Faculty of Engineering

COURSE OUTLINE

ELEC 484 – Audio Signal Processing

Term – SUMMER 2015 (201505)

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<th>Instructor</th>
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<td>Dr. Peter Driessen</td>
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Course Objectives
Understand and apply digital signal processing as applied to audio signals.

Learning Outcomes
Able to describe and explain algorithms for audio signal processing
Able to implement, test and evaluate algorithms for audio signal processing using Matlab and other languages

Syllabus
Introduction to digital audio effects and applications. Parametric filters, shelving filters, time-varying filters. Delay structures, delay-based audio effects. Dynamics processing, non-linear processing. Spatial effects, 3D audio, reverberation. Time segment processing, pitch shifting, time stretching. Time-frequency processing, phase vocoder.

Required Text
Title: DAFX Digital Audio Effects
Author: U. Zolzer
Publisher: Wiley
Year: 2010 or 2002

References:
Notes and readings on CourseSpaces site

Assessment:
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<th>Assignments</th>
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<td>Mid-term</td>
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<td>Final Project</td>
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There will be no supplemental examination for this course.

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