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Machine design 312 (MOW 312)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 16.00

NQF Level 07

Programmes BEng (Mechanical Engineering)

BEng (Mechanical Engineering) ENGAGE

Prerequisites MOW 217, (MOW 227)

Contact time 3 lectures per week, 3 tutorials per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Mechanical and Aeronautical Engineering

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Within the framework of system engineering the following themes are integrated into the design process: Ergonomics, pressure vessels, structural design, welding and bonding, heat treatment, non-destructive testing, gears, contact stresses and lubrication. Energy systems, safety factors and load factors are considered throughout all themes. Assignments involve open-ended subsystem designs involving pressure vessels and gear systems.

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