة نورة بنت عبدالرحمن وكالة الجامعة للشؤون التعليمية لجنة تطوير البرامج الأكاديمية

Sample Brief Course Description	
Course title	Biosensors and measurements
Course code	BME 320
College	Engineering
Department / Program	Biomedical Engineering
Year/ Level	4/7
Course Type	<ul> <li>A.</li> <li>University</li> <li>College</li> <li>Department</li> <li>Others</li> <li>b.</li> <li>Required</li> <li>Elective</li> </ul>
Credited Hours	4
Contact Hours	(LT: 3, LB: 2, TR: 0)
Pre-requisites (if any)	BME 240 ECE 242
Co-requisites (if any)	
Course description	Topics include Fundamentals of medical instrumentations (sources of biomedical signals, basic medical instrumentation system, and performance of requirements of medical instrumentation system). Bioelectric signals and electrodes (origin of bioelectric signals, recording electrodes, electrodes for ECG, EEG, EMG, electrical conductivity of electrodes, Microelectrodes). Physiological Transducers( Definition, classification, performance characteristics,



	Displacement, position and motion transducers, pressure transducer,
	temperature transducer, photoelectric transducer, optical fiber
	sensors and biosensors.
Course Main Objectives	1. To introduce the field of medical sensors and an in depth and
	quantitative view of device design and performance analysis.
	2. To provide knowledge on the principle and operation of different
	medical transducers.
	3. To introduce the application of sensors and transducers in the
	physiological parameter measuring system.
Knowledge and Understanding:	
Learning Outcomes	1. Identify the calibration procedure for the basic instruments
	involved in physiological parameter measurement.
	2. Demonstrate the appropriate sensor approach, which is most
	likely to meet a specific biosensor application.
	Skills:
	1. Interpret the errors in measurement by analyzing the
	performance characteristics of the sensors.
	2. Apply the suitable design criteria for developing a medical
	sensor for a particular application.
	3 Develop advanced medical sensors based on the basic
	transduction principles.
	Values:
	1. Communicate effectively on a team.