



# Industrial Automation PLC1

## ENGRTEC 3900

**Credit Hours:**

3.00 - 3.00

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**Course Levels:**

Undergraduate (1000-5000 level)

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**Course Components:**

Lecture

Lab

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**Course Description:**

Industrial Automation PLC1 is a 3-credit hour course designed as the first of two courses intended to provide the students with skills in industrial automation that can be applied in a variety of technical fields related to manufacturing.

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**Prerequisites and Co-requisites:**

Prereq: 2300; and CSE 1222 or 1223; and Math 1155 or 1172.

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**Course Goals / Objectives:**

- Understand commercially available Programmable logic controller system
  - Understand requirements to design a PLC system.
  - Communicate with stakeholders possessing various levels of expertise in the subject.
  - Understand how test instruments can be used in PLC systems to measure system parameters and interpret results.
  - Be able to function effectively as a member as well as a leader on technical teams.
  - Understand how PLC's would be used in a manufacturing process to automate a function and the important considerations in automation.
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**Course Topics:**

- Introduction to PLC and Hardware Components
  - Number Systems and Digital Logic
  - Basics of PLC Programming
  - PLC Wiring and Ladder Logic Programs
  - Programming Timers, Counters, Sequencers and Shift Registers
  - PLC Program Control, Data Manipulation and Math Instructions
  - PLC Installation, Editing and Troubleshooting
  - PLC Process Control System
  - Team Project and Presentations
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**Designation:**

Required