

Cleveland State University

Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

EEC 693: Emerging techniques for wireless communications and networking

Description: The focus of this course is emerging techniques for future generation wireless networks that are expected to meet stringent requirements for capacity, energy efficiency, quality-of-service, mobility, and connectivity. The course covers in depth the theory behind **multi-user multiple-input multiple-output (MIMO)** and **orthogonal-division multiple access (OFDMA)** techniques, and their implementation in current cellular and wireless LAN networks. Moreover, the course introduces concepts and models of **cooperation, cognition, and opportunism** in communication networks, and demonstrates their potentiality for meeting the above-mentioned requirements, in particular, the need to reliably support high data rate transmissions.

This course requires some knowledge of digital and mobile communications, probability and statistics, linear algebra, and programming in MATLAB.

Course Objectives: The course is designed to enable students to

- 1) understand the basic and advanced theoretical concepts behind modern digital and wireless communications,
- 2) mathematically characterize and analyze key stages of information transmission chains from sources to destinations,
- 3) have in depth knowledge of multiple-antenna systems and their implementation in practice,
- 4) understand models and concepts behind emerging techniques that aim to significantly improve the current wireless systems.

Schedule: Fall 2015, MW 6:00-7:50 PM, FH 314.

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Tentative Course Outline:

1. Introduction (1-week)
 - Digital and Wireless Communications
 - History of Wireless and Cellular Networks
 - Math preliminaries (linear algebra and probability theory)
2. MIMO Communications (2-weeks)

- Introduction
 - Instantaneous and ergodic channel capacities
 - Channel state information at transmitter (CSIT) or no CSIT
 - Degrees of freedom, multiplexing gain
 - Water-filling Algorithm
 - Diversity gain
 - Effect of spatial correlations
3. MIMO Receiver design (2 weeks)
 - Linear Receivers: Maximum ratio combining, Zero-Forcing, MMSE
 - Non-linear receivers: Maximum Likelihood (ML), successive-interference cancellation
 4. MIMO Transmitter Design (1 week)
 - Beamforming
 - Precoding
 - Space-time block codes
 5. MIMO-OFDM (2 weeks)
 - Multi-carrier transmission
 - OFDM modulation (basic principles)
 - OFDM demodulation
 - OFDM implementation using IFFT/FFT
 - OFDM parameters and selection
 - Time and frequency synchronization in OFDM
 - Peak-to-average power ratio (PAPR)
 6. MIMO OFDM for Long Term Evolution (LTE) Communication Systems (2 weeks)
 - LTE-core network
 - Radio access network
 - Time-frequency resource plane
 - Duplex schemes
 - Downlink reference signals
 - Multi-antenna transmission in LTE

New trends in communications

7. Cooperative Communications (2 weeks)
 - Relaying
 - Amplify-and-forward, Decode-and-forward, Detect-and-forward relays
 - MRC receiver

Diversity gain
MIMO relays
Multiple-access and broadcast transmissions with relays

8. Opportunism in Communications (1 week)
 - Time and frequency selection
 - Antenna selection
 - Direct and relay paths selection
 - Relay selection
9. Cognitive radios (1-week)
 - Introduction
 - Spectrum Sharing
 - Sensing-based Spectrum Sharing- detection algorithms
 - Power control
10. Miscellaneous (1-week)
 - Full-duplex communications: Introduction and concepts
 - Large-scale multi-antenna systems: Motivation and models
 - Review

Textbook: Instructor's slides

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Grading Policy:

Midterm:	25%
Homework:	15%
Final:	40%
Project:	20%

Project:

Each student or a group of maximum two students can decide a topic for the project. The topic should cover new techniques in the areas of wireless communications and networking. Each student is asked to do literature survey on existing techniques, describe his/her proposed method, demonstrate results with MATLAB simulations, and make a final presentation of the work among faculty and other students.

Homework:

There will be weekly homework. MATLAB simulations will be part of the homework. Although students are encouraged to work together on the homework, each student must submit his or her original work.