

City University of Hong Kong

**Information on a Course
offered by Department of Systems Engineering and Engineering Management
with effect from Semester B in 2011 / 2012**

Part I

Course Title: **Statistical Modeling and Design of Experiments**

Course Code: **SEEM8011**

Course Duration: **One Semester**

No. of Credit Units: **3**

Level: **R8**

Medium of Instruction: **English**

Prerequisites: **Nil**

Precursors: **Knowledge in Basic Probability and Statistics**

Equivalent Courses: **MEEM8011/MEEM8011D/SEEM8011D
Statistical Modeling and Design of Experiments**

Exclusive Courses: **Nil**

Note: Students may repeat a course, or an equivalent course, to improve course grade only if the previous course grade obtained is C or below.

Part II

1. Course Aims:

This course aims to develop students' abilities to understand the theory and application methods on statistical modeling of observational data and design of experiment data, including linear models, regression models, and analysis of variance models.

2. Course Intended Learning Outcomes (CILOs):

Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to:

| No. | CILOs | Weighting* (if applicable) |
|-----|--|-------------------------------|
| 1. | Develop a familiarity with basic statistical estimation and hypothesis testing ideas and methods | 1 |
| 2. | Understand simple and multiple linear regression models and corresponding inference methods for process characterization and prediction. | 3 |
| 3. | Understand motivations and needs for design of experiments in manufacturing and other applications. | 1 |
| 4. | Understand design and analysis of experiments methods to characterize and improve systems and processes. | 3 |
| 5. | Understand and apply regression methods and design of experiment methods to analyze and solve real life problems and applications. | 2 |

*Weighting ranging from 1,2,3 to indicate the relative level of importance in an ascending order.

3. Teaching and learning Activities (TLAs)

| Activity Type | Timetabled Activity (Hours per week) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Lecture/Tutorial/Laboratory Mix | Lecture (3) |

| ILO \ TLA | Lecture | Total hours |
|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| CILO 1 | 6 | 6 |
| CILO 2 | 12 | 12 |
| CILO 3 | 3 | 3 |
| CILO 4 | 12 | 12 |
| CILO 5 | 6 | 6 |
| Total | 39 | 39 |

4. Assessment Tasks/Activities (ATs)

Examination duration: Nil

Percentage of coursework, examination, etc.: 100% continuous assessment
(25 % Coursework; 35% Midterm Test; 40% Group Project)

Detailed breakdown is given in the following table:

| CILO No. | Group Work | Individual Coursework | Test | Overall Weighting |
|------------------|------------|-----------------------|------------|-------------------|
| CILO 1 | - | 5 | - | 5 |
| CILO 2 | 10 | 10 | 15 | 35 |
| CILO 3 | 10 | - | 5 | 15 |
| CILO 4 | 10 | 10 | 15 | 35 |
| CILO 5 | 10 | - | - | 10 |
| Total (%) | 40% | 25% | 35% | 100% |

5. Grading of Student Achievement:

Grading Pattern: Standard (A+AA-.....F)

Grade Table

| Letter Grade | Grade Point | Grade Definitions |
|--------------|-------------|-------------------|
| A+ | 4.3 | Excellent |
| A | 4.0 | |
| A- | 3.7 | |
| B+ | 3.3 | Good |
| B | 3.0 | |
| B- | 2.7 | |
| C+ | 2.3 | Adequate |
| C | 2.0 | |
| C- | 1.7 | |
| D | 1.0 | Marginal |
| F | 0.0 | Failure |
| P | - | Pass |

Please refer to the SGS's website for details.

Part III

Keyword Syllabus:

- Statistical estimation and hypothesis testing
- Data collection, data analysis, and model prediction
- Regression modeling and analysis
- Design and analysis of Experiments
- Analysis of Variance modeling
- Process estimation and prediction
- Process characterization and improvement
- Robust design and parameter design

Recommended Reading:

Essential Reading:

Applied Linear Statistical Models by Kutner, Nachtsheim, Neter, and Li, 5th edition, McGraw Hill

Lecture notes

Supplementary Reading:

Nil