of race and gender, politics, and policy of student loans; policies toward unprepared college students; collective bargaining strategies.

7605 Higher Education and the Law (3) Legal issues concerning higher education, including tenure, academic freedom, legal liability, sexual harassment, laws against discrimination, student discipline, and liability for accidents and injuries.

7606 The Symposium and College Teaching (3) Critical analysis of college curricula and approaches to teaching; historical development of curricular models; introduction to teaching and evaluation.

7607 Finance in Higher Education (3) Public policy and theory of financing higher education; topics include tuition, pricing, income policy, financial management of institutions, and financial aid.

7609 Strategic Planning in Higher Education (3) Strategic plans for institutions of higher education; processes by which those plans are developed; higher education strategy within the context of the cultural and competitive environment; emphasis on current topics in organizational strategy.

7610 Assessment and Evaluation in Higher Education (3) Analysis of assessment and evaluation practices in higher education; role of assessment in policy development and strategic planning.

7611 College Students in the United States (3) Critical analysis of issues related to college students in the United States, including access, choice, climate, student organizations, and development and identity.

**ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING**

- 2120 Circuits 1 (3) Prereq.: credit or registration in MATH 2090 and PHYS 2102 required or consent of department. Time-domain analysis of electrical networks.
- 2130 Circuits II (3) Prereq.: EE 2120 and MATH 2090. Frequency-domain analysis of electrical networks.
- 2230 Electronics I (3) Prereq.: EE 2120. Terminal behavior of semiconductor devices and basic circuits.
- 2231 Electronics Laboratory 1 (2) Prereq.: concurrent registration in EE 2130. Lecture: 2 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. 4 hrs. lecture.
- 2720 Digital Logic I (2) Prereq.: admission to the College of Engineering. Boolean algebra; logic gates; minimization methods; analysis and synthesis of combinational logic networks; design examples.
- 2730 Digital Logic II (2) Prereq.: EE 2720. Analysis and design of sequential circuits; practical impact of design choices.
- 2731 Digital Logic Laboratory (2) Prereq.: EE 2720. 1 hr. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. Familiarization with conventional logic gates and flip-flops; design and testing of various combinational and sequential circuits.
- 2950 Comprehensive Electrical Engineering (3) Prereq.: MATH 1552 or equivalent. For nonengineering majors. Elementary circuits, devices, and systems in electrical engineering.
- 3060, 3061 Special Projects (2, 3) Prereq.: consent of department. 1 hr. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lecture; 3 hrs. lab. 4 hrs. lab.
- 3070 Engineering Practice (3) Prereq.: permission of the department and completion of one of two options: 6 months internship or 6 months co-op. Time in an appropriate PAF (Paid) position. Pass/fail grading. Written final report required. Work experience in solving electrical and computer engineering problems in an industrial environment.
- 3140 Probability for Electrical and Computer Engineering (3) Prereq.: MATH 2090. Basic concepts of probability theory with application to electrical and computer engineering; probability axioms; continuous, discrete, and conditional probability density and distribution functions; expectations and characteristic functions; introduction to statistical inference and stochastic processes.
- 3160 Introduction to Digital Signal Processing (3) Prereq.: EE 3140 or equivalent. Digital processing of continuous-time signals; the discrete-time Fourier transform; z-transform, signals and systems in the transform domains; Discrete Fourier transform and FFT algorithm.
- 3220 Solid State Devices I (3) Prereq.: EE 2230 and 2231. Analysis and design of semiconductor devices; emphasis on concepts and device models.
- 3221 Electronics Laboratory II (2) Prereq.: EE 2231 and concurrent registration in EE 3220. 1 hr. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. 4 hrs. lab.
- 3322 Solid State Devices II (3) Prereq.: EE 2230 and 2231. Analysis and design of electronic circuits; emphasis on practical applications.
- 3340 Digital Power Electronic Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3220 and 3221. 2 hrs. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design of power semiconductor converters including power MOSFETs, IGBTs, and DC-DC converters.
- 3350 Optical Electronics (3) Prereq.: EE 3340 or equivalent. 2 hrs. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3360 Optical Communications (3) Prereq.: EE 3340 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3370 Optical Fiber Communications (3) Prereq.: EE 3360 or equivalent. 2 hrs. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3380 Modern Control Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3360 or equivalent. 2 hrs. lecture; 2 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3390 Digital Signal Processing (3) Prereq.: EE 3220 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3400 Electromagnetic Fields and Waves (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3410 Power System Analysis and Control (3) Prereq.: EE 3300 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3420 Linear Control Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3430 Nonlinear Control Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3440 Discrete Control Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3450 Analog Circuits and Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3460 Digital Systems Design (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3470 Digital Signal Processing (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
- 3480 Modern Control Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 3380 or equivalent. 3 hrs. lab. 3 hrs. lab. ABET category: 2 hrs. design; 1 hr. engineering science. Design and performance analysis of all-optical devices and systems.
7200 Advanced Topics in Electronics (3) May be taken for a max. of 12 hrs. of credit when topics vary.

