

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY DESIGN AND MANUFACTURING
(IIITDM) KANCHEEPURAM

INTRODUCTION OF NEW COURSE

Course Title	Introduction to Biomedical Optics	Course Code				
Dept./ Specialization	Science and Humanities	Structure (LTPC)	3	0	2	4
To be offered for	UG, PG/DD and PhD	Status	Core <input type="checkbox"/>		Elective <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Faculty Proposing the course	Dr. Pal Uttam Mrinal	Type	New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Modification <input type="checkbox"/>	
Recommendation from the DAC		Date of DAC				
External Expert(s)	1) Dr. Arun K. Thittai, Department of Applied Mechanics, Biomedical Group, Indian Institute of Technology Madras 2) Dr. Hari Varma, Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay					
Pre-requisite		Submitted for approval		48 th Senate		
Learning Objectives	The key objectives of this course are to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Detailed understanding on optics fundamentals, light-tissue interaction, molecular spectroscopy. ▪ Understand phenomena such as scattering, absorption, fluorescence, and polarization, and how these properties can be utilized in biomedical diagnostics and imaging. ▪ Learn photon transport equation in turbid media, diffusion theory approximation, and Monte Carlo methods for solving inverse problems. Different configurations of near- infrared spectroscopy, such as continuous wave, frequency domain, and time-domain. ▪ Provide hands-on experience in optical instrumentation and characterization of optical tissue phantom that mimics optical properties of biological tissues. 					
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of the course, the student will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Acquire fundamental understanding of the optical instruments (optical components, source, and detectors). ▪ Analyze the underlying mathematical model of the light-tissue interaction and the optical techniques to quantify tissue physiological attributes. ▪ Design and analyze optical systems and its instrumentation to apply in the field of biomedical engineering. ▪ Perform the experiment, acquire data, and interpret the parameters related to light- tissue interaction. ▪ Independently develop optical phantom tissue, perform the optical experiment, acquire data, and troubleshoot practical problems related to light-tissue interaction. 					

<p>*** See rationale at the end</p> <p>Contents of the course (With approximate break-up of hours for L/T/P)</p>	<p>Module 1: Physics of Biomedical Optics (L8+P2): Introduction to Wave Optics, Fundamentals of Spectroscopy, Light Sources: Working principle of LASERs and LEDs.</p> <p>Module 2: Light-Tissue Interaction (L8+P4): Scattering Theory: Rayleigh and Mie Scattering. Absorption Theory using Beer Lambert and Modified Beer Lambert Law. Module 3: Light Transport Theory in Turbid Media (L8+P2): Boltzmann transport equation and Light Transport Modeling and Simulation</p> <p>Module 4: Optical Instrumentation and Fabrication (L10+P4): Fabrication using Optical Lithography process. Experimental methods and instrumentation for continuous-wave, frequency-domain, and time-domain tissue spectroscopy. Diffused reflectance and Doppler spectroscopy. Working principal of Light Detectors and Fiber optics</p> <p>Module 5: Experimental Methods and Multimodal Imaging Techniques (L8+P2): Forward and inverse method for diffuse optical imaging and tomography. Multimodal Imaging Techniques such as Opto-acoustics, opto-thermo, and opto-thermo-acoustic (OTA) modality.</p>
Textbooks	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. "Quantitative Biomedical Optics Theory, Methods, and Applications", Irving J. Bigio and Sergio Fantini, Cambridge Texts in Biomedical Engineering (2016). 2. "Biomedical Optics: Principles and Imaging" Lihong V. Wang and Hsin-i Wu, Wiley (2007).
Reference Books	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. "An Introduction to Biomedical Optics" Robert Splinter and Brett A. Hooper, CR Press (2007). 2. "Tissue Optics: Light Scattering Methods and Instruments for Medical Diagnosis" Valery Tuchin, SPIE press book (2006).