Neural Prosthetic Engineering (3 Credits)

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Synopsis	Neural prosthesis is an electronic implant that interfaces with nervous systems. Through direct electrical stimulation of nerves, it can help restore damaged or lost sensory or motion functions. Typical examples include cochlear implant and retina implant recently developed for severely hearing and vision impaired patients respectively. More recently interfacing with neurons in brain draws more attention for both therapeutic and scientific purposes. In this lecture we will cover all engineering aspects of the various neural prostheses including auditory, visual prostheses, deep brain stimulation (DBS), and brain machine interface (BMI).
Offering	2016 Fall semester
Audience	Undergraduate (3 rd and 4 th year) and Graduate Students of all disciplines of Engineering
Classroom	Room 429, Global Education Center for Engineers, Seoul National University
Schedule	Class: Monday and Wedesday 11 am-12:15 pm
Objective	To understand fundamentals of neural prosthetic engineering and their applications.
Prerequisites	There is no particular requirements.
Topics	Neural Prosthesis (NP) Overview Fundamentals Neurons Bioelectric Interface Bio-instrumentation Major NP's Cochlear implant Visual prosthesis Deep brain stimulation Related Developments Neuro-Regeneration/ MEA BMI/FES Neuro-Photonics Regulatory Approval Term project Term project Neuro-Regeneration (NEA) Retinal implant
References	 pdf files (uploaded before the class) D. Zhou, David and E. Greenbaum, eds. Implantable Neural Prostheses 1: Devices and Applications, Springer, 2009. P. Troyk and S. Cogan, "Sensory Neural Prostheses," in Neural Engineering, B. He, Ed., ed: Springer US, 2005, pp. 1-48. Other journal papers
Grading	Final Exam 30%
	Homework 20%
	Term Project 30%
	Attendance 20%
	Total 100%