Sustainable and Renewable Energy (SREE)

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SREE 1000 [0.0 credit]
Introduction to Sustainable Energy
Prerequisite(s): registration in Sustainable and Renewable Energy Engineering.
Lectures one hour per week.

SREE 3001 [0.5 credit]
Sustainable and Renewable Energy Sources
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
Prerequisite(s): ENVE 2001 and MAAE 2300 and (ELEC 2602 or fourth-year status in Environmental Engineering).
Lectures three hours per week, laboratories/problem analysis one hour per week.

SREE 3002 [0.5 credit]
Electrical Distribution Systems
Electricity Distribution: topology, load characteristics, load prediction, voltage regulation, power flow, power loss, capacitors, state estimation, system reliability, system protection. Distribution Automation: components and architectures, communication systems. Distributed Generation: guides and regulations, microgrids, case study.
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
Prerequisite(s): SREE 3001 and (ELEC 2602 or ELEC 3605).
Lectures three hours per week, laboratories three hours per week alternate weeks.

SREE 3003 [0.5 credit]
Sustainable and Renewable Electricity Generation
Power system structures; photovoltaic cell: model, current/voltage curves, maximum power point tracking, grid connection; grid connection of wind-generator; DC#AC and AC#DC converter simulation and analysis; energy storage classification; battery: equivalent circuit model, charging and discharging; renewable generation; feed#in tariff program.
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
Prerequisite(s): SREE 3001 and (ELEC 2602 or ELEC 3605).
Lectures three hours per week, laboratories three hours per week alternate weeks.

SREE 4001 [0.5 credit]
Efficient Energy Conversion
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
Precludes additional credit for MECH 4403.
Prerequisite(s): MAAE 2300, MAAE 2400 and fourth year status in Sustainable & Renewable Energy Engineering.
Lectures three hours per week, laboratories/problem analysis three hours per week.

SREE 4002 [0.5 credit]
Modelling and Analysis of Energy Systems: Risk, Reliability, and Economics
Energy technologies exist within a context of economic, policy, and behavioral choices that affect their adoption. This course will introduce engineering methods for analyzing risk, uncertainty, and system-level decision-making. We will investigate criteria that affect energy systems: reliability, resilience, economics, financing, health, and environmental impacts.
Prerequisite(s): fourth-year status in Engineering.
Lectures three hours per week.
SREE 4907 [1.0 credit]
Energy Engineering Project
Student teams develop professional-level experience by applying, honing, integrating and extending previously acquired knowledge in a major design project. Lectures are devoted to discussing project-related issues and student presentations. A project proposal, interim report, oral presentations, and a comprehensive final report are required.
Includes: Experiential Learning Activity
Prerequisite(s): SREE 3002 and SREE 3003, and fourth-year status in Sustainable and Renewable Energy Engineering. Certain projects may have additional prerequisites or corequisites.