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Bioseine en -stelsels 732 (EBB 732)

Kwalifikasie	Nagraads
Fakulteit	Fakulteit Ingenieurswese, Bou-omgewing en Inligtingtegnologie
Modulekrediete	32.00
Programme	BIngHons Bio-ingenieurswese
Voorvereistes	Bio-ingenieurswese: Bioëlektrisiteit en -elektronika EBE 732
Kontaktyd	32 kontakure per semester
Onderrigtaal	Module word in Engels aangebied
Departement	Elektriese, Elektroniese en Rekenaaringenieurswese
Aanbiedingstydperk	Semester 2

Module-inhoud

*Hierdie inligting is slegs in Engels beskikbaar.

The objective of the module is to teach the engineering student how to apply engineering tools to the analysis of biological systems for the purpose of (i) developing understanding of the anatomy and physiology of specific biological systems from an engineering perspective, (ii) deriving appropriate mathematical descriptions of biological systems, and (iii) engineering applicable therapeutic interventions. We will expand on the single nerve fibre studies considered in bioelectricity and electronics: where the latter examined the biophysics of single excitable cells (and electrostimulation thereof), this module will develop it into an analysis of the characteristics of populations of neurons. We will systematically develop a systems-level perspective, working our way through the hierarchical organisation of neural encoding and computation. Furthermore, we will discuss how to measure characteristics and parameters of a particular system (the auditory system) and how to glean information about lower hierarchical levels from these measurements. This is a course in modelling and measurement, using tools from signal processing, control systems, dynamics, probability theory, systems engineering and psychoacoustics.

Die inligting wat hier verskyn, is onderhewig aan verandering en kan na die publikasie van hierdie inligting gewysig word.. Die [Algemene Regulasies \(G Regulasies\)](#) is op alle fakulteite van die Universiteit van Pretoria van toepassing. Dit word vereis dat elke student volkome vertrouwd met hierdie regulasies sowel as met die inligting vervat in die [Algemene Reëls](#) sal wees. Onkunde betreffende hierdie regulasies en reëls sal nie as 'n verskoning by oortreding daarvan aangebied kan word nie.