

MATSCEN 3321 (Approved): Modeling and Simulation Lab II

Course Description

An introduction to modeling and simulation techniques appropriate to junior-level study in materials science and engineering.

Transcript Abbreviation: Mod Sim Lab II

Grading Plan: Letter Grade

Course Deliveries: Classroom

Course Levels: Undergrad

Student Ranks: Junior

Course Offerings: Spring

Flex Scheduled Course: Never

Course Frequency: Every Year

Course Length: 14 Week

Credits: 2.0

Repeatable: No

Time Distribution: 2.0 hr Lec

Expected out-of-class hours per week: 4.0

Graded Component: Lecture

Credit by Examination: No

Admission Condition: No

Off Campus: Never

Campus Locations: Columbus

Prerequisites and Co-requisites: Prerequisites: MSE3141, MSE3151, Calculus I & II

Co-requisites: MSE3261, MSE3271

or permission of instructor.

Exclusions:

Cross-Listings:

The course is required for this unit's degrees, majors, and/or minors: Yes

The course is a GEC: No

The course is an elective (for this or other units) or is a service course for other units: No

Subject/CIP Code: 14.1801

Subsidy Level: Baccalaureate Course

Programs

Abbreviation	Description
MATSCEN	Materials Science and Engineering

Course Goals

Visualize phenomena, conduct virtual experiments, and use modeling and simulation techniques that provide quantitative engineering estimates related to material structure, processing, and properties.
Introduce students to transport and kinetics modeling and simulation; elementary case studies.
Introduce students to structural transformations modeling and simulation; elementary case studies.
Introduce students to electronic/optical properties modeling and simulation; elementary case studies.
Introduce students to structural properties modeling and simulation; elementary case studies.
Define limitations to models and simulations and methods by which to assess accuracy.

Course Topics

Topic	Lec	Rec	Lab	Cli	IS	Sem	FE	Wor
Lab A. Introduction to transport and kinetics modeling and simulation: Representative Examples: Steady-state and non-steady-state diffusion; case studies; e.g., MatLab, COMSOL.	7.0							
Lab B. Introduction to structural transformations modeling and simulation: Representative Examples: Prediction of volume fraction of product phase/precipitate during a specified cooling history; case studies; e.g., MatLab, PANDAT/PanPrecipitation.	7.0							
Lab C. Introduction to electronic/optical properties modeling and simulation: Representative Examples: Band structures, optical properties, and simple device structures; case studies; e.g., NanoHub.	7.0							
Lab D: Introduction to structural properties modeling and simulation: Representative Examples: precipitate strengthening; percolation of yield throughout a polycrystal; yield around a crack tip; case studies; e.g., MatLab, COMSOL.	7.0							

Representative Assignments

Lab A: Diffusion processing of a doped semiconductor or carburized gear.
Lab B: Conditions for optimal precipitate distribution.
Lab C: Real-space band structure at a p-n junction as a function of dopant concentration.
Lab D: Elastic stress state around a hole or a crack tip.

Grades

Aspect	Percent
In-class assessment	40%
Homework and Course Projects	60%

Representative Textbooks and Other Course Materials

Title	Author
<i>Manual: Comsol Software</i>	
<i>Manual: PANDAT Software</i>	
<i>NANOHUB Software</i>	
<i>MATLAB Software</i>	

ABET-EAC Criterion 3 Outcomes

Course Contribution		College Outcome
***	a	An ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering.
**	b	An ability to design and conduct experiments, as well as to analyze and interpret data.
**	c	An ability to design a system, component, or process to meet desired needs.

Course Contribution		College Outcome
	d	An ability to function on multi-disciplinary teams.
**	e	An ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems.
	f	An understanding of professional and ethical responsibility.
	g	An ability to communicate effectively.
	h	The broad education necessary to understand the impact of engineering solutions in a global and societal context.
	i	A recognition of the need for, and an ability to engage in life-long learning.
	j	A knowledge of contemporary issues.
***	k	An ability to use the techniques, skills, and modern engineering tools necessary for engineering practice.

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