

# FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY™

## Graduate Programs—NEW COURSE PROPOSAL<sup>1</sup>

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DEPARTMENT: CEECS COLLEGE: ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

RECOMMENDED COURSE IDENTIFICATION:  
 PREFIX \_\_\_\_\_ CNT \_\_\_\_\_ COURSE NUMBER 6106 LAB CODE (L or C) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (TO OBTAIN A COURSE NUMBER, CONTACT [M.JENNING@FAU.EDU](mailto:M.JENNING@FAU.EDU))  
 COMPLETE COURSE TITLE: VEHICULAR NETWORKS



CREDITS<sup>2</sup>: 3 TEXTBOOK INFORMATION:  
**VEHICULAR NETWORKS FROM THEORY TO PRACTICE**, OLARIU, STEPHAN (EDITOR) AND WEIGLE, MICHELE C. (EDITOR),  
 CHAPMAN & HALL/CRC PRESS 2008, ISBN: 1420085883

GRADING (SELECT ONLY ONE GRADING OPTION): REGULAR  SATISFACTORY/UNSATISFACTORY \_\_\_\_\_

COURSE DESCRIPTION, NO MORE THAN THREE LINES:  
 A STUDY OF VEHICULAR AD HOC NETWORKS ROUTING AND MAC PROTOCOLS, BROADCAST PROTOCOLS, APPLICATIONS, AND PERFORMANCE MODELING.

<b>PREREQUISITES*:</b> CNT 4104 INTRODUCTION TO DATA COMMUNICATIONS OR AN EQUIVALENT NETWORKING COURSE	<b>COREQUISITES*:</b> N/A	<b>REGISTRATION CONTROLS (MAJOR, COLLEGE, LEVEL)*:</b> GRADUATES IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING, COMPUTER SCIENCE, AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING.
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\* PREREQUISITES, COREQUISITES AND REGISTRATION CONTROLS WILL BE ENFORCED FOR ALL COURSE SECTIONS.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED TO TEACH THIS COURSE: PH.D.

Faculty contact, email and complete phone number:  Imad Mahgoub – <a href="mailto:mahgoubi@fau.edu">mahgoubi@fau.edu</a> – 561-297-3458	Please consult and list departments that might be affected by the new course and attach comments. <sup>3</sup>  N/A
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<b>Approved by:</b> Department Chair: <u>Mustafa Erdol</u> College Curriculum Chair: <u>Walter T. O'Neil</u> College Dean: <u>[Signature]</u> UGPC Chair: <u>[Signature]</u> Graduate College Dean: <u>[Signature]</u> UFS President: _____ Provost: _____	<b>Date:</b> <u>11/27/13</u> <u>11/27/13</u> <u>12/20/13</u> <u>1/21/14</u> <u>1-29-14</u>	1. Syllabus must be attached; see guidelines for requirements: <a href="http://www.fau.edu/provost/files/course_syllabus.2011.pdf">www.fau.edu/provost/files/course_syllabus.2011.pdf</a>  2. Review Provost Memorandum: <b>Definition of a Credit Hour</b> <a href="http://www.fau.edu/provost/files/Definition_Credit_Hour_Memo_2012.pdf">www.fau.edu/provost/files/Definition_Credit_Hour_Memo_2012.pdf</a>  3. Consent from affected departments (attach if necessary)
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Email this form and syllabus to [UGPC@fau.edu](mailto:UGPC@fau.edu) one week before the University Graduate Programs Committee meeting so that materials may be viewed on the UGPC website prior to the meeting.

