



**THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY**  
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

# Bioelectromagnetics

## ECE 6011

**Credit Hours:**

3.00

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**Course Levels:**

Graduate (5000-8000 level)

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**Course Components:**

Lecture

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**Course Description:**

This course provides an introduction to the interdisciplinary field of bioelectromagnetics for graduate students. Lectures cover the interaction of electromagnetic fields with biological tissues across the frequency spectrum; bioelectromagnetic dosimetry; and various applications of bioelectromagnetics (medical, consumer, and more).

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**Prerequisites and Co-requisites:**

Prereq: Grad standing in Engineering, Biological Sciences, Mathematical and Physical Sciences; or permission of instructor.

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**Course Goals / Objectives:**

- Become familiar with electromagnetic field interactions with the human body.
  - Become familiar with bioelectromagnetic dosimetry.
  - Be exposed to medical and other applications of bioelectromagnetics.
  - Be competent in identifying and critically reading the state-of-the-art literature.
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**Course Topics:**

- Basic Concepts: history, electromagnetic fields, properties of biological tissues, examples, definitions
  - Bioelectromagnetics at DC and extremely low frequencies
  - Bioelectromagnetics at Radio-Frequencies
  - Bioelectromagnetics at THz and beyond
  - Bioelectromagnetic dosimetry
  - Applications: communications, sensing, stimulation, powering, hyperthermia, imaging, wearables, implants
  - In-class discussions on homework assignments
  - Final project presentations
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**Designation:**

Elective