7210 Semiconductors and Spintronics Systematic modeling of active and passive solid-state devices; modeling theory to relate device physics to circuit performance; selected applications.

7220 Semiconductor Devices I: Bipolar (3) Prereq.: EE 3232 or equivalent. Semiconductor material properties, equilibrium and nonequilibrium states, physical principles of p-njunctions, and quasi-neutral material; modeling of diodes and bipolar transistors.

7222 Semiconductor Materials and Devices (3) Prereq.: EE 3232 or equivalent. Surface effects; metal-insulator-semiconductor structure; modeling of MOS capacitors and isolation.

7230 Physics of Device Electronics (3) Semiconductor physics and necessary assumptions for tractable device analysis; electronics statistics, transport phenomena in solids, band theory of solids, and semiconductor junctions.

7232 Small-Geometry and High-Speed Devices (3) Prereq.: EE 7250 or equivalent. Carrier charge transport in small and high-electron mobility semiconductor devices, hot-electron effects, size effects and heterojunction boundaries, heterostructure devices, tunneling devices, ballistic transport devices, and surfaces and interfaces in heterostructures.

7240 Integrated Circuit Engineering (3) Fabrication processes and design issues in VLSI; instruction set architecture, microprocessors, computer architecture, source code analysis, compiler optimization techniques, compiler design.

7241 Advanced Lithography and Metrology (3) Prereq.: EE 7240 or consent of instructor. Advanced principles of optical lithography and processing issues in photolithography, EUV, e-beams, resists, measurement and inspection techniques.

7246 Integrated Sensors and Actuators (3) Prereq.: EE 7240 or consent of instructor. Sensor principles and design considerations; bulk and surface micromachining fabrication technologies including LIGA; microactuators and microelectromechanical devices; integration of sensors/actuators and electrical circuitry on the same chip.

7248 Mixed-Signal Integrated Circuit Design (3) Prereq.: EE 7240 or consent of instructor. Design and technology of analog and mixed analog-digital integrated circuits for signal processing including applications; mixed-signal integrated circuit testing and measurements.

7250 Semiconductor Power Devices (3) Prereq.: EE 3232 or equivalent. Operation and characteristics of semiconductor energy conversion devices with emphasis on physical mechanisms involved; fabrication of energy conversion devices.

7260 Semiconductor Materials (3) Theory and application of crystal growth from melt and chemical vapor deposition; preparation and purification of elemental and compound semiconductors; discussion of stress and strain effects on electrical and physical parameters; amorphous semiconductors.

7303 Microelectronic Materials and Devices (3) Prereq.: EE 3530 or equivalent. Theory of magnetism, domain structures, and magnetic memory; current developments and applications of magnetic data storage systems.

7310 Electromagnetic Theory and Techniques (3) Electromagnetic theory applied to radio propagation, waveguides, and microwave systems.

7350 Boundary Value Problems in Engineering (3) Prereq.: consent of instructor. Separation of variables method for solving certain classical partial differential equations, including properties of special functions and their applications to engineering problems.

7400 Advanced Topics in Power (3) May be taken for a max. of 12 hrs. of credit when topics vary.

7410 Faulted Power System Analysis (3) Development of positive, negative, and zero sequence parameter sets of power systems, and their application in a variety of power system fault conditions.

7420 Power System Dynamics (3) Modern approach to power system dynamics, control system stability analysis: detailed synchronous machine models; their linearizations, excitation systems, and multimachine system stability analysis.

7422 Advanced Electric Machines (3) Prereq.: EE 4422 or consent of instructor. Topics on special purpose electric motors used in automation, robotics, and electric or magnetic machines.

7430 Power System Reliability (3) Reliability analysis of power systems, including generation, transmission, and distribution.

7440 Power Transmission and Control (3) Prereq.: EE 4460 or equivalent. Analysis of HVDC transmission systems; high-power interconnection circuits, modeling control, and stability analysis of dc transmission; misoperation of converters; protection, harmonics, and filters.

