

Module will continue on from Sage 2 Geotechnics 1 (CVEN20110) and continue work on topics such as effective stress, permeability and seepage, shear strength - with a focus on the triaxial test and slope stability. Students will be introduced to new topics such as consolidation theory, earth pressures on rigid and flexible walls, bearing capacity and site investigation techniques. Techniques for measuring associated design parameters both in the field and the lab will be discussed. Two laboratory experiments will be also performed.

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What will I learn?

Learning Outcomes:
<p>1) understand the fundamental principles of soil mechanics as listed above, 2) carry out, interpret and report onrelated lab tests and undertake foundation design both from a settlement and bearing capacity point of view and 3) be able to undertake practical seepage, slope stability and retaining wall stability calculations.</p>
Indicative Module Content:
<p>See above</p>

How will I learn?

Student Effort Hours:

Student Effort Type	Hours
Lectures	24
Tutorial	12
Autonomous Student Learning	78
Total	114

Am I eligible to take this module?

<div class="subHeadCB">Requirements, Exclusions and Recommendations</div>

Learning Requirements:

<p>Students must pass CVEN20110 Geotechnics 1 before taking this module.</p>

<div class="subHeadCB">Module Requisites and Incompatibles</div>

Co-requisite:

CVEN20080 - Construction Materials, CVEN20110 - Geotechnics 1

Incompatibles:

BSEN30220 - Soil Engineering

Additional Information:

One of the specified co-requisites is required.

How will I be assessed?

Assessment Strategy

Description	Timing	Open Book Exam	Component Scale	Must Pass Component	% of Final Grade
Assignment: Tutorials and Labs	Varies over the Trimester	n/a	Standard conversion grade scale 40%	No	20
Examination: NORMAL 2 HOUR EXAM	2 hour End of Trimester Exam	No	Standard conversion grade scale 40%	No	80

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<div class="col-sm-6">Carry forward of passed components

Yes</div>

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What happens if I fail?

Resit In	Terminal Exam
Autumn	Yes - 2 Hour

Assessment feedback

<div class="subHeadCB">Feedback Strategy/Strategies</div>

<p>* Feedback individually to students, on an activity or draft prior to summative assessment</p>

<div class="subHeadCB">How will my Feedback be Delivered?</div>

<p>Feedback within 1 week or at most 2 weeks of handing up each lab or tutorial</p>

Reading List

Associated Staff

Name	Role
Dr David Morgan	Lecturer / Co-Lecturer

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<dt>Subject:</dt>

<dd>Civil Engineering</dd>

<dt>College:</dt>

<dd>Engineering & Architecture</dd>

<dt>School:</dt>

<dd>Civil Engineering</dd>

<dt>Level:</dt>

<dd>3 (Degree)</dd>

<dt>Credits:</dt>

<dd>5.0</dd>

<dt>Trimester:</dt>

<dd>Spring</dd>

<dt>Module Coordinator:</dt>

<dd>Assoc Professor Michael Long</dd>

<dt>Mode of Delivery:</dt>

<dd>Face-to-Face</dd>

<dt>Internship Module:</dt><dd>No</dd>

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<dt>How will I be graded?</dt>
<dd>Letter grades </dd>

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