Cover Sheet: Request 9607

ucc2-SUR3501 Spatial Measurement Systems

Info

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Status	Pending
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Description	combining lecture and lab, revising title and description

Actions

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UCC2: Change Course Transmittal Form

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1.	Prefix SUR	2. Level 3	3. Number 501	4. Lab Code None		
5.	Course Title	Spatial Measurement System	S			
Req	Requested Action					
6.	Effective Term	Earliest Available 7.	Effective Year Earliest Avai	ilable		
8.	Action:	Terminate Course (Skip to item 24 on this form	(Indicat	Other 🛛 te all changes below.)		

If you select "yes" to change any item below, complete the corresponding "current" and "proposed" fields.

Item	Change?	Current	Proposed
9. Course Prefix	Yes 🗌	XXX	XXX
10. Course Level	Yes 🖂	3	4
11. Course Number	Yes 🗌	XXX	XXX
12. Lab Code*	Yes 🖂	Select	С
13. Course Title	Yes 🖂	Spatial Measurement Systems	Foundations of UAS Mapping
14. Transcript Title (21 characters max)	Yes 🖂	Click here to enter transcript title.	FOUNDAT UAS MAPPING
15. Credit Hours*	Yes 🖂	2	3
16. Variable Credit*	Yes 🗌	Min # and max # credits per semester	Min # and max # credits per semester
17. S/U Only	Yes 🗌	Select	Select
18. Contact Type*	Yes 🗌	Select Contact Type	Select Contact Type
19. Rotating Topic	Yes 🗌	Select	Select
20. Repeatable Credit*	Yes 🗌	Select	Select
21. Course Description* (50 words or fewer.)	Yes 🛚	Geodetic instrumentation, azimuth determination by astronomy, geodetic leveling, geodetic coordinate systems and plane projections.	Covers the fundamental components of small unmanned aerial systems (UASs) and how they are used to produce high resolution, spatially accurate, planimetric maps and 3-D models of the terrain.
22. Prerequisites	Yes 🗌	Click here to enter text.	Click here to enter text.
23. Co-requisites	Yes 🗌	Click here to enter text.	Click here to enter text.

^{*} If the request is for a change in lab code, credit hours, contact type or course description, a syllabus must be attached and the syllabus checklist on the next page of this form must be completed.

24. Rationale and Placement in Curriculum

Combining lecture and lab (see separate request to terminate SUR3501L), updating title and course description. Co-taught with SUR6XXXC Foundations in UAS Mapping (see separate request).

The U	Is Requirements Checklist Iniversity's complete Syllabus Policy can be found at: Iniversity Syllabus Policy can be found at: Iniversity Syllabus Policy can be found at: Iniversity Syllabus Policy Complete Syllabus
The syll	abus of the proposed course must include the following:
	Course title
\boxtimes	Instructor contact information (if applicable, TA information may be listed as TBA)
\boxtimes	Office hours during which students may meet with the instructor and TA (if applicable)
\boxtimes	Course objectives and/or goals
\boxtimes	A weekly course schedule of topics and assignments.
\boxtimes	Methods by which students will be evaluated and their grades determined
	Information on current UF grading policies for assigning grade points. This may be achieved by including a link to the appropriate undergraduate catalog web page: https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx .
\boxtimes	List of all required and recommended textbooks
\boxtimes	Materials and Supplies Fees, if any
	A statement related to class attendance, make-up exams and other work such as: "Requirements for class attendance and make-up exams, assignments, and other work in this course are consistent with university policies that can be found in the online catalog at: https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx ."
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It is rec	ommended that the syllabus contain the following:
	Critical dates for exams or other work
	The university's honesty policy regarding cheating, plagiarism, etc.
	Suggested wording: UF students are bound by The Honor Pledge which states, "We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to hold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honor and integrity by abiding by the Honor Code. On all work submitted for credit by students at the University of Florida, the following pledge is either required or implied: "On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment." The Honor Code (http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/) specifies a number of behaviors that are in violation of this code and the possible sanctions. Furthermore, you are obligated to report any condition that facilitates academic misconduct to appropriate personnel. If you have any questions or concerns, please consult with the instructor or TAs in this class.
	Contact information for the Counseling and Wellness Center: http://www.counseling.ufl.edu/cwc/ , 392-1575; and the University Police Department: 392-1111 or 9-1-1 for emergencies

