

SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY  
SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO

COURSE OUTLINE

COURSE OUTLINE: RESEARCH REPORT  
CODE NO.: ELR 311 - 3  
PROGRAM: ELECTRICAL/ELECTRONIC TECHNOLOGY  
SEMESTER: SIX  
DATE: JANUARY 1990  
PREVIOUS  
OUTLINE DATED: 1988  
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*R. McTaggart*  
CHAIRPERSON

90/01/31  
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TOTAL CREDIT HOURS: 45

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PREREQUISITE(S):

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PHILOSOPHY/GOALS:

THE RESEARCH REPORT IS INTENDED TO DEMONSTRATE THAT THE STUDENTS CAN FUNCTION AT THE ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY LEVEL. THE PROJECT MAY BE A HARDWARE OR SOFTWARE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT OR OTHER APPROPRIATE RESEARCH AS AGREED UPON BY A FACULTY ADVISOR.

STUDENT PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES:

UPON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THIS COURSE, THE STUDENT WILL BE ABLE TO:

- 1) RESEARCH AND PREPARE A DETAILED TECHNICAL REPORT.
- 2) DEMONSTRATE GOOD PROJECT MANAGEMENT SKILLS.
- 3) DESIGN, BUILD AND DEMONSTRATE A TECHNICAL PROJECT (IF APPLICABLE).

TOPICS TO BE COVERED:

AS APPROVED BY FACULTY ADVISOR.

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**LEARNING ACTIVITIES**

RESEARCH AS REQUIRED BY INDIVIDUAL  
PROJECT/REPORT.

THE STUDENT WILL MAINTAIN A DAILY  
LOGBOOK (PROJECT DIARY) AS A RECORD  
OF PROGRESS.

PERIODIC STATUS REPORTS WILL BE  
SUBMITTED TO THE FACULTY ADVISOR TO  
ENSURE ADEQUATE PROGRESS IS BEING  
MADE TOWARD COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT

**REQUIRED RESOURCES**

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**METHOD(S) OF EVALUATION**

THE FINAL GRADE OF THIS COURSE WILL BE BASED ON EVALUATIONS OF THE STUDENT'S FINAL REPORT, PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION, AND MANAGEMENT SKILLS.

MARKING SCHEME:

FINAL REPORT	50%
FUNCTIONABILITY	25%
DAILY LOG	10%
MANAGEMENT SKILLS	15%

THE GRADING SYSTEM USED WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

A+ = 90 - 100%    A = 80 - 89%    B = 65 - 79%    C = 55 - 64%

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**REQUIRED STUDENT RESOURCES:**

WILL VARY DEPENDING ON INDIVIDUAL PROJECTS.

**ADDITIONAL RESOURCE MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN THE COLLEGE LIBRARY BOOK SECTION:**

**SPECIAL NOTES:**

STUDENTS WILL BE GIVEN A SCHEDULE AND FURTHER DETAILS CONCERNING FORMATS FOR THE FINAL REPORT AND LOGBOOK AFTER GROUP HAS FIRST MEETING.