

**MECHANICAL ENGINEERING PROGRAM**  
**ABET COURSE SYLLABUS**

**ME 228 Engineering Design Communication (2 Units) Required for Transfer Students**

<b>Course Descriptions:</b> <b>(2013-15 Catalog)</b>	Use of engineering communication principles to communicate details of project designs including: sketching, orthographic projection, section and auxiliary views, dimensioning, and tolerances. Hand and computer based methods explored. Introduction to design for manufacturability. 2 laboratories.
<b>Prerequisite Courses:</b>	None
<b>Prerequisites by Topic:</b>	None
<b>Textbook:</b> <b>(and/or other required material)</b>	<u>Technical Graphics Communication</u> , 4th Edition, Bertoline <u>ME 129/228 - Engineering Design Communication Workbook</u> Engineering Drafting Toolkit
<b>References:</b>	Any specified by Instructor
<b>Course Coordinator:</b>	John Larson, ME Lecturer
<b>Course Learning Outcomes:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Understand the fundamentals of the graphical methods used to convey engineering concepts.</li><li>2. Ability to create, read, and interpret engineering drawings.</li><li>3. Demonstrate the use of terminology and symbols used in engineering communications.</li><li>4. Ability to construct engineering communication documents describing mechanical devices and systems by using points, vectors, and surfaces.</li><li>5. Selection of appropriate orthographic, sectional, auxiliary, and pictorial views, to convey engineering design concepts to fabricators.</li><li>6. Construct appropriate dimensions and geometric tolerances to convey a part's functional design requirements to fabricators.</li><li>7. Calculate size tolerances necessary to ensure the functional relationship to multi-part assemblies.</li><li>8. Ability to create and define a conceptual solution to an engineering problem.</li><li>9. Ability to use a common industrial cad package to create engineering documentation.</li></ol>

Relationship of Course to MECHANICAL ENGINEERING Program Outcomes:												
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**Topics Covered:**

1. Lettering, Scales, Orthographic Sketching
2. Orthographic Projection, Line Conventions
3. Fillets & Rounds; Hole, Counter bore & Countersink Conventions
4. Pictorial, Sectional, and Auxiliary Views
5. Descriptive Geometry: True size and shape- auxiliary view and rotation
6. Descriptive Geometry: Intersections & Dihedral Angle
7. Detail Drawings, Size Tolerances, Notes
8. Clearance, Interference, & Transition Fit Calculations.
9. Fundamental Geometric Dimensioning & Tolerancing (ASME-Y14.5M)
10. Design of Functional Layouts.
11. Assembly Drawings & Bill of Materials
11. Threads and Fasteners
13. Cad Skills: Parametric Modeling, Dimensioning, Tolerance Specification, Assembly Mates, Functional Assemblies.

**Laboratory Activities:**

Assignments and projects that require students to directly apply the laboratory topics. Industrial CAD software requires the students to:

- Create Part Models encompassing:
  - Extrusions, revolves, and lofts
  - Patterns, holes, and common features
- Construct multi-view detail drawings including:
  - Dimensions, size tolerances, and notes
  - Datums, basic dimensions, and geometric tolerances
- Produce functional multi-part assemblies
- Prepare assembly drawings including bill of materials

Instructor gives group and individual assistance as needed.

**Class/Lab Schedule:**

Two 170 minute lab per week

**Contribution of Course to Meeting the Professional Component:**

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| (a) College-level math & basic sciences: | 0 credits |
| (b) Engineering Topics:<br>Design - Yes  | 2 credits |
| (c) General Education:                   | 0 credits |
| (d) Other                                | 0 credits |

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