

- Course Number and Title: A E 339. Aerodynamics I
- Catalog Description: Fluid properties, conservation equations, incompressible 2-dimensional flow; Bernoulli's equation; similarity parameters; subsonic aerodynamics: lift and drag, analysis and design of airfoils.
- Credit Hours: 3 Credits (3)
- Prerequisite(s) / Corequisite(s): Prerequisite(s): (M E 228 or MATH 392) and ENGR 234
Corequisite(s): None
- Required: Required for BSAE Degree
- Course Availability: Fall and Spring Semesters (+Summer)
- Instructor (Usual): Dr. Yanxing Wang (See <https://mae.nmsu.edu/people/faculty.html>)
- Textbook: Gerhar, A.L., Hochstein, J.I., and Gerhar, P.M., *Munson, Young, Okiishi's Fundamentals of Fluid Mechanics*, 9th Ed., John Wiley, 2020 (ISBN-10: 1119597307 or ISBE-13: 978-1119597308)
- Course Learning Objectives: After completing this course, a student should be able to:
 - 1) Understand fundamental concepts of incompressible flows.
 - 2) Use Bernoulli equation to solve flow problems under specific conditions.
 - 3) Understand and use potential flow theory for canonical flows.
 - 4) Derive and use similarity parameters to design experiments and simulations.
 - 5) Gain fundamental concepts of lift and drag forces and their coefficients.
- Topics Covered:
 - Fluid statics: Pressure, hydrodynamic force, buoyancy
 - Bernoulli equation: derivation, applications, and limitations
 - Control volume analysis: Reynolds transport theory, conservation of mass, momentum and energy, and their applications
 - Differential analysis: inviscid flow, irrotational flow, potential flow, continuity and momentum equations, Navier-Stokes equations, and their applications
 - Brief introduction to external flow.