Creative Electronics



This assignment will introduce you into the world of electrical engineering and electronics

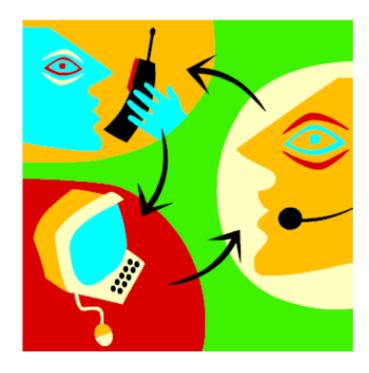
The assignors

- Dr. Wei Chen (responsible assignor)
 - Geert van den Boomen
 - Ir. Peter Peters
 - Dr. ir. Jan Rouvroye
 - Harrie Kuipers (EE department)

Why electronics

- Computers & Internet
- TV & Mobile Phones
- CDs & DVDs
- MP3 & ipod
- GPS navigation
- Digital Cameras
- Robots
- Health Monitoring
- Virtual Reality
- Ambient Intelligence

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Example design projects



sensors, impedance, filters,

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Smart jacket for NICU, M2.2 project, designed by Sibrecht Bouwstra

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Objectives of this assignment

- Introduce the most important concepts and knowledge of EEE (what does it stand for?)
- Introduce equipments and methods for practical measurements
- Understand and design simple electronic circuits
- Hands-on skills through practical experiments
- Target competency area: Integrating Technology

Schedule

Date	Time	Space	Lecture	Assignor
10-11-2014	10.45 - 12:30	PT 1.05	Reader chapter 1-3	Harrie Kuipers
13-11-2014	09.00 - 12.00	E-Atelier	E-workshop. Practical assignment 1 (group 1)	3 Assignors
13-11-2014	13:45 - 16:30	E-Atelier	E-workshop. Practical assignment 1 (group 2)	3 Assignors
17-11-2014	10.45 - 12:30	PT 1.05	Reader chapter 4-5, Practical assignments: 1,2	Harrie Kuipers
20-11-2014	13:45 - 15:30	PAV J17	Reader chapter 6-7. Practical assignments: 3,4	Harrie Kuipers
24-11-2014	10.45 - 12:30	PT 1.05	Reader chapter 8-9. Practical assignments: 5,6	Harrie Kuipers
27-11-2014	13:45 - 15:30	PAV J17	Opamps, sensors actuators, CHS, Practical assignment 7	Harrie Kuipers
1-12-2014	10.45 - 12:30	E-Atelier	Building block: Central heating system	All assignors
4-12-2014	13:45 - 17:30	HG 4.57	Start mini project, Arduino workshop	Peter Peters, Jan Rouvroye
8-12-2014	10.45 - 12:30	HG 4.24	Present project proposal (group 1)	All assignors
8-12-2014	10.45 - 12:30	HG 4.57	Present project proposal (group 2)	All assignors
11-12-2014	13.45 - 15:30	E-Atelier	Mini project help	All
15-12-2014	10.45 - 12:30	E-Atelier	Mini project help	All
18-12-2014	13:45 - 15:30	HG 4.57	Exhibition with poster for mini project	All assignors

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Wiki

URL:

http://wiki.id.tue.nl/ce/CreativeElectronicsAssignment201411

Everything you need:

- 1. Assignment resources
- 2. Schedule
- 3. Lecture and workshop materials and instructions
- 4. Deliverables
- 5. Arduino install

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The Creative Electronics Reader

- 1. A starting point for understanding the various topics and its relation to each other.
- 2. You will be challenged to study alternative sources.
- 3. Questions (mandatory), exercises (optional), practical assignments (mandatory).

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an important note

a question which you have to answer

an example which clearifies the discussed theory

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an optional exercise which will help you in understanding formulas and gaining insights



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a practical assignment which you have to do

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Deliverables

- Weekly rough draft *individual* (handwritten) results on the **questions**. Weekly feedback.
- Pairs deliver a final report covering all the practical assignments. Details: see Wiki.
- Presenting the central heating system (final assignment). Assessment: individual interview.
- Presenting a mini poster and the results on the mini project. Assessment: individual interview.

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Getting help

- Lecturers, assignors, E-atelier
- Your fellow students
- Reference books:

" Principles and applications of electrical engineering", Giorgio Rizzoni, Rev. 4th ed. *Publisher London : McGraw-Hill, 2004*

- Internet
- Non-technical questions:
 - Your coaches
 - Study advisor

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Good learning

- Concept: get the idea in the lectures
- Compute: do the questions THINK!
- Compare: work in labs to "convert mind to motion"
- Communicate: work in groups, discuss
- (But) Do not copy or cheat on assessment work

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Furthermore

- You will work in pairs.
- A coach for every four pairs.
- Start using a log.
- Tools (breadboard, plyers, Arduino, digital multi-meter): E-Lucid/E-atelier.
- Electronic parts for the first part of this assignment: provide by us.

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