**College of Engineering** 



Department of Civil Engineering

## **CE 449 Introduction to Solid Waste Management**

Credit and Contact hours	3 / 3 (Lectures), 1 (Tutorials), 0 (Laboratory)		
Required, or Elective	Elective for a BSCE degree		
Course Description	Municipal solidwaste generation, characteristics and generation rates - Reuse and recycling of municipal solidwaste -Solidwaste Management – Collection and transport – Material recovery facilities – Transfer stations – Methods of municipal solidwaste disposal including sanitary landfilling – Hazardous solidwastes and disposal processes.		
Prerequisites or Co-requisites	CE 447 (Water Supply and Drainage Systems), CE 448 (Water and Wastewater Treatment)		
Course Learning Outcomes	Students completing this course successfully will be able to Course Learning Outcomes	Related Student Outcomes (SO)	
	<b>CLO1.</b> Identify key sources, typical quantities generated, composition, and properties of solid and hazardous wastes in order to design and plan Solid Waste Management Program	SO1	
	<b>CLO2.</b> Identify waste disposal and complex transformation technics (landfills and incinerators); due to various physical, chemical and biological aspects to be able to design Sanitary Landfill	SO1	
	<b>CLO3.</b> design of Modern Solid and Hazardous Waste Landfills with the consideration of relevant regulations that apply for facilities used for disposal, and destruction of waste, public health, in addition to environmental and economics factors	SO2	
	<b>CLO4.</b> Identify new trends in Recycling of Solid Waste. reuse options, and applications for energy recovery (through literature review – report)	SO7	
Student Outcomes related to this Course	<b>SO 1.</b> an ability to <u>identify</u> , <u>formulate</u> , and <u>solve complex engineering</u> problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics, and using <u>modern engineering tools</u> [ABET 1].		

	<ul> <li>SO 2. an ability to apply <u>engineering design</u> to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of <u>public health</u>, <u>safety</u>, and <u>welfare</u>, as well as <b>global</b>, <b>cultural</b>, <u>social</u>, <u>environmental</u>, <u>and economic factors</u>. [ABET 2]</li> <li>SO 7. an ability to acquire and apply new knowledge as needed, using appropriate learning strategies. [ABET 7]</li> </ul>		
Topics Covered	List of Topics	Related CLOs	
Topics Covered	<ol> <li>Introduction to solid waste management</li> <li>Sources and types of solid wastes;</li> <li>Physical and sherring properties of solid wastes;</li> </ol>	CLO 1 CLO 1	
	<ul> <li>5. Physical and chemical properties of solid wastes;</li> <li>4. Solid wastes generation:</li> </ul>	$\frac{\text{CLO }2}{\text{CLO }2}$	
	5. On-site handling, storage and processing and collection	CLO 3	
	6 Transfer stations and transport (Relevant Regulations):	CLO 3	
	7. Ultimate disposal methods (Relevant Regulations);	CLO 3	
	8. Reuse and Recycling of Solid Waste& Resources and energy recovery;	CLO 4	
	9. Solid Waste disposal – Sanitary Landfill(Design and Operation);	CLO 4	
	10. Hazardous Solid Wastes and Disposal Processes;	CLO 4	
Textbook(s) and Other Required Material	<ol> <li>Handbook of Solid Waste Management, George Tchobanoglous and Frank Kreith, LastEdition, Publisher: McGraw-Hill</li> <li>Solid Waste Management: Principles and Practice, Ramesha Chandrappa,Publisher: Springer;</li> <li>Integrated Solid Waste Management: A Life Cycle Inventory, Forbes R. McDougall, Peter R. White, Marina Franke, Peter Hindle</li> </ol>		
Grading System	Homeworks 10%		
	Project work 10%		
	Two Midterm Exams40%		
	Final Examination 40%		
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