

# **Course Specifications**

Course Title:	Pavement Engineering
Course Code: CE 412	
Program: B.Sc. in Civil Engineering	
<b>Department:</b> Civil Engineering	
College: Jubail University College	
Institution: Jubail University College	







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# A. Course Identification

<b>1. Credit hours:</b> 3		
2. Course type		
a. University College Department 🗸 Others		
<b>b.</b> Required Elective		
<b>3. Level/year at which this course is offered:</b> Level 6&7, Third & Fourth Year		
<b>4. Pre-requisites for this course</b> (if any) <b>:</b> CE 318 Transportation Engineering		
<b>5. Co-requisites for this course</b> (if any): None		

#### 6. Mode of Instruction (mark all that apply)

No	Mode of Instruction	<b>Contact Hours</b>	Percentage
1	Traditional classroom	$\checkmark$	100
2	Blended		
3	E-learning		
4	Correspondence		
5	Other		

#### 7. Contact Hours (based on academic semester)

No	Activity	<b>Contact Hours</b>		
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1	Lecture 45			
2	Laboratory/Studio			
3	Tutorial			
4	Others (specify)			
	Total	45		

### **B.** Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes

## **1.** Course Description

#### CE 412 Pavement Engineering (3-0-3)

Prerequisite: CE 318

Introduction to pavement engineering; Soil engineering for highways; Flexible pavement concepts; Flexible pavement design; Rigid pavement concepts; Rigid pavement design; Pavement evaluation, maintenance and management; application of computer software(s) related to pavement engineering.

#### 2. Course Main Objective

The main purpose of this course is to prepare students to introduce the concepts of design, performance, evaluation and maintenance of rigid and flexible pavements.

### 3. Course Learning Outcomes

	CLOs	
1	1 Knowledge and Understanding	
1.1	1.1Define pavements, its types and structural components8	

	CLOs	Aligned PLOs
1.2	Explain the basic engineering properties of soil in the construction of pavements and properties of pavement materials	8
2	Skills	
2.1	Design of asphalt mix for flexible pavement	1
2.2	2.2 Design of flexible and rigid pavement structural components.	
2.3	Evaluate the Failure modes of a flexible and rigid pavements and techniques using in maintenance and management	1
2.4	Design of pavements using computer software	2
3	Values	
	N/A	

# **C.** Course Content

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5.5 Pavement management system ( PMS )         Total         44	45		

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## **D.** Teaching and Assessment

### 1. Alignment of Course Learning Outcomes with Teaching Strategies and Assessment Methods

Code	Course Learning Outcomes	<b>Teaching Strategies</b>	Assessment Methods	
1.0	Knowledge and Understanding			
1.1	Define pavements, its types and structural components		Quiz 1, midterm, assignment1	
1.2	Explain the basic engineering properties of soil in the construction of pavements and properties of pavement materials	•	Quiz 1, Assignment1,midterm, Quiz 2, assignment 2 & final	
2.0	Skills			
2.1	Design of asphalt mix for flexible pavement	Quiz 1, midterm, assignment1		
2.2	Design of flexible and rigid pavement structural components.	Interactive learning	Assignment1,midterm, Quiz 2, assignment 2 & final	
2.3	Evaluate the Failure modes of a flexible and rigid pavements and techniques using in maintenance and management	Self-directed learning Quiz 2, assignment & final		
2.4	Design of pavements using computer software		assignment 2	
3.0	Values			
	N/A			

#### 2. Assessment Tasks for Students

#	Assessment task*	Week Due	Percentage of Total Assessment Score
1	Quiz 1	4	10%
2	Assignment 1	6	10%
3	Mid-term LT	8	20%
4	Quiz 2	12	10%
5	Assignment 2	14	10%
6	Final Exam LT	17-19	40%

\*Assessment task (i.e., written test, oral test, oral presentation, group project, essay, etc.)

#### E. Student Academic Counseling and Support

Arrangements for availability of faculty and teaching staff for individual student consultations and academic advice :

- Office hours 5 hr/week; students can go in times of office hours for teacher to explain what could not be understood from the lesson.
- Students can communicate with a staff member outside the official working hours by email.
- Students are also encouraged to visit their academic advisors.

