



**Course** MSEN/EEMF 6324: Electronic, Optical, and Magnetic Materials  
**Professor** Chadwin D. Young  
**Term** Fall 2015  
**Meetings** Location: FO 3.222  
Tuesdays & Thursdays: 2:30 PM – 3:45 PM

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#### General Course Information

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**Pre-requisites, Co-requisites, & other restrictions** MSEN 5300 or equivalent

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**Course Description** Foundations of materials properties for electronic, optical and magnetic applications. Electrical and thermal conduction, elementary quantum physics, modern theory of solids, semiconductors and devices, dielectrics, magnetic and optical materials properties.

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**Learning Outcomes**

1. Ability to understand the Modern Theory of Solids including thermal and electrical conduction mechanisms.
2. Ability to estimate Materials Properties for: Semiconductor, Dielectric, Magnetic and Optical Materials.
3. Ability to estimate basic device operations.

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**Required Texts & Materials** *Principles of Electronic Materials and Devices, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed.* by Safa Kasap (ISBN: 9780073104645)

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**Suggested Texts, Readings, & Materials**

1. Will be suggested at various times during the semester

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**Class Calendar**

*[Dates and Topics are subject to change]*

CLASS DAY	LECTURE TOPICS	READING
August		
25	Elementary Concepts	1.1-1.13
27	Elementary Concepts	1.1-1.13
September		
1	Conduction	2.1-2.5
3	Conduction	2.1-2.5
8	Conduction	2.6-2.9
10	Conduction	2.6-2.9
15	Quantum Physics	3.1-3.10
17	<b>Exam #1</b>	
22	Quantum Physics	3.1-3.10
24	Theory of Solids	4.1, 4.2, 4.11
29	Theory of Solids	4.1, 4.2, 4.11
October		
1	Theory of Solids	4.4-4.10
6	Theory of Solids	4.4-4.10
8	Semiconductors	4.3, 5.1-5.12
15	Semiconductors	4.3, 5.1-5.12
17	<b>Exam #2</b>	
22	Devices	6.1-6.9
24	Devices	6.1-6.9
30	Dielectric Materials	7.1-7.9
November		
3	Magnetic Materials	8.1-8.13
5	Magnetic Materials	8.1-8.13
10	Optical Materials	9.1-9.8
12	<b>Exam #3</b>	
17	Optical Materials	9.1-9.8
19	Optical Materials	9.9-9.18
24	Thanksgiving Break	
26	Thanksgiving Break	
December		
1	Optical Materials	9.9-9.18
3	Review/Recap	
8		
???	<b>Final</b>	

**Course Policies**

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<b>Grading (credit) Criteria</b>	20% Assigned Homework 60% Exams 20% Final Exam <b>Class will be based on a points system where point total is TBD. This allows a student to readily track his/her progress in the course.</b>
<b>Make-up Exams</b>	No make-up exams will be offered.
<b>Extra Credit</b>	No extra credit will be given
<b>Late Work</b>	No late work will be accepted.
<b>Re-grade Policy</b>	If there are any problems with the grading of assignments, quizzes, or exams, students should submit the paper along with a written statement describing the points in question. Papers submitted more than 2 weeks after grading is finished will not be considered.
<b>Class Attendance</b>	<b>Mandatory.</b> Random in-class quizzes will be given to ensure attendance where the overall average of the in-class quizzes can replace an exam. No attendance: no credit, if in-class quiz is given. (See above)
<b>Classroom Citizenship</b>	Use of mobile/cellular phone, laptops, or other electronic devices or equipment is not allowed during class. All such systems must be turned off or silenced and not used during classes without prior permission from the instructor.
<b>UT Dallas Syllabus Policies and Procedures</b>	<i>The information contained in the following link constitutes the University's policies and procedures segment of the course syllabus.</i> <i>Please go to <a href="http://go.utdallas.edu/syllabus-policies">http://go.utdallas.edu/syllabus-policies</a> for these policies.</i>

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***The descriptions and timelines contained in this syllabus are subject to change at the discretion of the Professor.***