

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY: KAKINADA

KAKINADA-533003, Andhra Pradesh, India

R-13 Syllabus for ECE.JNTUK

I Year- I Semester	L	T	P	C
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PROFESSIONAL ETHICS AND HUMAN VALUES (R13108)

<u>Prerequisite Course:</u> The students should have awareness about Engineering, the industry, the problems, issues, challenges and think of solutions.

Course Description and Objectives:

- 1. The students lean and aware of basic principles of Professional Ethics and Human Values.
- 2. The students learn and aware of the evolution of professional Ethics and Human Values and theories and their application.
- 3. The students will be aware of engineering as Social Experimentation.
- 4. The students will be aware of Engineers' Responsibility for Safety and Risk.
- 5. The students will be aware of Engineers' Responsibilities and Rights.
- 6. The students will be aware of Global Issues.

Course Outcomes:

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to achieve the following outcomes.

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1	Know the definitions, aware of basic Principles of PEHV and apply them	2
2	Know the theories and evolution of PEHV	3
3	Apply the principles Social Experimentation and solve the problems	3
4	Know the Responsibilities for Safety and Risk and study Case studies	3
5	Know the Responsibilities and Rights of Engineers	2
6	Know the Global issues, professional Associations, and contribution as consultants	2

Syllabus:

UNIT I:

Human Values: Morals, Values and Ethics – Integrity – Work Ethics – Service Learning – Civic Virtue – Respect for others – Living Peacefully – Caring – Sharing – Honesty – Courage – Value time – Co-operation – Commitment – Empathy – Self-confidence – Spirituality- Character.

UNIT II:

Engineering Ethics: The History of Ethics-Purposes for Engineering Ethics-Engineering Ethics-Consensus and Controversy –Professional and Professionalism –Professional Roles to be played by an Engineer –Self Interest, Customs and Religion-Uses of Ethical Theories-Professional Ethics-Types of Inquiry – Engineering and Ethics Kohlberg's Theory – Gilligan's Argument –Heinz's Dilemma.

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UNIT III:

Engineering as Social Experimentation: Comparison with Standard Experiments – Knowledge gained – Conscientiousness – Relevant Information – Learning from the Past – Engineers as Managers, Consultants, and Leaders – Accountability – Role of Codes – Codes and Experimental Nature of Engineering.

UNIT IV::

Engineers' Responsibility for Safety and Risk: Safety and Risk, Concept of Safety – Types of Risks – Voluntary v/s Involuntary Risk- Short term v/s Long term Consequences- Expected Probability- Reversible Effects- Threshold Levels for Risk- Delayed v/s Immediate Risk- Safety and the Engineer – Designing for Safety – Risk-Benefit Analysis-Accidents.

UNIT V ; :

Engineers' Responsibilities and Rights: Collegiality-Techniques for Achieving Collegiality –Two Senses of Loyaltyobligations of Loyalty misguided Loyalty – professionalism and Loyalty- Professional Rights –Professional
Responsibilities – confidential and proprietary information-Conflict of Interest-solving conflict problems – Self-interest,
Customs and Religion- Ethical egoism-Collective bargaining-Confidentiality-Acceptance of Bribes/Gifts when is a Gift
and a Bribe-examples of Gifts v/s Bribes-problem solving-interests in other companies Occupational Crimes-industrial
espionage-price fixing-endangering lives- Whistle Blowing-types of whistle blowing-when should it be attemptedpreventing whistle blowing.

UNIT VI:

Global Issues: Globalization- Cross-culture Issues-Environmental Ethics-Computer Ethics-computers as the instrument of Unethical behaviour-computers as the object of Unethical Acts-autonomous computers-computer codes of Ethics-Weapons Development-Ethics and Research-Analysing, Ethical Problems in Research-Intellectual Property Rights.

Text Books:

- l. "Engineering Ethics and Human Values" by M.Govindarajan, S.Natarajan and V.S.SenthilKumarPHI Learning Pvt. Ltd-2009
- 2. "Professional Ethics and Morals" by Prof.A.R.Aryasri, Dharanikota Suyodhana-Maruthi Publications
- B. "Professional Ethics and Human Values" by A.Alavudeen, R.Kalil Rahman and M.JayakumaranLaxmi Publications
- 4. "Professional Ethics and Human Values" by Prof.D.R.Kiran
- 5. "Indian Culture, Values and Professional Ethics" by PSR Murthy-BS Publication
- 6. "Ethics in Engineering" by Mike W. Martin and Roland Schinzinger Tata McGraw-Hill 2003.
- 7. "Engineering Ethics" by Harris, Pritchard and Rabins, CENGAGE Learning, India Edition, 2009.