Course Title: Dynamics **Course Number:** ME 231

3 Hours Credit3 Contact Hours/Week

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Text: Dynamics, 6th Edition, Meriam and Kraige, Wiley, 2007

Course Description: Kinematics of rigid bodies, center of mass, and kinetics of systems of particles. Mass moments of inertia. Kinetics of rigid bodies. Newton's laws, work-energy, and impulse-momentum.

Prerequisites: EF 152, ME 202 **Corequisites:** None **Required Course in ME Curriculum**

Outcomes of Instruction

- The student will be able to analyze motion and loads for systems of particles
- The student will be able to analyze motion and loads for rigid bodies in plane motion.
- The student will be able to apply Newton's laws, work-energy principles and impulsemomentum principles.

Criterion 3 Outcomes

- a) An ability to apply knowledge of mathematics (vector algebra, calculus) and engineering
- e) An ability to identify, formulate and solve engineering problems

Topics Covered

- Kinematics and kinetics of a particle (partly review).
- Kinetics of systems of particles.
- Planar kinematics of rigid bodies.
- Kinetics of rigid bodies in plane motion: Newton's laws, work-energy principles and impulse-momentum principles.