COURSE SYLLABUS SUR4501C FOUNDATIONS OF UAS MAPPING

M/W 4th Period + M 5-6th Period Spring Semester (3 Credits)

Prerequisites

SUR3103C (or Permission of Instructor)

Instructors

Dr. Grenville Barnes gbarnes@ufl.edu (352) 392 4998 Reed Lab 406B

Dr. Ben Wilkinson benew@ufl.edu (352) 392-3465 Reed Lab 406A

Office Hours – Tuesday 3pm-5pm in Reed Lab 406A (or as arranged)

Course Description and Learning Objectives

Covers the fundamental components of small unmanned aerial systems (UASs) and how they are used to produce high resolution, spatially accurate, planimetric maps and 3-D models of the terrain.

By the end of this course, the student will be able to:

- summarize the history and evolution of UASs
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- summarize the fundamentals of onboard GPS/GNSS and inertial measurements, and their role in airborne navigation and control for UASs
- summarize the fundamental concepts of photogrammetry and Light Detection and Ranging (LiDAR)
- describe standard UAS mapping workflow

Method of Instruction

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Meeting Times and Places

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Course Evaluation

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c)	Weekly on-line quizzes	. 30%
d)	Final project presentation	10%
e)	Final quiz	10%

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- Project 4 GPS/GNSS Static Network
- Project 5 Inertial Navigation System (INS) Assignment
- Project 6 Produce geo-spatial products using a small set of UAS data
- Project 7 Measurements on 3-D Model
- Project 8 Google Earth spatial quality analysis
- Project 9 Lidar model and analysis
- Project 10 Comparison of UAS Processing Software options

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A short weekly quiz covering the main principles, concepts and content of the weekly topic is done on-line outside of class. These are open-book so no proctoring will be necessary.

Final Presentation and Summary Reports (10%)

Each student is given 10 minutes to present a summary of one of the topics or projects completed during the semester. The presentation should include a brief summary of the objective, methodology, data processing, analysis, results and conclusion(s) reached.

Final Quiz (10%)

A final 50 minute quiz will be given on the last Wednesday class of the semester in RLA 402, an REC, or at some other instructor-approved site. This quiz covers the concepts and principles associated with the topics covered during the semester and will comprise thirty multiple-choice and true-false questions.

Grade Scale

A 95 -100%

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For information on current UF policies for assigning grade points, see https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx

Distance Students Complaints

Each online distance learning program has a process for, and will make every attempt to resolve, student complaints within its academic and administrative departments at the program level. See http://distance.ufl.edu/student-complaints for more details.

Weekly Lecture, Project, and Quiz Schedule

Please note that bad weather and/or other unpredictable factors may cause this schedule to change during the semester. Lectures in 302 Reed will be available through Polycom and will also be recorded for distance students who cannot 'attend' those classes. Lab locations are shown below for Gainesville only (*), but will take place on FTL and PC campuses as well at a time to be scheduled by the instructors at those locations. Project deliverables are generally due by midnight on the Sunday following the fieldwork.

Day	Week Activity	Mode	Location			
	Week 1 Jan 6 - 9					
Wed	Topic: History and evolution of UASs	Lecture	302 Reed			
Fri	Online Quiz 1	Quiz				
	Week 2 Jan 12 - 16	_				
Mon Mon	Topic: UAS components and integration Lab: Ground control using total stations (Project 1)	Lecture Fieldwork	302 Reed UF campus*			
Wed	Topic: Process total station data	Lab Work	402 Reed			
Fri	Online Quiz 2	Quiz				
	Week 3 Jan 19 - 23					
Mon	MLK Jr. Day – NO CLASS (Jan 19)					
Wed	Topic: Process total station data	Lab Work	402 Reed*			
	Week 4 Jan 26 - 30					
Mon	Topic: Computation of ground control coordinates and image control using a digital level and total station	Lecture	302 Reed			
Mon	Lab: Complete control survey work	Fieldwork	UF campus*			

