Optoelectronics

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Grading Policy: Homeworks: 20 %, Midterm: 35, % Final: 45 %

Lectures: Mon: 10:40-12:30 FENS L063 and Thu: 11:40-12:30 FENS L035

Course Outline

• Wave nature of light, interference, diffraction theory.

- Optical waveguides, optical fiber transmission basics.
- Semiconductor theory, LED principles.
- Laser basics, semiconductor lasers.
- Photodetector theory.
- Phototovoltaic devices, solar cells.
- Optical modulation, electro-optic effect etc.

Textbook: Optoelectronics and Photonics, Prentice Hall, by S. O. Kasap

Additional Readings:

Fundamentals of Photonics, by B. E. A. Saleh and M. C. Teich Semiconductor Optoelectronic Devices, by P. Bhattacharya Fundamentals of Optoelectronics, by C. R. Pollock

In addition, I will lecture on extra stuff here and there. This course is significantly different than the other electronics classes you had so far, therefore the attendance is important. I will collect attendance sheet. In recitation hours (FENS L030, Mon. 16:40-18:30) there will be demos and/or you will learn how to use the Optical equipment.