**department of ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING**

**wrap-up session**

**SPRING 2010**

**Course** ECE 496 **Course name**: Power System Fault Analysis

**Instructor:** Jerry Sergent

**High points of the course (“successes”):**

**Pedagogy:** I lectured from Power Points**.** Much time was spent on problems and solution methods. All students had taken ECE 415, which was a major help.

**Homework:**

Homework was turned in on a weekly basis. The book had very good practically –oriented problems.

**Exams and Projects:**

Exams were take-home on similar problems from the book.

**Student Attendance and Performance:**

Student attendance and performance was excellent. The only classes missed were due to business travel. Homework was turned in on time

**Other:**

**Problems encountered:**

**Textbook:**

The first textbook was highly mathematical and not very practically oriented. I changed books after the first week to one that had more problems worked out in the book and better problems relating to actual practice for homework.

**Assignments:**

Homework was required to be turned in weekly. This was done by all students

**Instruction method:**

After the book was changed, no problems were encountered.

**Course prerequisites:**

None

**Student feedback:**

Students much preferred the new book. It was easier to understand and more practical.

**Student Performance:**

Student performance was consistently excellent and on time.

**Grade distribution:**

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**Action steps**

**Course Portfolio:**

Keep the present book

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**Change course prerequisites?** No **Comments\***

**Change course content? \_\_**No**\_\_\_\_Comments\***

**Change course objectives and/or outcomes?\_**No­­­**\_\_\_Comments\***

**Recommendations for further improvement\*** None

**instructional environment**

**Please comment on any problems that were encountered because of inadequacies in the classroom environment, lack of supplies, inadequate service from staff:**

None

**Were the problems brought to the attention of the Dean’s office?**

N/A

**Were the problems corrected in a timely fashion?**

N/A

* **Use an additional sheet if necessary.**