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**Current Course** 

**Prefix and Number** 

# **COURSE CHANGE REQUEST Graduate Programs**

**Current Course Title** 

Terrestrial Laser Scanning

Department CEGE

College Engine

CEG5304C

Engineering and Computer Science

UGPC Approval	
UFS Approval	
SCNS Submittal	
Confirmed	
Banner	
Catalog	

Aug 19, 2021

Aug 20, 2021

Syllabus must be attached for <b>ANY</b> changes to current cour that may be affected by the changes; attach documentation	rse details. See <u>Guidelines</u> , Please consult and list departments n.
Change title to:	Change description to:
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From: To:	Change prerequisites/minimum grades to:
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From: 5304C To: 6304C	
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Academic Service Learning (ASL) **	
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* Review <u>Provost Memorandum</u> ** Academic Service Learning statement must be indicated in syllabus and approval attached to this form.	Please list existing and new pre/corequisites, specify AND or OF and include minimum passing grade.
Effective Term/Year	Terminate course? Effective Term/Year
for Changes: Spring 2022	for Termination:
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UGPC Chair Christophen Beette	Aug 19, 2021

Email this form and syllabus to UGPC@fau.edu 10 days before the UGPC meeting.

**UGC Chair** 

Provost

**UFS** President

Graduate College Dean

1. Course title/number, number of credit hours			
TERRESTRIAL LASER SCANNI	NG, CEG 6304C	3 credit hours	
2. Course prerequisites, corequisites, and where the course fits in the program of study			
Prerequisite: Graduate standin	g in Engineering/Scier	nces/Planning or permission by instructor	
3. Course logistics			
Semester: Spring 2021 Classroom: GS 102			
Class time: T 7:10-10:00 P.M			
4. Instructor contact information			
Instructor's name Office address Office Hours		Dr. Sudhagar Nagarajan Building 36, Room 222 Boca Raton, FL, 33431 <b>Virtual Office:</b>	
Contact telephone number Email address		https://fau.webex.com/meet/snagarajan Office hours: M 3:00 – 4:00 PM and T 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM Phone: (561) 297 3104 E-mail: snagarajan@fau.edu	
5. TA contact information			
TA's name		Ishwarya Srikanth	
Office address		isrikanth2016@fau.edu	
Office Hours		Tuesdays and Wednesdays 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.	
Contact telephone number		https://fau.webex.com/meet/isrikanth2016	
Email address		Join by phone	
		+1-415-655-0003 US Toll Access code: 735 886 365	
6. Course description		Access code. 735 000 305	
	tion to applications of	of terrestrial laser scanning systems in geosciences	
This course gives an introduction to applications of terrestrial laser scanning systems in geosciences, engineering, urban planning, forestry, architecture, emergency planning and forensics.			
7. Course objectives/student learning outcomes/program outcomes			
Course objectives	The students will have strong understanding on 1) working principles of		
	terrestrial laser scanning systems, 2) applying laser scanning to various		
	engineering and science problems.		
Student learning outcomes	1. Ability to understand the principles of laser scanning (1, 6)		
& relationship to ABET 1-7	2. Ability to understand the sources of errors in laser scanning (1, 6)		
outcomes	3.Ability to understand the concepts of georeferencing/registration of		
	laser scanning data (		
	4. Ability to process j	point cloud data and make measurements (1, 3, 6)	
8. Course evaluation method			
Lab exercises: 15%			
Assignments: 25%			
Project: 20%			
Exam: 40%			
9. Course grading scale			

### 10. Policy on makeup tests, late work, and incompletes

- 1. Exams will be given only at the scheduled times and places, unless previous arrangements have been made no less than one (1) full week in advance. No one is exempt from exams.
- 2. Makeups are given only if there is solid evidence of a medical or otherwise serious emergency that prevented the student of participating in the exam. Makeup exams will be administered and proctored by department personnel unless there are other pre-approved arrangements.
- 3. Late work is not acceptable.
- 4. Incomplete grades are against the policy of the department. Unless there is solid evidence of medical or otherwise serious emergency situation, incomplete grades will not be given. Note: Incomplete grades are only reserved for those students who were passing but could not complete the required work due to exceptional circumstances.

### 11. Special course requirements

The goal of integrating writing in this course is to improve students' ability to produce professional quality engineering reports. Contact the University Center for Excellence in Writing at 561-297-3498 or www.fau.edu/UCEW for assistance.

If you need help finding appropriate research or background information for reports, try the libguide: http://libguides.fau.edu/basic\_engineering - boca

Report all technical problems in canvas to the IRM helpdesk (http://www.fau.edu/helpdesk)

# 12. Classroom etiquette policy

University policy requires that in order to enhance and maintain a productive atmosphere for education, personal communication devices, such as cellular phones and laptops, are to be disabled in face - to - face class sessions. Please review the university Netiquette policy guidelines at

http://www.fau.edu/irm/about/netiquette.php.

Remember you are an adult—your communication with the professor and your classmates should be appropriate. You are responsible for reading all announcements posted by the instructor. Check the announcements each time you login to be sure you have read all of them since your last login session.

#### 13. Attendance policy statement

Students are expected to attend all of their scheduled University classes and to satisfy all academic objectives as outlined by the instructor. The effect of absences upon grades is determined by the instructor, and the University reserves the right to deal at any time with individual cases of non-attendance.

