NIRMA UNIVERSITY

Institute of Technology School of Engineering

Bachelor of Technology - Civil Engineering Open Electives (all branches)

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Course Code	2CLOE01	
Course Title	Intelligent Transportation System	

Course Outcomes:

At the end of the course, students will be able to

- 1. outline need of Intelligent Transportation System (ITS)
- 2. illustrate role of communication systems in ITS
- 3. identify functional areas and services of ITS
- 4. apply ITS for automated highway systems.

Syllabus:

Teaching Hours: 45

Unit 1: Introduction to Intelligent Transportation System (ITS)

Hours:

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Definition, objectives, historical background, benefits, data collection techniques: detectors, automatic vehicle location, automatic vehicle identification, geographic information systems, video data collection.

Unit 2: Telecommunications in ITS

Hours: 09

Importance of telecommunications, information management, traffic management centres vehicle roadside communication, vehicle positioning system.

Unit 3: Functional Areas

Hours: 10

Traffic management systems, traveller information systems, commercial vehicle operations, vehicle control systems, public transportation systems, rural transportation systems.

Unit 4: User Needs and Services

Hours: 10

Travel and traffic management, public transportation management, electronic payment, commercial vehicle operations, emergency management, advanced vehicle safety systems, information management.

Unit 5: Automated Highway Systems

Hours: 10

Vehicles in platoons, integration of automated highway systems, implementations in developed countries and developing countries.

Self-Study:

The self-study contents will be declared at the commencement of semester. Around 10% of the questions will be asked from self-study contents.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Choudury M A & Sadek A. Fundamentals of Intelligent Transportation Systems Planning. Artech House
- 2. Sarkar, P.K. & Jain, A.K. Intelligent Transportation Systems. PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- 3. Chen, K.P. & Miles, J. Recommendations for World Road Association (PIARC). ITS Hand book
- 4. Sussman, J.S. Perspective on Intelligent Transportation Systems. Springer.
- 5. Turban. E & Aronson. J. E. Decision Support Systems and Intelligent Systems. Prentice Hall.

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w.e.f. academic year 2020-21 and onwards