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Course Code: Title	RAA102: COMPUTERS AND NETWORKING	
Program Number: Name	4068: ROBOTICS AUTOMATION	
Department:	ROBOTICS GRADUATE CERTIFICATE	
Semester/Term:	17F	
Course Description:	This course covers communication networks used in the automation industry and focuses on various fieldbus communications of main and peripheral equipment.	
Total Credits:	2	
Hours/Week:	2	
Total Hours:	30	
This course is a pre-requisite for:	RAA202, RAA203, RAA204	
Vocational Learning Outcomes (VLO's):	#2. Plan and lead the installation of new industrial equipment and its physical and digital integration with existing systems.	
Please refer to program web page for a complete listing of program outcomes where applicable.		
Essential Employability Skills (EES):	#4. Apply a systematic approach to solve problems.	

Course Evaluation:

Evaluation Process	and
Grading System:	

Evaluation Type	Evaluation Weight
Assignments	20%
Tests	80%

Course Outcomes and Learning Objectives:

Course Outcome 1.

Utilize various Basic Terminology, and describe the Concepts of a Computer Network



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Learning Objectives 1.

Define a network

Define and distinguish LAN, WAN, CAN, MAN

Compare and contrast various types of networks including client/server, peer to peer Describe the term NOS network operating systems

Describe physical topologies (bus, ring, star), and associated media access control methods (logical topology)

Compare circuit switching and packet switching

Differentiate simplex, full/half duplex

List and describe the 7 layers of the OSI model and

Compare them to the 4 layers of the TCP/IP model

Identify various protocols at each layer and describe their purpose

Identify the method of addressing at various layers and the associated protocol data units Identify the network devices at various layers and describe their role in the network.

List the advantages of industrial networked computing relative to islands of automation

Identify, List and describe the elements of an industrial/Robotic network

Explain Basic Industrial/Robotic Network Terminology and Concepts

Describe several specific uses for Industrial networks

Identify and Distinguish between different Data communications standards such as, RS-232 interface standard. RS-485 interface standard

State the importance of the ISO OSI model and how it applies to the Industrial/Robotic Networks discussed in this course

Course Outcome 2.

Describe the characteristics of Ethernet IP based networks

Learning Objectives 2.

State the application advantages and limitations of Industrial Ethernet in today's modern industries

Describe how industrial Ethernet-IP systems operate

Compare wired to wireless industrial networking

Identify Industrial Ethernet-IP Network cable types and uses

Identify Industrial Ethernet-IP Network troubleshooting

Describe the terms Electrical Coupling Grounding and Shielding as they applies to Industrial





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Course Outcome 3.

Describe the characteristics of Device Net based networks.

Learning Objectives 3.

Identify Devicenet Applications and place in in a typical plant Hierarchy Identify Frame Format and Network Characteristics Identify Devicenet Configuration and Network Components Explain Devicenet Addressing and Topology Discuss Installation, commissioning and troubleshooting Identify the Types & Media characteristics

Date:

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Please refer to the course outline addendum on the Learning Management System for further information.