

EE 310L

1. **Course Number & Name:** EE 310L, Microprocessors & System Design Lab
2. **Course Credit and Contact hours:** 1 Unit, 3 hours
3. **Course Coordinator:** Dr. Farid Farahmand
4. **Textbook:** Muhammad Ali Mazidi, Rolin McKinlay, and Danny Causey, *PIC Microcontroller and Embedded Systems: Using Assembly and C for PIC18*, 1st Edition, Prentice Teall, 2008. ISBN 978-0131194045.
5. **Supplemental Materials:** Lab instructions and slides / development board/kit / electronic parts.
6. **Specific Course Information:**
 - a. **Description:** Laboratory work includes building and programming a microcontroller-based system and interfacing it to various external peripherals.
 - b. **Prerequisites:** ES 210 and EE 230, co-requisite EE 310L, or consent of instructor.
 - c. **Co-Requisite:** EE 310, or consent of instructor
 - d. **Status:** Required for EE program, Elective, Selected Elective
7. **Specific Goals for the Course:**
 - a. **Specific outcomes of instruction:** Upon successful completion of this course the students will gain:
 - i. Ability to understand the internal architecture of a microcontroller, including working registers, ALU, memory, stacks, and bus systems.
 - ii. Ability to write working programs using assembly language.
 - iii. Ability to use programming tools and IDE to program microcontrollers.
 - iv. Ability to program microcontrollers using C language.
 - v. Ability to configure I/O ports.
 - vi. Ability to understand how to interface various sensors, actuators, and display devices to the microcontrollers.
 - vii. Ability to understand how different peripherals, such as ADC and DAC operate.
 - viii. Ability to gain working knowledge of how to work with drivers, relays, and level shifters needed to interface with microcontrollers.
 - ix. Ability to configure different timers and design counters.

- x. Ability to understand the existing serial interfaces in microcontrollers.
- b. This course supports the following ABET Student Outcomes:**
 - i. *SO-5: an ability to function effectively on a team whose members together provide leadership, create a collaborative and inclusive environment, establish goals, plan tasks, and meet objectives*

8. Brief List of Topics to be Covered:

- a. General micro-controllers architecture
- b. Assembly language programming
- c. Programming tools, including IDE
- d. I/O port configurations
- e. Sensors, actuators, display devices
- f. ADC and DAC
- g. Drivers, relays, and level shifters
- h. Timers and counters
- i. Serial interfaces