7450 Power System Protection (3) Identification of conditions requiring protection; special problems associated with protection of various system components; protection systems, and their applications.

7460 Static Power Converters (3) Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent. Design of power converters and ac drives, with emphasis on control of energy conversion devices, including cycloconverter and switched-mode power supplies.

7470 Power Generation and Control (3) Prereq.: EE 4460 or equivalent. Economic analysis of fossil and hydroelectric power generation systems; control of power generation.

7510 Harmonics in Power Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 4480 or equivalent. Power flow in nonsinusoidal systems, measurements, compensation, symmetrization, and harmonic analysis of power systems.

7490 Advanced Electrical Drives (3) Prereq.: EE 4420, 4490, or consent of instructor. Advanced topics in electric drives including vector control of induction motor drives and permanent magnet synchronous motor drives.

7500 Advanced Topics in Controls (3) May be taken for a max. of 12 hrs. of credit when topics vary.

7510 Advanced Linear Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 4560 or equivalent. Modern approaches for the analysis and design of linear, discrete and continuous time, control systems, emphasizing digital signal processing and eigenvalue techniques, functional analytic methods.

7520 Optimal Control Theory (3) Prereq.: EE 4560 or equivalent. Dynamic programming and optimal control theory; minimum principle, Hamilton-Jacobi-Bellman theory, dynamic programming, gradient algorithms, and function optimization.

7525 Robust Control (3) Prereq.: EE 4560 and 4580. Internal stability, model uncertainty, robust stability, robust performance, controller parametrization, design limitations, loop shaping H∞ control and other optimal robust control design techniques.

7530 System Identification (3) Prereq.: EE 4560, 4660 or equivalent. Conventional parameter estimation and adaptive modeling; control oriented identification; model uncertainties; model validation; review of research literature on system identification.


7560 Topics in Modern System Science (3) Prereq.: EE 4560 or equivalent. Research literature, operator theory and functional analysis applied to control engineering problems.

7570 Nonlinear System Analysis (3) Prereq.: EE 4560. Systems approach to study of nonlinear systems; includes limit cycles, analytical approaches to chaos, boundedness, linear perturbations, describing functions, Liapunov’s stability, LaSalle’s system, Popov criteria, and input-output stability. Prereq: Process Control Systems, EE 4585 or equivalent. Theory and equipment for the implementation of computer-based control systems; includes supervisory, DCS, SCADA, and hierarchical configuration; operator interface, real-time operations, industrial computer control systems; implementation of advanced control algorithms, times series analysis, and online process optimization.

7585 Advanced Digital Control Systems (3) Prereq.: EE 4585 and EE 4560. Theory and design of sampled-data control systems: including discretization of continuous-time systems and lifting of sampled-data systems; performance analysis in frequency and time domain; design techniques based on optimal controls; robustness analysis of sampled-data feedback control systems under plant perturbations.

7600 Advanced Topics in Communications (3) May be taken as a max. of 12 hrs. of credit when topics vary.

7610 Analog Communication (3) Prereq.: EE 4660 or Random waveforms, receiver design, linear and nonlinear distortion, coding modulation, and information theory. Prereq: EE 4585 or equivalent. Theory and equipment for the implementation of computer-based control systems; includes supervisory, DCS, SCADA, and hierarchical configuration; operator interface, real-time operations, industrial computer control systems; implementation of advanced control algorithms, times series analysis, and online process optimization.

7610 Analog Communication (3) Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent. Time and Frequency domain approaches to transceiver design for communication over frequency selective, inter-symbol-interference (ISI) and multiuser channels.

