# **COURSE DETAIL**

### NON-LINEAR CONTROL AND SERVO SYSTEMS

**Country** Sweden

**Host Institution** Lund University

**Program(s)** Lund University

UCEAP Course Level Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)** Mechanical Engineering Mathematics Engineering

**UCEAP Course Number** 189

**UCEAP Course Suffix** 

UCEAP Official Title NON-LINEAR CONTROL AND SERVO SYSTEMS

UCEAP Transcript Title NON-LINEAR CONTROL

**UCEAP Quarter Units** 6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units** 4.00

## **Course Description**

The course describes how non-linear systems can be treated through analysis, simulation, and controller design. Lectures cover non-linear phenomena; mathematical modeling of nonlinear systems; stationary points; linearization around stationary points and trajectories; phase plane analysis; stability analysis using the Lyapunov method; circle criterion; small-gain and passivity; computer tools for simulation and analysis; effects of saturation; backlash and dead-zones in control loops; describing functions for analysis of limit cycles; high-gain methods and relay feedback; optimal control; and nonlinear synthesis and design. Laboratory exercises include analysis using the describing function and control design with dead-zone compensation for an air throttle used in car motors; energy-based design of a swing-up algorithm for an inverted pendulum; and trajectory generation using optimal control for the pendulum-on-a-cart process.

#### Language(s) of Instruction

English

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## **Host Institution Campus**

#### Host Institution Faculty

Engineering

## Host Institution Degree

**Host Institution Department** 

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