

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>CS 404</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Autonomous Mobile Robots</b>			
<b>Semester Hours</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Course Coordinator</b>	<b>Henry Hexmoor</b>			
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<b>Catalog Description</b>	This course is a comprehensive introduction to modern robotics with an emphasis on autonomous mobile robotics. Fundamental of sensors and actuators as well as algorithms for top level control are discussed. Multi-robotics and human-robot interaction issues are explored. A group project is an integral part of this course.					
<b>Textbooks</b>						
FA20						
Hexmoor, H. (2013). <i>Essential Principles for Autonomous Robotics</i> , Morgan and Claypool. ISBN: 9781627050586.						
<b>References</b>						
<b>Course Learning Outcomes</b>						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To understand the robotic platforms and their limitations.</li> <li>• To learn to program mobile robots.</li> <li>• To design automations solutions using mobile robots.</li> </ul>						
<b>Assessment of the Contribution to Student Outcomes</b>						
<b>Outcome →</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Assessed →</b>		X		X		X
<b>Prerequisites by Topic</b>						
CS 330 with a grade of C or better or graduate standing.						

**Major Topics Covered in the Course**

1. Introduction {2 classes}
2. Robot body {4 classes}
3. Autonomy {2 classes}
4. Sensing and Perception {6 classes}
5. Control Loop {4 classes}
6. Locomotion, and Kinematics and mapping {6 classes}
7. Advanced control loop {4 classes}
8. Human-robot interaction {2 classes}
9. Multi-robotics: Formations, self-organization, collaboration {10 classes}