



# National University of Sciences and Technology

## Course Description

<b>Course Title</b> Cognitive Ergonomics in Design	<b>Course Code</b> ME 830	<b>Credit Hours</b> 3 – 0
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### Textbook:

- “Introduction to human factors and ergonomics for engineers” by Mark R. Lehto, James R. Buck
- “A guide to human factors and ergonomics” by Martin Helander
- “Ergonomics: How to Design for Ease and Efficiency” by K.H.E. Kroemer, H.B. Kroemer and s K.E. Kroemer-Elbert

### Course Objective:

- Students will be made capable to incorporate human factor and ergonomics in the design phase of the product development.

### Course Outline:

- The relevance of the paradigm of applied cognitive psychology to human-centred design, key models of human performance and theories of cognition, and their relevance in design, systems model of performance and its implications for complex socio-technological systems, specific ergonomic theories to specific design contexts, The human factors implications of a product or system design, concepts of product and system design with respect to cognitive ergonomics.

### ASSESSMENTS

Description	Percentage Weightage (%)
Assignments	05-10%
Quizzes	10-15%
Mid Semester Exams	30-40%
End Semester Exam	40-50%