March 2017 Undergraduate Newsletter – 2nd Year Students

**IMPORTANT DATES:** Bookmark the ‘Sessional Dates’ from the 2016–17 Academic Calendar for ALL dates & deadlines.

- **March 13**
  - Last day for students to transfer to part-time studies.
  - Last day for students to withdraw from S Session
  - Last day for students to apply to re-enrol for 2017 Fall Session

- **April 4 – 6**
  - Design Fair (6:30 pm – 9 pm in SFB520 and GB040)

- **April 7**
  - Final Design Showcase (12 pm – 2:30 pm in Bahen Atrium)

- **April 13**
  - ECE Year-End BBQ
  - Last day for engineering lectures in S Session; All session work should be submitted by this date

- **April 14**
  - Good Friday (University closed)

- **April 17 - 28**
  - S and Y Session examinations *(April 28 is reserved for examinations postponed by general emergency)*

**MAGELLAN COURSE PRE-REGISTRATION:** Pre-registration ended February 1st.

Main profiles are now LOCKED until July. During this time, you will not be able to revise your main profile *(which is the profile we use)*. Alternate profiles can be created for testing purposes. **ECO courses on valid main profiles** will be considered for pre-registration. Click [here](#) for information sent out regarding valid / invalid profiles. Main profiles will then be unlocked in July. **Any changes you make to main profiles after they are unlocked, will not upload as they will not include pre-registered information.**

- The courses you select now are not locked in forever. You can make changes to your course selection when registration opens on ACORN *(space permitting as any changes would not have been included in pre-registration numbers)*. Remember to test out any possible changes on Magellan first to see if you still meet program and CEAB requirements.

- Conflicts are unavoidable with a flexible curriculum. Magellan will not guarantee a conflict-free schedule.

**DESIGN FAIR:** ECE Design Projects will be on display for your viewing: **Tuesday, April 4 – Thursday, April 6 from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm** in SFB520 (Design Centre) and GB040 (Energy Systems Lab). The Final Design Project Showcase will be on **Friday, April 7 from 12:00 pm to 2:30 pm** in the Bahen Atrium.

**EXAM SCHEDULE:** The winter 2017 session exam schedule will be available on the Registrar’s website. **Important:** It is your responsibility to check the exam timetable carefully for date, time and location to ensure that you do not miss the opportunity to write your final exams. **This information is subject to change.** Please review the schedule often for changes. Additionally, you should be familiar with the Faculty’s academic regulations on final exams, which are located in the [Academic Calendar](#).

**YEAR-END BBQ:** Save the Date! The ECE Undergraduate Office is hosting the year-end BBQ on **Thursday, April 13, 2017 from 12:00 to 1:30 pm** (or until food runs out!).

**PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT:** Students are required to have completed a total of 600 hours of acceptable practical experience as part of their ECE program requirements (normally during their summer vacation periods). Don’t forget to submit your 600 hours forms as soon as they have been completed! More information, as well as a form-fillable Practical Experience Requirement (PER) form can be found [here](#).
### SUMMER 2017 COURSE INFORMATION

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<td>Registration <strong>BEGINS</strong> for T-Program and Engineering Minor Courses (ex. JRE) Keep checking the Registrar’s website for the <strong>summer 2017 course timetable</strong></td>
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<td>Registration <strong>BEGINS</strong> for Arts &amp; Science courses (<a href="#">A&amp;S Summer 2017 Timetable</a>) The list of approved complementary studies (CS) / Humanities &amp; Social Science (HSS) electives is available on the Faculty Registrar’s website. Please refer to it prior to selecting any A&amp;S courses. Click <a href="#">here</a> for the approved listing. <strong>SHORT CS AUs?</strong> The ECE UG website has a list of courses that has more than the standard <strong>30 CS AUs</strong>. Click <a href="#">here</a> for the listing (<a href="#">scroll to the bottom of the page</a>).</td>
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**Useful Links**  Bookmark [this link](#) to find useful websites (600 hours, academic calendar, timetables, fees, minors, etc.).

**QUESTIONS?** Looking for additional information?  E-mail us or drop by the Undergraduate Office (SFB600) during our drop-in hours for assistance.

**Your ECE Undergraduate Office Team!**

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