Course Description
Modern Power Cycle. Credit 3: The fundamental aspects of conduction and radiation are discussed. Emphasis is placed on the fundamental equations, solution techniques, and practical application. Additionally, the relationship between material presented in class with contemporary engineering problems and research will be discussed.

Course Prerequisites: Mass and Heat Transfer
Fluid Mechanics
Thermodynamics

Textbook

Class schedule
Lectures: Wednesdays at 05:30 pm – 08:20 pm; Psychology A144

Grading and Class Policies
Final grade is determined based on your performance on the following areas:
Homework: 30%
Midterm 1: 35%
Midterm 2: 35%

Course Topics
Lecture 1: (08/30/2023)
course introduction, definitions, and basic concepts

Lecture 2: (09/06/2023)
Heat conduction equations and boundary conditions

Lecture 3: (09/13/2023)
Lumped analysis and scaling analysis

Lecture 4: (09/20/2023)
Separation of variables solutions

Lecture 5: (09/27/2023)
Laplace transform solution techniques
Lecture 6: (10/04/2023)
Numerical techniques

Lecture 7: (10/11/2023)
Midterm 1

Lecture 8: (10/18/2023)
Radiation: Definitions, Basic Concepts.

Lecture 9: (10/25/2023)
EM Equations and Radiative Properties

Lecture 10: (11/01/2023)
Exchange between Black Surfaces

Lecture 11: (11/08/2023)
Exchange between Gray Surfaces

Lecture 12: (11/15/2023)
Introduction to Participating Media and radiation in Participating Media

Lecture 13: (11/22/2023)
Thanksgiving Break; No Class Session

Lecture 14: (11/29/2023)
Radiation with conduction and Convection

Lecture 15: (12/06/2023)
Midterm 2

Course Policies:
1. Lecture notes will be posted on the Brightspace prior to class.
2. Brightspace will be used for posting lectures, making course announcements, grading, and communicating with the class.
3. Lectures are held on Wednesdays from 5:30 PM to 8:20 PM
4. No late homework (HW) is accepted and zero grade will be assigned. Each homework will consist of three to five problems. Homework must be submitted in class before lectures on the due dates. All procedures must be shown in homework’s, projects, and tests.
5. The first homework page has to have heading; your name, identification number, course & HW number (MEC 502, HW-2, for example)
6. Submitted homework for grading has to be your own work. You have to show all work or give related references. No makeup tests will be given. If you do homework with someone else, you have to understand and stand behind the submitted work on your own. If it is determined that you are not familiar with the homework you may be responsible for plagiarism and cheating, and therefore loose all credits for that homework and all other homeworks to follow.
**Calculator Policy**

“Effective Spring, 2008 only the following calculators will be permitted to be used on all midterm and final exams in the department of Mechanical Engineering. There will be no exceptions! This list of calculators is identical to that allowed for the National Council for Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES) Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) Exam that many of you will take in your senior year, as well as the professional Engineering (PE) exam that you may take several years now. The sooner you become comfortable on one of these calculators, the better.

NCEES Allowed calculators as of spring, 2008:
► Casio: All fx-115 models. Any Casio calculator must contain fx-115 in its model name

► Hewlett Packard: The HP 33s and HP 35s models, but no others.

► Texas Instruments: All TI-30X and TI-36X models. Any Texas Instruments calculator must contain either TI-30X or TI-36X in its model name.

The NCEES policy on calculators can be found here: [http://www.ncees.org/exams/calculators/](http://www.ncees.org/exams/calculators/)

**Student Accessibility Support Center Statement**

If you have a physical, psychological, medical or learning disability that may impact your course work, please contact Student Accessibility Support Center, ECC (Educational Communications Center) Building, Room 128, (631)632-6748. They will determine with you what accommodations, if any, are necessary and appropriate. All information and documentation is confidential.

Students who require assistance during emergency evacuation are encouraged to discuss their needs with their professors and Student Accessibility Support Center. For procedures and information go to the following website: [http://www.stonybrook.edu/ehs/fire/disabilities](http://www.stonybrook.edu/ehs/fire/disabilities).

**Academic Integrity Statement**

Each student must pursue his or her academic goals honestly and be personally accountable for all submitted work. Representing another person's work as your own is always wrong. Faculty is required to report any suspected instances of academic dishonesty to the Academic Judiciary. Faculty in the Health Sciences Center (School of Health Technology & Management, Nursing, Social Welfare, Dental Medicine) and School of Medicine are required to follow their school-specific procedures. For more comprehensive information on academic integrity, including categories of academic dishonesty please refer to the academic judiciary website at [http://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/academic_integrity/index.html](http://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/academic_integrity/index.html)

**Critical Incident Management**

Stony Brook University expects students to respect the rights, privileges, and property of other people. Faculty are required to report to the Office of University Community Standards any disruptive behavior that interrupts their ability to teach, compromises the safety of the
learning environment, or inhibits students' ability to learn. Faculty in the HSC Schools and the School of Medicine are required to follow their school-specific procedures. Further information about most academic matters can be found in the Undergraduate Bulletin, the Undergraduate Class Schedule, and the Faculty-Employee Handbook.