

About the course

Course name, Code	HUM101 – Introduction to Engineering
Pre-requisite	-
Credit hours	3
Number Sessions	6
Date, time, place	Lecture: Wednesday 13:00 – 15:00 1-5 Thursday 11:00 – 13:00
Reference	lecture notes

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Objectives

- This course introduces students to the range of engineering disciplines and the engineering method of problem-solving, as well as sustainability and other issues associated with the practice of engineering.
- This introduction is made through a mix of lectures, laboratories.
- Course focuses on improving core engineering problem solving using computer aided tools like Python programming language.

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Part 1: Introduction To Engineering and Technology profession

- Introduction to engineering profession
- Discuss different disciplines/specializations in engineering fields
- Briefly discuss skills and capabilities required by each engineer.
- Briefly discuss engineering supporting personals in Engineering field.

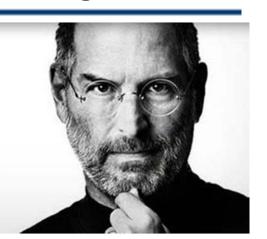
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Part 2: Introduction To Engineering and Technology Tools and Methodologies

Everybody in this country should learn to program a computer... because it teaches you how to think

Steve Jobs, co-founder and CEO of Apple Inc. (1955 - 2011)





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 Python is a high-level general-purpose programming language that can be applied to many different classes of problems

Clean, simple syntax

- Focus on programming skills instead of learning syntax
 Huge standard library
- Work on realistic applications while learning the fundamentals

Uses dynamic typing

- Using a statically typed language seems unnatural (later stage)
 Interactive Interpreter
- Test language features while programming of Engineering

Grading Scheme

item	Grade
final	40
midterm	20
Attendance and participation	10
Laboratories	10
Project/discussion (joint project with BSE104)	20

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