7630 Detection and Estimation Theory (3) Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent. Hypothesis testing, detection of known
and unknown signals, estimation of signal parameters, signal resolution.
7640 Information Theory, Coding, and Cryptography (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent. Measures of information, channel capacity, Shannon and Huffman coding, rate-distortion theory, codels, BCH and Golay codes, convolutional codes, problems of data security, probabilistic ciphers, computational complexity ciphers.
7660 Information Theory and Coding (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent. Sequences of random variables, renewal processes, Markov chains, and queuing models.
7670 Communication Networks (3) 
Prereq.: EE 7660. Protocols, performance, and implementation of the data link layer and the network layer of communication networks.
7672 Communication Network Services (3) 
Prereq.: EE 7660. Theory, implementation, and performance analysis of switch architectures and broadband integrated networks; traffic and congestion control.
7674 Wireless Communication Networks (3) 
Prereq.: EE 7615. Theory, implementation, standards, and security issues in wireless communication.
7700 Advanced Topics in Computer Engineering (3) 
May be taken for a max. of 12 hrs. of credit when topics vary.
7710 Digital Logic Design (3) 
Prereq. EE 3750 or equivalent. Mathematical foundations of Boolean algebra; vector switching functions, Boolean differential calculus, and fault detection.
7715 Computer Arithmetic (3) 
Prereq.: EE 3755 or equivalent. Number systems; arithmetic algorithms; high performance adders, multipliers, dividers, floating-point arithmetic; residue number systems; hardware implementation.
7720 Advanced Computer Architecture (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4720 or equivalent. Computer architectures; vector processing; parallel processing and interconnection networks.
7725 Interconnection Networks (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4720 or equivalent. Interconnection network theory, analysis, and implementation; shared memory, coherent caches, and related topics.
7728 Multiprocessor Computer System Design (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4720 or equivalent. Symmetric shared multiprocessors, distributed shared memory systems, simultaneous multithreading, and chip-multiprocessors.
7730 Image Analysis I (3) 
Prereq.: EE 3710 or equivalent. Basic mathematical tools for analysis of digital image processing; hardware and software, applications, D/A transforms, preprocessing, texture analysis, and edge detection; emphasis on applications to theory to practical problems.
7740 Image Analysis II (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4660 and 7730. Continuation of EE 7730. Formal mathematical treatment of image segmentation, shape analysis, texture analysis, and scene analysis.
7745 Neural Networks and Iterative Maps (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4745 or equivalent. Neural network approach to artificial intelligence; general properties of iterative maps; mapping networks for pattern recognition; optimization; genetic algorithms; implementation issues.
7750 Machine Recognition of Patterns (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent and knowledge of programming language; basic knowledge of linear algebra; fast Fourier transform; cluster analysis; design of deterministic, stochastic, and fuzzy classifiers; unsupervised learning; feature selection.
7762 Machine Recognition of Patterns II (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4660 or equivalent. Developmental Design (3) 
Prereq.: EE 7755 and EE 3740 or equivalent. Switch level fault models, test generation for combinational and sequential circuits, VLSI testing, design for testability.
7765 Distributed Computing System Reliability (3) 
Prereq.: EE 3140 and 4720 or equivalent. Reliability measures, standards, evaluation, and bounds; multimode and statistical dependent failure analysis; distributed and parallel system reliability and availability, graceful degradation, performance, software reliability.
7770 Interworking (3) 
Prereq.: EE 4710 or equivalent. Internet network concepts, networks, and transport layers, IP switching, Routing techniques, Internet security, Firewalls.
7780 Software Design (3) 
Prereq.: CSC 3102 or equivalent. Engineering approach to computer development; structured and modular programming concepts; software design and management; program testing and correctness proofs; diagnostic tools; software measures; other topics related to software engineering.
7785 Program Parallelization (3) 
Prereq.: EE 3755 or equivalent. Analysis and optimization of programs for a variety of architectures; instruction set selection; parallel and sequential control; abstract models of parallel computation; algorithms, complexity, and simula-
tions.
8000 Thesis Research (1-12 per sem.) 
Prereq.: permission of department. 
9000 Dissertation Research (1-12 per sem.) 
Prereq.: permission of department. 
Satisfactory grading.
ENGINEERING ENGR 4105 Introduction to Engineering (2) 
Introduction to engineering history, disciplines, and principles of design.
2050 Undergraduate Seminar (1) 
For engineering students only. 
Pass-Fail grading. 
Topics related to academic, professional, and career development for engineering students. 
Students will include on-campus representatives, industrial, governmental and consulting professionals, and education experts.
2785 Manufacturing, Technology & Society (3) 
Su History and development of manufacturing and technology and its influence on production, society, and environment. Course available only as part of a study abroad program.
9000 Dissertation Research (1-12 per sem.) 
Satisfactory grading.
ENGLISH ENGL 3004 English Composition (5) 