# F. Learning Resources and Facilities

#### 1. Learning Resources

Required Textbooks	Garber, N. J. and Hoel, L. A. (2010). <i>Traffic and Highway</i> <i>Engineering</i> , USA: Cengage Learning	
Essential References Materials	Myer, K. (2003). Handbook of Transportation Engineering, USA: McGraw-Hill Handbooks <u>Fricker, J.D</u> and <u>Whitford, R.K</u> (2004). Fundamentals of Transportation Engineering, USA: Prentice Hall	
Electronic Materials	None	
Other Learning Materials	Pavement design software	

# **2. Facilities Required**

Item	Resources
Accommodation (Classrooms, laboratories, demonstration rooms/labs, etc.)	Lecture rooms with a capacity of at least 25 students and fitted with multimedia projector and a computer.
<b>Technology Resources</b> (AV, data show, Smart Board, software, etc.)	Pavement design software
Other Resources (Specify, e.g. if specific laboratory equipment is required, list requirements or attach a list)	None

# **G.** Course Quality Evaluation

Evaluation Areas/Issues	Evaluators	<b>Evaluation Methods</b>		
Effectiveness of teaching and assessment as per QMS-Policy-006 Feedback Survey, QMS-QAP-116 Monitoring Students' Satisfaction	Students	Indirect: Analyzing the results of the following surveys Course Evaluation Survey(CES), Program Evaluation Survey (PES), Student Experience Survey (SES)		
Quality of Exam papers and Verifying Standards of Student Achievement as per QMS-Policy- 004 Policy for Examinations and Marking, QMS-ACP-102 Procedure for Marking Examinations	Examination Committee	Direct: Peer review of examination papers and review or double check a minimum of three or 10% of answer papers. Verifying the entries in the Activity Mark Sheet.		
Achievement of learning outcomes as per QMS-Policy-001 Course Review, QMS-CDP-106, QMS-CDP-112	Faculty	Direct: Course Report (Section B-3)		

Evaluation Areas/Issues	Evaluators	<b>Evaluation Methods</b>		
Curriculum Review				
Implementation of the action plans based on previous semester as per QMS-Policy-001 Course Review, QMS-CDP-106 Procedure for Course Review, QMS-CDP-112 Procedure for Curriculum Review	Faculty	Direct and Indirect: Course report (Section G-1, G-2)		
Monitoring Teaching and Learning as per QMS-Policy-005 Monitoring of Teaching and Learning	Chairperson/Program Director/Course Director	Indirect: Feedback by Chairperson/Program director/Course director. Program Delivery Record.		
Effectiveness of planned Teaching Strategies QMS-Policy-001 Course Review	Faculty	Indirect: Course Report (Section B-4)		
Course effectiveness and planning for improvement as per QMS- Policy-001 Course Review, QMS- CDP-106 Procedure for Course Review, QMS- CDP-112 Procedure for Curriculum Review	Faculty	Direct and Indirect: Course report (Section G-3)		
Verifying Standards of Student Achievement and Quality of Exam papers as per QMS-ACP-119 External Assessment Review	Assessment External Reviewer	Direct: Report of assessment external reviewer. Review of sample of ten or 10% of student's assessments and coursework scripts.		

**Evaluation areas** (e.g., Effectiveness of teaching and assessment, Extent of achievement of course learning outcomes, Quality of learning resources, etc.)

**Evaluators** (Students, Faculty, Program Leaders, Peer Reviewer, Others (specify) Assessment Methods (Direct, Indirect)

# H. Specification Approval Data

Council / Committee	Civil Engineering Department Council	
Reference No.	REG MIN-CED-10	
Date	27-04-2020	

#### Appendix A Revision Details

Revision no.	DESCRIPTION	<b>Reference MoMs</b>			
		DC		CDC	
		Sem	#	Sem	#
1	Revision of Course Teaching Strategies and action verbs based on the comments of NCAAA reviewer	392	4	392	4
2	Course Specification Template 2018	402			

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