Wed	Topic: Process traverse and radial survey data Deliverable: Project 1 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed				
Fri	Online Quiz 3	Quiz					
	Week 5 Feb 2 - 6						
Mon Mon	Topic: GPS/GNSS Lab: GPS Single Point Positioning and DGPS (acquire uncorrected and WAAS-corrected GPS data) (Project 2)	Lecture Fieldwork	302 Reed UF campus*				
Wed	Topic: Analyze and compare accuracy and precision of GPS observations <i>Deliverable:</i> Project 2 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed*				
Fri	Online Quiz 4	Quiz					
	Week 6 Feb 9 - 13						
Mon Mon	Topic: GPS/GNSS Lab: Acquire GPS static baselines and draw obstruction diagrams (Project 3)	Lecture Fieldwork	302 Reed UF campus*				
Wed	Topic: Process differentially corrected GPS baselines using Continuously Operating Reference Stations (CORS) and the Online Positioning User Service (OPUS) <i>Deliverable:</i> Project 3 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed				
Fri	Online Quiz 5	Quiz					
	Week 7 Feb 16 – 20						
Mon	Topic: GPS/GNSS mission planning and networks	Lecture	302 Reed				
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	Lab: Acquire GPS static network data (Project 4)	Fieldwork	UF campus*				
Wed	Lab: Acquire GPS static network data (Project 4) Topic: Process and analyze locally-referenced GPS network Deliverable: Project 4 Report	Fieldwork Lab Work					
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Wed	Topic: Analyze results	Lab Work	402 Reed					
	Deliverable: Project 6 Report							
Fri	Online Quiz 8	Quiz						
	Week 11 Mar 16 – 20							
Mon	Topic: 3-D modeling from stereo-imagery	Lecture	302 Reed					
Mon	Lab: Measurements on provided 3-D model (Project 7)	Fieldwork	402 Reed					
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Wed	Topic: Continue measurements on 3-D model Deliverable: Project 7 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed					
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Fri	Online Quiz 9	Quil						
	Week 12 Mar 21 – 27	-						
Mon	Topic: Spatial Data Sharing using Google Earth (GE)	Lecture	302 Reed					
Mon	Lab: Analyze spatial quality of GE imagery	Lab Work	402 Reed					
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Wed	Topic: Continue analysis of GE Imagery	Lab Work	402 Reed					
	Deliverable: Project 8 Report							
Fri	Online Quiz 10	Quiz						
	Week 13 Mar 30 – April 3	- Quill						
Mon	Topic: Lidar/Laser Scanning	Lecture	302 Reed					
Mon	Lab: Scan terrestrial object and process	Fieldwork	UF campus*					
Wed	Topic: Analyze scanned data	Lab Work	402 Reed					
	Deliverable: Project 9 Report							
Fri	Online Quiz 11	Quiz						
1	Week 14 April 6 - 10							
Mon	Topic: Commercial software options	Lecture	302 Reed					
Mon	Lab: Research and analyze different options	Lab Work	402 Reed					
Wed	Topic: Continue analysis	Lab Work	402 Reed					
	Deliverable: Project 10 Report							
Fri	Online Quiz 12	Quiz						
1771	Week 15 April 13 - 17	Quiz						
Mon	Topic: How to make a good presentation	Lecture	302 Reed					
Mon	Lab: Presentation preparation	Lab Work	402 Reed					
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Wed	Topic: Presentation preparation	Lab Work	402 Reed					
	Week 16 April 20 - 22							
Mon	Topic: Final student presentations	Present	302 Reed					
Mon	Lab: Final student presentation (3-6 pm)							
Wed	Topic: Final on-line Quiz	Quiz						

Online Course Evaluation Process

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Software Use

All faculty, staff and students of the university are required and expected to obey the laws and legal agreements governing software use. Failure to do so can lead to monetary damages and/or criminal penalties for the individual violator. Because such violations are also against university policies and rules, disciplinary action will be taken as appropriate.

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0001 Reid Hall, 352-392-8565, www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/

Campus Helping Resources

Students experiencing crises or personal problems that interfere with their general well-being are encouraged to utilize the university's counseling resources. The Counseling & Wellness Center provides confidential counseling services at no cost for currently enrolled students. Resources are available on campus for students having personal problems or lacking clear career or academic goals, which interfere with their academic performance.

