

News from the ECE Dept:

This Fall semester we are welcoming five new faculty: Dr. Aaron Becker, Dr. Ryan Canolty, Dr. Jinghong Chen, Dr. Felicity Fu, and Dr. David Mayerich. At the same time we would like to thank Dr. Charlson who will be retiring at the end of the summer for his exemplary service to our dept.

The ECE department has **revised both the Electrical and the Computer Engineering Curricula**. You can find the new 2014-15 flowcharts at <http://www.ee.uh.edu/undergraduate/degree-programs-courses-curriculum>. Students who started their studies in in the ECE dept. in Fall of 2014 have to follow the new (2014-15) degree plans. Students who were admitted earlier can either stay with the older degree plan or, if they wish, follow the new ones. Transition guidelines as well as other information and forms for the new degree plans have been posted at <http://www.ee.uh.edu/undergraduate/advising>. Students who are finishing the first two years of their studies that form the ECE base **and** are enrolled in ECE 3331, ECE 3337 or ECE 4436 will have a hold on their registration so that they go through required advising. They will have to choose a concentration area and an advisor in their area and submit the Degree Plan Form signed by the advisor before they can enroll. There have also been **prerequisite changes** for many ECE courses which can be found at <http://www.ee.uh.edu/undergraduate/advising>. All students in both the old or new degree plans have to follow the new prerequisites.

Three Capstone design awards were presented at the "2014 Capstone Design Conference" to three teams who demonstrated outstanding overall performance in completing their senior design projects.

Congratulations to the teams of

1) *Ryan Murphy, Ramiro Lozano, Jesus Tamez Duque and Rebeca Cobian* who received the "**Schlumberger Capstone Design**" award.

2) *Richard Allen Hooks, Emin Elmar Mamedow, Cemil Toygan Ozyalcin and Jonathan Silva* who received the "**Agilent Capstone Design**" award and
3) *Anthony Eshareturi, Gavin Guy, Karen Jordan and Andres Michel* who received the "**ECE Capstone Design**" award.

Congratulations to *Ramon Montano* who received the **College of Engineering Outstanding Honors Thesis award** for his work with transparent antennas for cube satellites.

Dates to Remember:

- *First day of Class: 8/25*
- *Last day to ADD CLASS: 9/2*
- *Last day to DROP or Withdraw w/out a grade: Wednesday 9/10*
- *Last day to DROP with a "W": Friday 10/31*

For graduating seniors:

- *Engineering Career Fair: 9/12*
- *Last day to register for Graduation: 10/3*
- *Late registration period for Graduation: 10/4– 10/31*
- *Graduation: 12/19*

Welcome ECE Students!

Have questions, concerns? Contact us!

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