Course syllabus

Basic Information:

Course title (中文): 有機光電材料科學

Course title (English): Materials Science for Organic Optoelectronics

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Language for teaching: English

Class time: M5M6W5 *Location:* DELTA 台達 210

Course Description:

This course is constructively prepared for graduates as well as junior and senior undergraduate students. The course contents consist of materials science required to understand optoelectronic device technology without focusing on devices themselves. Before we explore the fundamentals of optoelectronic devices*, it is prerequisite for us to have fundamental knowledge on materials and their related areas, because optoelectronic devices are composed of interdisciplinary technologies. This course covers quantum chemistry from atoms to molecules, quantum mechanical frameworks for materials science, physics and chemistry of materials including photo-physical processes of molecules, light-matter interactions, molecule-molecule interactions and other materials related topics.

* These matters will be provided in "Organic Optoelectronics: Physics, Materials and Devices" (The course to be offered in the following spring (下) semester); however, the courses in the fall and spring semesters are basically independent.

** It is not required but desirable for students to master "Modern Physics" or other related courses.

*** The course is offered in English.

The class will begin on Sep. 13, Wednesday.

Course materials:

Available on http://lms.nthu.edu.tw

References:

"Concepts of Modern Physics", sixth edition, by Arthur Beiser (Mc Graw Hill);

"Modern Quantum Mechanics", by J.J. Sakurai (Addison-Wesley Publishing Company);

"Organic Electro-Optics and Photonics: Molecules, Polymers and Crystals" by L. R. Dalton (Cambridge Univ. Press); "Optics and Nonlinear Optics of Liquid Crystals", by Iam-Choon Khoo (World Scientific);

"Nonlinear Optics", by Robert W. Boyd (Academic Press) …, etc.

Teaching Method:

Combination of blackboard teaching with power point viewgraphs.

Report presentation by students.

Syllabus:

Session 0: Introduction – Course guide –

Session 1 – 5: Introduction to chemical bonding theory

- ☐ From atoms to molecules (Computational chemistry)
- ☐ Valence bond theory
- ☐ Molecular orbital theory
- ☐ Quantization of molecular motions
- ☐ Energy structures

Session 6 – 7(8): Perturbation theory

- ☐ Time-independent
- ☐ Time dependent

Session 8 – 10: Symmetry of molecules

- ☐ Symmetry operations and elements
- ☐ Use of point group
- ☐ Group theory

Session 11 – 12(13): Metal complexes

- ☐ Crystal field theory
- ☐ Ligand field theory

Session (13)14 – 15: Photo-physics of molecules

- ☐ Light-matter interactions
- ☐ Photo-physical processes
- ☐ Born-Oppenheimer approximation

Session 16: From molecules to materials

- ☐ Molecule–molecule interactions
- ☐ Molecular orientation and its related topics …etc.

Session 17: Final

**** The contents and plans will be appropriately changed and adjusted during the course.

***** Exams may be replaced with report works.

Grading:

Midterm exam (30%), Final exam including a report and presentation (40%), Homework and class attendance and participation (30%)

****** This may be adjusted in the end of the semester.