• University Counseling & Wellness Center, 3190 Radio Road, 352-392-1575, www.counseling.ufl.edu/cwc/

Counseling Services Groups and Workshops Outreach and Consultation Self-Help Library Wellness Coaching

• Career Resource Center, First Floor JWRU, 392-1601, www.crc.ufl.edu/

Other Requirements

Cellular phones must be silenced during class. They may be used in field sessions for field work communication pertaining to this course work only.

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For information on current UF policies for assigning grade points, see https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx

Distance Students Complaints

Each online distance learning program has a process for, and will make every attempt to resolve, student complaints within its academic and administrative departments at the program level. See http://distance.ufl.edu/student-complaints for more details.

Weekly Lecture, Project, and Quiz Schedule

Please note that bad weather and/or other unpredictable factors may cause this schedule to change during the semester. Lectures in 302 Reed will be available through Polycom and will also be recorded for distance students who cannot 'attend' those classes. Lab locations are shown below for Gainesville only (*), but will take place on FTL and PC campuses as well at a time to be scheduled by the instructors at those locations. Project deliverables are generally due by midnight on the Sunday following the fieldwork.

Day	Week Activity	Mode	Location				
	Week 1 Jan 6 - 9						
Wed	Topic: History and evolution of UASs	Lecture	302 Reed				
Fri	Online Quiz 1	Quiz					
	Week 2 Jan 12 - 16						
Mon Mon	Topic: UAS components and integration Lab: Ground control using total stations (Project 1)	Lecture Fieldwork	302 Reed UF campus*				
Wed	Topic: Process total station data	Lab Work	402 Reed				
Fri	Online Quiz 2	Quiz					
	Week 3 Jan 19 - 23						
Mon	MLK Jr. Day – NO CLASS (Jan 19)						
Wed	Topic: Process total station data	Lab Work	402 Reed*				
	Week 4 Jan 26 - 30						

Mon	Topic: Computation of ground control coordinates and	Lecture	302 Reed		
	image control using a digital level and total station				
Mon	Lab: Complete control survey work	Fieldwork	UF campus*		
Wed	Topic: Process traverse and radial survey data <i>Deliverable:</i> Project 1 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed		
Fri	Online Quiz 3	Quiz			
Week 5 Feb 2 - 6					
Mon	Topic: GPS/GNSS	Lecture	302 Reed		
Mon	Lab: GPS Single Point Positioning and DGPS (acquire uncorrected and WAAS-corrected GPS data) (Project 2)	Fieldwork	UF campus*		
Wed	Topic: Analyze and compare accuracy and precision of GPS observations <i>Deliverable:</i> Project 2 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed*		
Fri	Online Quiz 4	Quiz			
	Week 6 Feb 9 - 13				
Mon	Topic: GPS/GNSS	Lecture	302 Reed		
Mon	Lab: Acquire GPS static baselines and draw obstruction diagrams (Project 3)	Fieldwork	UF campus*		
Wed	Topic: Process differentially corrected GPS baselines using Continuously Operating Reference Stations (CORS) and the Online Positioning User Service (OPUS) <i>Deliverable:</i> Project 3 Report	Lab Work	402 Reed		
Fri	Online Quiz 5	Quiz			
	Week 7 Feb 16 – 20				
Mon Mon	Topic: GPS/GNSS mission planning and networks Lab: Acquire GPS static network data (Project 4)	Lecture Fieldwork	302 Reed UF campus*		
Wed	Topic: Process and analyze locally-referenced GPS network	Lab Work	402 Reed		
	Deliverable: Project 4 Report				
Fri	Online Quiz 6	Quiz			
	Week 8 Feb 23 - 27				
Mon	Topic: Inertial navigation systems – INS	Lecture	302 Reed		
Mon	Lab: INS Project (Project 5)	Field/Lab	UF campus*		
Wed	Topic: Analyze results	Lab Work	402 Reed		
	Deliverable: Project 5 Report				
Fri	Online Quiz 7	Quiz			
Week 9 Mar 2 – 6 Spring Break					
Week 10 Mar 9 – 13					

