- 1. Course number and name: BMED 3310 Biotransport
- 2. Credits and contact hours: (2-2-0-3)
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- 4. Textbook: Fundamentals of Momentum, Heat, and Mass Transfer, Welty, Wicks, Wilson and Rorrer, 5th edition, John Wiley&Sons, Inc., (2008)
- 5. Specific course information
 - a. Catalog description: Fundamental principles of fluid, heat, and mass transfer with particular emphasis on physiological and biomedical systems.
 - b. Prerequisites or co-requisites: CS 1371, PHYS 2211, BMED 2110, MATH 2551 and MATH 2552
 - c. Required
- 6. Specific goals for the course
 - a. Identify, formulate, and solve biomedical problems involving mass, momentum and/or heat transfer (Student Outcome 1)
 - i. Formulate differential equations that represent the physical situation of biomedical problems involving mass, momentum and/or heat transfer (or combinations thereof) and determine appropriate boundary conditions
 - ii. Apply conservation laws of fluid flow to describe the system (pressure drops, velocities, velocity profiles, shear stresses, shear rates) for various geometries, particularly for flow through conduits
 - iii. Apply differential mass or heat balances to determine concentrations or temperatures at a particular point or concentration/temperature profiles with and without biochemical reactions, and to determine mass/heat fluxes, respectively
 - b. Explain analogies between heat and mass transfer, and employ them to solve biomedical engineering problems (Student Outcomes 1)
 - i. Distinguish between modes of heat or mass transfer, explain analogies between heat and mass transfer, and apply the correct equations to describe each mode
 - ii. Determine convective mass/heat transfer coefficients using appropriate analogies for the geometric situation
- 7. Brief list of topics to be covered:
 - a. Molecular mass transfer, differential equations of mass transfer, convective mass transfer
 - b. Fluid mechanics, principles of fluid flow
 - c. Heat transfer, differential equations of heat transfer, convective heat transfer, heat
 - d. exchangers
 - e. Transient heat transfer