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<b>1. Course title/number, number of credit hours</b>	
Vehicular Networks – CNT <del>6106</del> <b>6106</b>	3 credit hours
<b>2. Course prerequisites and corequisites</b>	
Prerequisites: CNT 4104 Introduction to Data Communications or an equivalent networking course Corequisites: N/A	
<b>3. Course logistics</b>	
<i>Term:</i> This is a classroom lecture course. It is research-oriented Class location and time: TBD	
<b>4. Instructor contact information</b>	
<i>Instructor's name</i>	Dr. I. Mahgoub, Professor
<i>Office address</i>	Engineering East Bldg., Room 421
<i>Office Hours</i>	TBD
<i>Contact telephone number</i>	561-297-3458
<i>Email address</i>	<a href="mailto:mahgoubi@fau.edu">mahgoubi@fau.edu</a>
<b>5. TA contact information</b>	
N/A	
<b>6. Course description</b>	
A study of vehicular networks routing and MAC protocols, broadcast protocols, applications, and performance modeling.	
<b>7. Course objectives/student learning outcomes</b>	
To develop an understanding of the basic concepts of vehicular networks and their communications protocols and to examine the technical challenges encountered in the deployment of these networks.	
<b>8. Course evaluation method</b>	
Test1	30%
Test2	35%
Project	35%
<b>9. Course grading scale</b>	
Grading Scale: 90 and above: "A", 87-89: "A-", 83-86: "B+", 80-82: "B", 77-79: "B-", 73-76: "C+", 70-72: "C", 67-69: "C-", 63-66: "D+", 60-62: "D", 51-59: "D-", 50 and below: "F."	

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<b>10. Policy on makeup tests, late work, and incompletes</b>
<p><i>Makeup tests</i> are given only if there is solid evidence of a medical or otherwise serious emergency that prevented the student from participating in the exam. Makeup exam should be administered and proctored by department personnel unless there are other pre-approved arrangements</p> <p><i>Late work</i> is not acceptable.</p> <p>A <i>grade of incomplete</i> will be assigned only in the case of solid evidence of medical or otherwise serious emergency situation.</p>
<b>11. Special course requirements</b>
None
<b>12. Classroom etiquette policy</b>
University policy requires that in order to enhance and maintain a productive atmosphere for education, personal communication devices, such as cellular phones and laptops, are to be disabled in class sessions.
<b>13. Disability policy statement</b>
<p>In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), students who require special accommodations due to a disability to properly execute coursework must register with the Office for Students with Disabilities (OSD) located in Boca Raton campus, SU 133 (561) 297-3880 and follow all OSD procedures.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">URL to be added.</p>
<b>14. Honor code policy</b>
<p>Students at Florida Atlantic University are expected to maintain the highest ethical standards. Academic dishonesty is considered a serious breach of these ethical standards, because it interferes with the university mission to provide a high quality education in which no student enjoys unfair advantage over any other. Academic dishonesty is also destructive of the university community, which is grounded in a system of mutual trust and place high value on personal integrity and individual responsibility. Harsh penalties are associated with academic dishonesty. See University Regulation 4.001 at <a href="http://www.fau.edu/regulations/chapter4/4.001_Code_of_Academic_Integrity.pdf">www.fau.edu/regulations/chapter4/4.001_Code_of_Academic_Integrity.pdf</a></p>
<b>15. Required texts/reading</b>
<i>Vehicular Networks from Theory to Practice</i> , Olariu, Stephan (Editor) and Weigle, Michele C. (Editor), Chapman & Hall/CRC Press 2008, ISBN: 1420085883
<b>16. Supplementary/recommended readings</b>
The textbook is supplemented by research articles posted on Blackboard under course Content.

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<b>17. Course topical outline, including dates for exams/quizzes, papers, completion of reading</b>		
<u>Lecture Topics</u>	<u>Approximate # of 1.5 hr. Lectures</u>	
1. Introduction	2	
2. WAVE Standard	3	
3. Vehicle Localization	1	
4. Routing protocols	3	
5. Broadcast protocols	3	
6. Geo-cast protocols	1	
7. Aggregation	2	
8. MAC protocols	2	
9. Scalability issues	2	
10. Privacy and security issues	3	
11. Performance modeling	3	
12. Applications	3	
13. Tests	2	
Exam Dates: TBD		