

ES2D1-15 Manufacturing Engineering Design

23/24

Department

School of Engineering

Level

Undergraduate Level 2

Module leader

Helen Neal

Credit value

15

Module duration

12 weeks

Assessment

100% coursework

Study location

University of Warwick main campus, Coventry

Description

Introductory description

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Module aims

This module will develop strategies to identify product requirements, identify design constraints, think creatively, solve problems, identify solutions and foster a holistic approach between design and manufacturing.

Outline syllabus

This is an indicative module outline only to give an indication of the sort of topics that may be covered. Actual sessions held may differ.

- Manufacturing design strategy
- Manufacturing design criteria
- Creative design practices

- Risk reduction
- Cost reduction through manufacture
- Design review
- Management role

Learning outcomes

By the end of the module, students should be able to:

- Use computational tools to aid in decision making processes of design and identify which process parameters influence variation in final product characteristics.
- Identify which design features really matter and how to modify a design to give it greater robustness against variation in the manufacturing process.
- Apply risk reduction techniques at the design stages to reduce manufacturing and assembly problems.
- Appreciate and apply the principles of value analysis for design for manufacture (DFM) and design for assembly (DFA) to identify opportunities for cost reduction.
- Apply software simulation and programming tools in the analysis of functional components.
- Function as part of a team and demonstrate understanding of the importance of personal and shared responsibility, teamwork, and communication e.g. by producing professional quality design documentation.

Indicative reading list

- Product Design for Manufacture and Assembly, 3rd edition 2011, Boothroyd, Dewhurst & Knight, CRC Press
- Shigley's Mechanical Engineering Design, 10th edition 2014, Budynas and Nisbett, McGraw-Hill Higher Education
- Form, structure and Mechanism, M.J.French 2012, Springer
- Engineering Design a systematic approach, Pahl, Beitz, Feldhusen and Grote, 3rd edition 2007, Springer
- Product design, Otto and Wood, 2001, Pearson

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Subject specific skills

Plan and manage the design process, including cost drivers, evaluating outcomes, and working with technical uncertainty.

Ability to apply relevant practical and laboratory skills.

Transferable skills

Communicate (written and oral; to technical and non-technical audiences) and work with others. Overcome difficulties by employing skills, knowledge and understanding in a flexible manner Exercise initiative and personal responsibility, including time management, which may be as a team member or leader

Study

Study time

Type	Required
Lectures	5 sessions of 1 hour (3%)
Seminars	10 sessions of 2 hours (13%)
Practical classes	5 sessions of 1 hour (3%)
Supervised practical classes	4 sessions of 4 hours (11%)
Private study	104 hours (69%)
Total	150 hours

Private study description

104 hrs Guided independent learning

Costs

Category	Description	Funded by	Cost to student
Equipment and project costs	Materials for manufacturing models for group projects.	Department	£0.00

Assessment

You must pass all assessment components to pass the module.

Assessment group A3

	Weighting	Study time
Group Design Report 1,000 words plus portfolio - total max 30 pages, to include peer assessment	50%	
Individual Design Proposal 1,000 words plus portfolio - total max 10 pages	50%	

Feedback on assessment

Written feedback on group design reports.

In session feedback of developing design.

Group feedback on performance tests.

Availability

Courses

This module is Core for:

- Year 2 of UESA-H335 BEng Automotive Engineering
- Year 2 of UESA-HH75 BEng Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering
- Year 2 of UESA-H336 MEng Automotive Engineering
- Year 2 of UESA-HH76 MEng Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering

This module is Option list A for:

- Year 2 of UESA-H113 BEng Engineering
- Year 2 of UESA-HN15 BEng Engineering Business Management
- UESA-H112 BSc Engineering
 - Year 2 of H112 Engineering
 - Year 2 of H112 Engineering
- Year 2 of UESA-HN11 BSc Engineering and Business Studies
- Year 2 of UESA-H114 MEng Engineering