For international students whose diagnostic tests indicate the need for intensive basic writing skills. 
Pass-no credit grading. Not for degree credit. 
Required during the first semester of residence for all international students (graduates, undergraduates, and transfer students) who are not on the basis of the placement examination required of all new international students.
1001 English Composition (3) 
Placement by department. 
Introduction to writing in forms of expressive and informative discourse.
1004 English Composition (3) 
Prereq.: ENGL 0004 or placement by department. For international students. 
Same as ENGL 1000/1001, with emphasis on usage and idiom problems specific to international students. 
Required during the first semester of residence for all international students (graduates, undergraduates, and transfer students) who demonstrate on an intensive placement test need for work in English, but not at the intensive level of ENGL 0004.
Graduate students graded pass-no credit.
1005 English Composition (3) 
Prereq.: ENGL 0004 or placement by the department and permission of instructor. 
Credit will not be given for both ENGL 1005 and ENGL 2000. 
For international students and transfer students; interlanguage problems specific to international students. 
Graduate students graded pass-no credit.
1001 Spoken English for International Graduate Assistants (3) 
Prereq.: oral interviews and permission of department. 
For current and potential international graduate assistants only. 
Pass/no credit grading. May be taken for a max. of 9 sem. hrs. of credit. 
Developing spoken English skills (pronunciation, stress, intonation, rhythm); improving overall comprehensiveness through tasks/activities, drills, and videotaped oral presentations.
2000 English Composition (3) 
Prereq.: ENGL 1001 or equivalent and permission of department. 
Pass-no credit grading. 
May be taken for the time of enrollment. 
Practice in the processes of academic and applied writing.
2001 Advanced English Composition (3) 
Credit will not be given for both ENGL 2001 and 3011. 
Theory and practice of exposition, description, and narration.
2002 Business Writing (3) 
Credit will not be given for both ENGL 2002 and 2010. 
Preparing business documents such as reports, articles, and letters; oral presentation of reports.
2005 Introduction to Writing Poetry (3) 
Prereq.: ENGL 2002 or equivalent. 
Writing short stories for pleasure and for publication; critical word choices and sentences; elimination of common errors; use of dictionaries; current language controversies, regional and social, and concerns specific to international students.
2024 Critical Strategies (3) 
Credit will not be given for both this course and ENGL 2824. 
Skills for reading and writing about literature from a variety of critical perspectives; approaches such as reader response, psychoanalysis, myth, new historicism, and feminism applied to a range of contemporary and traditional texts.
2025 Fiction (3) 
Skills for reading and writing about fiction; attention to generic conventions and critical perspectives; section emphasis may vary, consult departmental handbook.
2027 Poetry (3) 
Skills for reading and writing about poetry; attention to generic conventions and critical perspectives; section emphasis may vary, consult departmental handbook.
2029 Drama (3) 
Skills for reading and writing about drama; attention to generic conventions and critical perspectives; section emphasis may vary, consult departmental handbook.
2824 Critical Strategies (3) 
Credit will not be given for both this course and ENGL 2024. 
Skills for reading and writing about literature; attention to historical development, context, and critical perspectives; topics such as “The Epic,” “Imagining the Family,” “Literature and the City,” section emphasis will vary, consult departmental handbook.
2148 Shakespeare (3) 
The more popular plays.
2173 Portuguese Literature (3) Fiction, poetry, essays, and drama of Brazil.
2175 The Civil War in Literature (3) Portrayal of the Civil War in fiction, poetry, drama, diaries, and letters.
2201 Introduction to World Literary Traditions (3) 
See CPLT 2201.
2202 Introduction to Modern World Literature (3) 
See CPLT 2202.
2220 Major British Authors (3) 
Selected major British authors from Chaucer to the present.
2222 Popular Fictions (3) 
Critical analysis of popular literature, television programs, films, and advertisements; approaches to popular and interpretive skills.
2231 Reading Film as Literature (3) 
Introduction to film as literature; mastery of film language and literary bases; fictional narrative and drama; film classics.
2270 Major American Authors (3) 
Selected major American authors from the Colonial period to the present.
2308 Interpreting Discourse (3) 
Study of and writing about discourse forms (fiction, popular and critical texts, technical and legal documents), using linguistic, rhetorical, and cultural analysis.
2423 Introduction to Folklore (3) 
Also offered as ANTH 2423. Folklore genres of the world; sources of folklore; literary, psychological, sociological, anthropological, and historical approaches to folk material; relationships between folklore and written literature.
2593 Images of Women: An Introduction (3) 
Critical analysis of women’s representations, addressing a range of traditional and/or popular genres, historical periods, and/or critical approaches; emphasis on developing textual and interpretive skills; section emphasis may vary, consult departmental handbook.
2673 Literature and Ethnicity (3) 
Literature of American Indians.
2674 Introduction to African-American Literature (3) 
Major figures and popular texts of black American literature, including fiction, poetry, drama, and essays; influence of genre on the articulation of common political and social themes.
2696 Descriptive Grammar of English (3) 
Examination of what every English speaker has internalized about