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Mon	Topic: UAS Work Flow	Lecture	302 Reed		
Mon	Lab: Process small set of UAS-based imagery (Project 6)	Lab Work	402 Reed		
Wed	Topic: Analyze results	Lab Work	402 Reed		
	Deliverable: Project 6 Report				
Fri	Online Quiz 8	Quiz			
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	Week 11 Mar 16 – 20	•	2027		
Mon	Topic: 3-D modeling from stereo-imagery	Lecture	302 Reed		
Mon	Lab: Measurements on provided 3-D model (Project 7)	Fieldwork	402 Reed		
Wed	Topic: Continue measurements on 3-D model	Lab Work	402 Reed		
	Deliverable: Project 7 Report				
		Quiz			
Fri	Online Quiz 9				
Week 12 Mar 21 – 27					
Mon	Topic: Spatial Data Sharing using Google Earth (GE)	Lecture	302 Reed		
Mon	Lab: Analyze spatial quality of GE imagery	Lab Work	402 Reed		
Wed	Topic: Continue analysis of GE Imagery	Lab Work	402 Reed		
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Online Course Evaluation Process

Student assessment of instruction is an important part of efforts to improve teaching and learning. At the end of the semester, students are expected to provide feedback on the quality of instruction in this course using a standard set of university and college criteria. These evaluations are conducted online at https://evaluations.ufl.edu. Evaluations are typically open for students to complete during the last two or three weeks of the semester; students will be notified of the specific times when they are open. Summary results of these assessments are available to students at https://evaluations.ufl.edu/results.

UF Academic Honesty

As a student at the University of Florida, you have committed yourself to uphold the Honor Code, which includes the following pledge: "We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to hold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honesty and integrity." You are expected to exhibit behavior consistent with this commitment to the UF academic community, and on all work submitted for credit at the University of Florida, the following pledge is either required or implied: "On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment."

It is assumed that you will complete all work independently in each course unless the instructor provides explicit permission for you to collaborate on course tasks (e.g. assignments, papers, quizzes, exams). Furthermore, as part of your obligation to uphold the Honor Code, you should report any condition that facilitates academic misconduct to appropriate personnel. It is your individual responsibility to know and comply with all university policies and procedures regarding academic integrity and the Student Honor Code. Violations of the Honor Code at the University of Florida will not be tolerated. Violations will be reported to the Dean of Students Office for consideration of disciplinary action. For more information regarding the Student Honor Code, please see: http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code.

Software Use

All faculty, staff and students of the university are required and expected to obey the laws and legal agreements governing software use. Failure to do so can lead to monetary damages and/or criminal penalties for the individual violator. Because such violations are also against university policies and rules, disciplinary action will be taken as appropriate.

Services for Students with Disabilities

The Disability Resource Center coordinates the needed accommodations of students with disabilities. This includes registering disabilities, recommending academic accommodations within the classroom, accessing special adaptive computer equipment, providing interpretation services and mediating faculty-student disability related issues. Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the Instructor when requesting accommodation

0001 Reid Hall, 352-392-8565, www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/

Campus Helping Resources

Students experiencing crises or personal problems that interfere with their general well-being are encouraged to utilize the university's counseling resources. The Counseling & Wellness Center provides confidential counseling services at no cost for currently enrolled students. Resources are available on campus for students having personal problems or lacking clear career or academic goals, which interfere with their academic performance.

 University Counseling & Wellness Center, 3190 Radio Road, 352-392-1575, www.counseling.ufl.edu/cwc/

Counseling Services Groups and Workshops Outreach and Consultation Self-Help Library Wellness Coaching

• Career Resource Center, First Floor JWRU, 392-1601, www.crc.ufl.edu/

Other Requirements

Cellular phones must be silenced during class. They may be used in field sessions for field work communication pertaining to this course work only.



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September 3, 2014

Dear Curriculum Committee:

RE: Undergraduate/graduate differentiation in dual enrolled SUR3501C/SUR6XXXC Foundations of UAS Mapping

We appreciate your consideration of the undergraduate and graduate sections of *Foundations of UAS Mapping* for formal approval and assignment of a course number. The course is co-taught – designed for upper division (junior and senior) undergraduates or early stage graduate students.

Graduate students are required to provide a longer and more in-depth presentation which is required to include analysis beyond what was required in the weekly projects (e.g. comparative analysis of results from more than one project that compares different technologies or techniques). In addition, the final quiz will be at a higher level than the final quiz given to the undergraduates.

Sincerely,

Grenville Barnes

Professor

Ben Wilkinson Assistant Professor