TEMPLATE FOR COURSE SPECIFICATION

HIGHER EDUCATION PERFORMANCE REVIEW: PROGRAMME REVIEW

COURSE SPECIFICATION

This Course Specification provides a concise summary of the main features of the course and the learning outcomes that a typical student might reasonably be expected to achieve and demonstrate if he/she takes full advantage of the learning opportunities that are provided. It should be cross-referenced with the programme specification.

1. Teaching Institution	Baghdad University- Al-Khwarizmi College of Engineering	
2. University Department/Centre	Biomedical Engineering	
3. Course title/code	BioSensors 1	
4. Programme(s) to which it contributes	BSc in Biomedical Engineering	
5. Modes of Attendance offered	Full time attendance	
6. Semester/Year	2 semesters per year	
7. Number of hours tuition (total)	30 hours in each semester	
8. Date of production/revision of this specification		
9. Aims of the Course		
By the end of this course, The students will be able to: 1- know the theory and background of biomedical sensors such as electrodes,, thermal sensors, chemical sensors and others biomedical sensors		

2- Know the applications and operations of Biosensors such as EEG, EMG, PPG and ECG) sensors.

3- Learn about the specific analysis devices such as spectroscopy, spectophotometry and gas analyzer.

4- Learn about the specific sensors for anesthesia and the sensors in the operational rooms.

10. Learning Outcomes, Teaching ,Learning and Assessment Methods

A- Knowledge and Understanding

A1. A2. A3.

B. Subject-specific skillsB1.B2.B4.

Teaching and Learning Methods

• Lectures where the students write information presented to them via slide show, overhead or written by the lecturer;

• Lectures where the students have some printed notes/handouts and may annotate, or expand these during a spoken lecture;

• Question and answer sessions during lectures or staff Office Hours;

• Laboratory sessions.

Assessment methods

• Written examinations (Summative assessment);

• Oral presentations of individual and group work;

• Homework;

• Practical skills will be assessed through laboratory experiments, write-ups, coursework reports, project reports and presentations;

• Presentation skills through group presentations and poster presentations to improve their soft skills such as problem solving, team work, time management and presentation skills.

C. Thinking Skills C1.

C2. C3.

C4.

Teaching and Learning Methods

External lectures from industry or clinicians;

- Feedback given to students during tutorials;
- Question and answer sessions during lectures or staff Office Hours;
- Completion of web-based exercises or computer based laboratory sessions;

Assessment methods

Individual written project report(s) of both individual and group projects;

• Practical skills will be assessed through laboratory experiments, write-ups, coursework reports, project reports and presentations;

• Presentation skills through group presentations and poster presentations.

D. General and Transferable Skills (other skills relevant to employability and personal development)

D1. D2.

D2. D3.

Teaching and Learning Methods

• Lectures where the students have some printed notes/handouts and may annotate, or expand these during a spoken lecture;

- Lecture material placed on web-pages or other e-learning environment;
- External lectures from industry or clinicians;
- Question and answer sessions during lectures or staff Office Hours;

Assessment Methods

- Practical skills will be assessed through laboratory experiments, write-ups, coursework reports, project reports and presentations;
- Presentation skills through group presentations and poster presentations.

11. Course Structure					
Week	Hours	ILOs	Unit/Module or Topic Title	Teaching Method	Assessment Method

Week	Date	Topes Covered	Lab. Experiment Assignments	Notes
1		Introduction to Biomedical engineering		
2		Biomedical Sensors and System		
3		Classification of the Sensors & Transducers		Quiz 1
4		Temperature Sensors		
5		Displacement Transducers		
6		Displacement Sensors		
7		Blood flow transducer		
8		Cantilever Biosensor and Airflow Transducers		Quiz 2
9		Seminar activity and group presentations		Seminar
10		Electrochemical Biosensors I (Electrolytic and Electrochemical Cells)		
11		Electrochemical Biosensors II		Quiz 3
12		Gas biosensors I (O2, PO2, SPO2)		
13		Seminar		Seminar
14		Gas biosensors II (CO2, PH)		
15		Exam mid term		

13. Admissions	
Pre-requisites	BioSensors
Minimum number of students	10
Maximum number of students	40

12. Infrastructure		
Required reading: · CORE TEXTS · COURSE MATERIALS · OTHER	 Introduction to Biosensors: From Electric Circuits to Immunosensors, Jeong-Yeol Yoon, Springer. Introduction to Biomedical Engineering, John Enderle, Ph.D., Joseph Bronzino, Susan M. Blanchard. Chapter 9 BIOMEDICAL SENSORS, Yitzhak Mendelson, PhD. 	
Community-based facilities include for example (guest, Lectures, internship, field studies)		