Students are responsible for arranging to make up work missed because of legitimate class absence, such as illness, family emergencies, military obligation, court-imposed legal obligations or participation in University-approved activities. Examples of University-approved reasons for absences include participating on an athletic or scholastic team, musical and theatrical performances and debate activities. It is the student's responsibility to give the instructor notice prior to any anticipated absences and within a reasonable amount of time after an unanticipated absence, ordinarily by the next scheduled class

meeting. Instructors must allow each student who is absent for a University-approved reason the opportunity to make up work missed without any reduction in the student's final course grade as a direct result of such absence.

# 14. Disability policy statement

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA), students who require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to properly execute coursework must register with Student Accessibility Services (SAS) and follow all SAS procedures. SAS has offices across three of FAU's campuses — Boca Raton, Davie and Jupiter — however disability services are available for students on all campuses. For more information, please visit the SAS website at www.fau.edu/sas/.

# 15. Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) Center

Life as a university student can be challenging physically, mentally and emotionally. Students who find stress negatively affecting their ability to achieve academic or personal goals may wish to consider utilizing FAU's Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) Center. CAPS provides FAU students a range of services – individual counseling, support meetings, and psychiatric services, to name a few – offered to help improve and maintain emotional well-being. For more information, go to http://www.fau.edu/counseling/

#### 16. Code of academic Integrity policy statement

Students at Florida Atlantic University are expected to maintain the highest ethical standards. Academic dishonesty is considered a serious breach of these ethical standards, because it interferes with the university mission to provide a high quality education in which no student enjoys an unfair advantage over any other. Academic dishonesty is also destructive of the university community, which is grounded in a system of mutual trust and places high value on personal integrity and individual responsibility. Harsh penalties are associated with academic dishonesty. For more information, see University Regulation 4.001.

# 17. Required texts/reading

- Lecture Slides
- 2. Lecture notes provided by instructor

# 18. Supplementary/recommended readings

- 1. Theory and practice on Terrestrial Laser Scanning, Training material based on practical applications, http://jllerma.webs.upv.es/pdfs/Leonardo\_Tutorial\_Final\_vers5\_ENGLISH.pdf
- 2. Airborne and Terrestrial Laser Scanning, ISBN 9781439827987, Editor(s):George Vosselman, Hans-Gerd Maas, Published: March 5, 2010 by CRC Press
- 3. Terrestrial laser scanning: Error sources, self-calibration and direct georeferencing, 2009, Yuriy Reshetyuk, ISBN-13: 978-3639175509, VDM Verlag (July 9, 2009)
- 4. Topographic Laser Ranging and Scanning: Principles and Processing. Jie Shan and Charles K. Toth (Eds.) CRC Press: Boca Raton, FL. 2009
- 5. Bahadır Ergün (2011). Terrestrial Laser Scanning Data Integration in Surveying Engineering, Laser Scanning, Theory and Applications, Prof. Chau-Chang Wang (Ed.), ISBN: 978-953-307-205-0, InTech, DOI: 10.5772/14728. Available from: http://www.intechopen.com/books/laserscanning-theory-and-applications/terrestrial-laser-scanning-data-integration-in-surveyingengineering

# 19. Course topical outline, including dates for exams/quizzes, papers, completion of reading

Week 1: Principles of laser scanning technology

Week 2: Terrestrial laser scanning sensors, Scanning techniques

Week 3: Lab 1: Data collection with laser scanners (tentative)

Week 4: Georeferencing of terrestrial laser scanning data

Week 5: Lab 2: Laser Scanning data registration (tentative)

Week 6: Errors and calibration

Week 7: Co-registration of multiple scans, Positioning with GPS and INS

Week 8: Planning and field procedures

Week 9: Lab 3: Modeling and measuring with TLS data (tentative)

Week 10: Mid-term

Week 11: Data formats, modelling and surveying with TLS data

Week 12: Project proposal presentation

Week 13: Introduction to Mobile Mapping System

Week 14: Seminar on advanced topics

Final Project Presentation and Demo: (Apr 27) 7:00pm - 9:30pm

# 20. Academic Service Learning Statement

This course is designated as an "academic service-learning" course. The assistance you provide to the agency/organization during your academic service-learning (AS-L) experience is a service to the community and will allow you to apply knowledge from the course to local, national, and/or global social issues. Throughout this course you will be participating in AS-L activities while demonstrating civic engagement at campus, local, national, and/or global community levels. You will also reflect on your AS-L experience and the impact on the community as well as your professional development. Academic service-learning notation of hours will post to your transcript with submission of hours to your faculty instructor. An Academic Service-Learning Student Survey is required to be taken at the end of your AS-L project. Please visit the Weppner Center for LEAD & Service-Learning website, www.fau.edu/leadandserve, for the survey link and more information on FAU's Academic Service-Learning program.

Minimum project hours: 10

Assumption of Risk Statement for Student\* I understand that there are certain physical risks inherent in every form of service-learning. I understand the risks associated with this Academic Service-Learning assignment. I nonetheless agree to assume those risks so as to gain the benefits from participation in this valuable learning experience. I hereby release the State of Florida, the Board of Trustees, Florida Atlantic University and its agents and employees from any and all liability associated with my participation in this assignment at Florida Atlantic University.

Assessment of your performance in this aspect of the course is accomplished using your Professional Practice Assignments/Presentations/Reports, the Final Report, and Class Assignments, as evaluated using the rubrics at the end of this syllabus and also found in course LMS.

If you are selected to participate in the university-wide Academic Service-Learning program, you will be required to document a minimum of 10 hours of student service to the community agency.